CIGRE NGN Group Nomination for Communication Lead November 2022



## Dear NGN members

I am writing to apply for the position of Communication Lead.

My name is Jesus Valdivieso, I am from Madrid (Spain) and I have been living in United Kingdom for the last 8 years. I am an enthusiastic electrical protection engineer currently working at Scottish Power Renewable for the development of new offshore windfarms. An exciting role to support the development of new renewable sources around the world with my humble support for reduction of  $CO_2$ .

I obtained my industrial engineer degree in Madrid, and I am currently finishing my thesis for a master's degree in electrical power system engineering at the University of Manchester.

I joined the CIGRE NGN this year to support the event team, and in this brief period I was involved with a collaboration event with the NGN team from Australia.

During this time with the NGN group, I have quickly understood the great benefits of being part of a community with the same interests and excitement to learn and share knowledge with others.

I strongly believe that sharing experiences and knowledge is a key element to grow professionally and to enjoy our subjects and keeping a fluent communication between the group members is on of the key element for this objective.

If I am elected, I will work to continue with the excellent job done by our former communication lead, focus in facilitating the communication between the team members, providing visibility to motivate new members and collaborations with the CIGRE UK community.

Please, do not hesitate to contact me for any further clarification.

Jesus Valdivieso