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2018 PES General Meeting Best of the Best Conference Paper Award Notification

Dear Authors Stephen Young, Yuri Makarov, Ruisheng Diao, Rui Fan, Renke Huang, James O'Brien, Mahantesh Halappanavar, Mallikarjuna Vallem, and Zhenyu (Henry) Huang:

Your paper, ***18PESGM1676 - Synthetic Power Grids from Real World Models***, was selected as one of four "Best of the Best" Conference Papers submitted to the 2018 PES General Meeting, on the basis of technical merit and presentation quality. Your paper was selected as a Best Conference Paper by the Transmission and Distribution Committee.

Of the more than 1300 Conference Papers submitted for this General Meeting, the technical committees selected 66 Conference Papers as the Best Conference Papers submitted to their respective committees. During the four presentation sessions of these selected papers on August 6, 2018, judges selected one paper from each session as the "Best-of-the-Best" Conference Papers. The presenting authors were recognized at the General Meeting Poster Session and the winning four papers were announced at the General Meeting Awards Dinner.

Congratulations to all the authors of this paper for your outstanding contribution to the technical activities of the Power & Energy Society at the 2018 General Meeting.

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Farnoosh Rahmatian
Vice President, Technical Activities
Chair, Technical Council

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William R. Cassel".

William R. Cassel
Best Conference Papers Session Coordinator