

# What are energy conflicts?



# 1. Understanding energy conflicts



# Types of energy conflicts:

## a. Distributional conflicts



## **b. Procedural conflicts**



## c. Locational conflicts



## d. Technological conflicts



## e. Identity conflicts



# Actors

1. **Enthusiasts**
2. **Silent majority**
3. **Hard-line critics**





# Arguments

- **Explicit**
- **Implicit**



# Arenas

- Meetings
- Media
- Networks
- Locations
- ...



## **2. Using energy conflicts productively**



# Communicating wisely



# Shaping arenas



# Mobilising resources



# Seizing opportunities



# Structuring responses





# Adapting to change



# Taking on new roles



**My core message:**

**Energy conflicts can make better  
projects ...**



**... if you are prepared to understand  
and use them wisely**

