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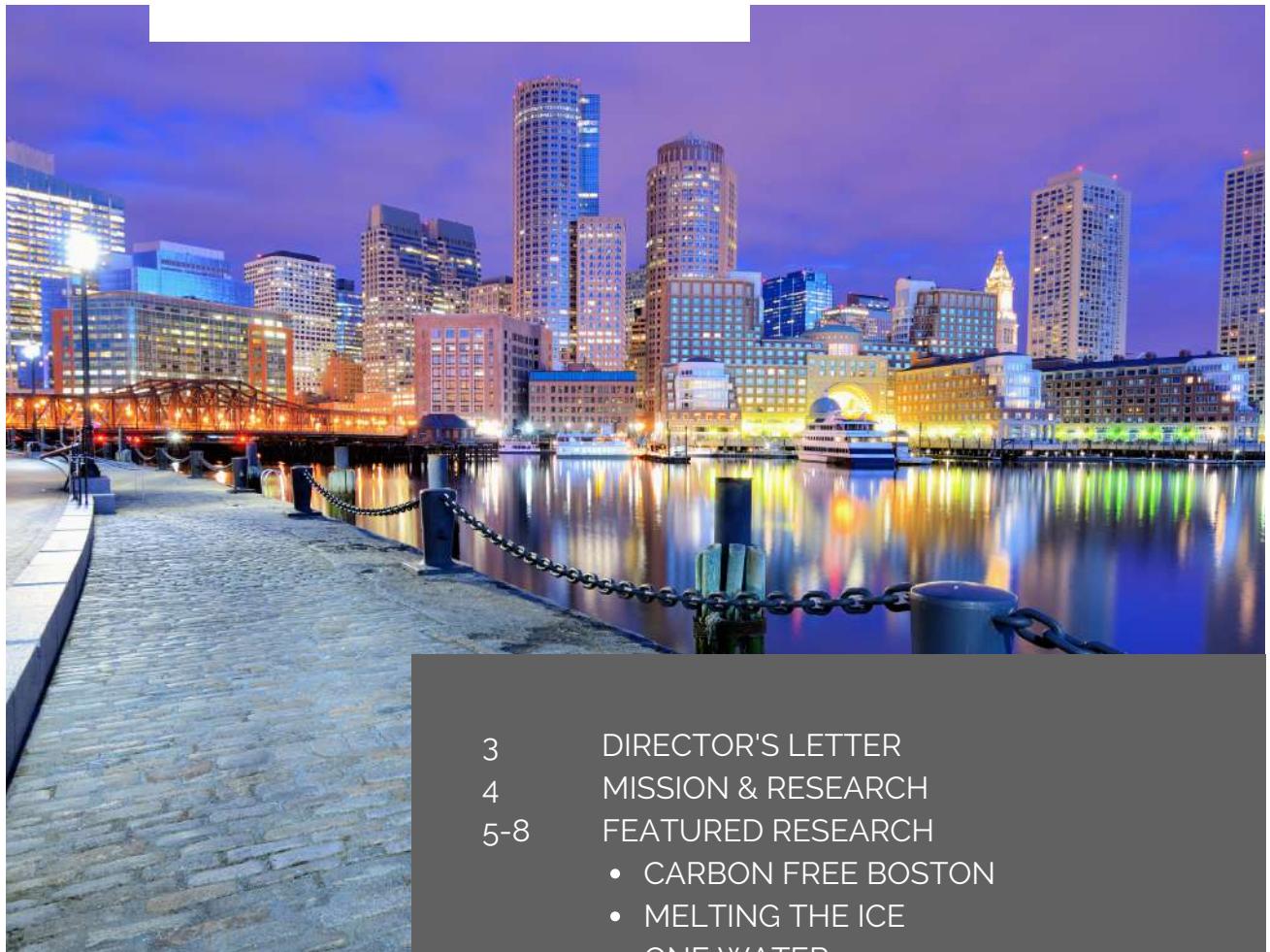
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a year's overview

DIRECTOR'S LETTER

Dear stakeholders and colleagues:

2018 – 2019 was a year in which the ISE fulfilled ambitious early goals in producing quality research that informs today's challenges and opportunities in sustainable energy.

ISE's "Carbon Free Boston" reports – including one that addressed social equity questions in the process of the city's goal of carbon neutrality in 2050 – were released between January and May. They received considerable praise from audiences within the Boston area and far afield, and the media coverage was plentiful.

Another notable release was the publication of ISE's first book, "Melting the ICE" in June, which examines how different cities across the world are introducing EV infrastructure. These are two of the most notable outputs in a larger set of reports on our four core areas – sustainable cities, utility of the future, new mobility, and sustainable water management – that are establishing ISE's reputation for analysis of current policy and technical issues that are useful to policymakers, business leaders, and other decisionmakers.

Within BU, we maintain close relationships with faculty across the Questrom Business School, the College of Engineering, the College of Arts and Sciences, the College of Communication, and the Frederick S. Pardee School of Global Studies. We support applications for research grants, engage faculty in applications through the ISE and include students on ISE research teams, and provide teaching expertise across a range of courses. We also collaborate closely with entities including sustainability@BU, the URBAN program, the Urban Climate Initiative, the Initiative on Cities, and Innovate@BU.

Reflecting ISE's growth, we have built out the leadership team with the appointment of three new Associate Directors. We look to this team to support broader pursuit of funding opportunities, as well as a deeper connection with faculty and students. We are at a moment when it is time to build on our successes to date with new multi-year projects. A robust pipeline of ideas that are incubating and funding opportunities leads me to be optimistic that the ISE will expand its impact within and far outside BU in the coming year.

In addition to our committed team of researchers at the ISE, we are very fortunate to attract an impressive cadre of Senior Fellows and a distinguished Global Advisory Board. We are deeply grateful to all those who lend their expertise, time, and support to the ISE, and look forward to expanded impact in the year to come.

Sincerely,



Dr. Peter Fox-Penner
Director, Institute for Sustainable Energy

MISSION & RESEARCH → ACCELERATING OUR ENERGY FUTURE

The **Boston University Institute for Sustainable Energy (ISE)** bridges the gap between academics and practitioners to put sustainable energy research into urgent action. ISE is a university-wide center dedicated to defining real-world strategies for how to accelerate the transition to sustainable, universally accessible global energy systems in advanced and developing countries. This enormous challenge requires new technologies and energy processes, new forms of financing and financial institutions, new policy approaches and forms of public governance, and new companies, industries, and markets. We achieve our mission through interdisciplinary research, policy analysis, and collaborative engagement with external stakeholders at every level, ranging from individual energy companies to cities around the world.

SUSTAINABLE CITIES



ISE is playing a leadership role by providing analytical tools quantifying emissions reduction policy benefits that cities are unable to develop themselves.

- Efficiency, electrification, and a shift to GHG-free fuels and electricity generation will play a key role in reducing emissions.
- Changes must span the building, transportation, power, and waste sectors.

NEW MOBILITY



ISE is working to decarbonize transportation, now the largest source of U.S. greenhouse gas emissions and also a large source of air pollution. The sector is undergoing massive disruption with electrification and autonomy. How transportation develops in emerging nations is also an important topic.

- Carbon-free vehicles are too expensive – need better tech (fuel cells, batteries).
- Congestion is too high – need new approaches to traffic management.
- Fueling infrastructure is difficult to design – too many uncertainties.
- Technical and economic interactions between power, gas, hydrogen.

UTILITY OF THE FUTURE



ISE will show how technology, business models, regulation, and policies interact to change energy and water utilities.

- Many technology challenges to create cheaper clean energy: long-term power storage; fuel cells; more efficient buildings; electric vehicles; organic photovoltaics; hydrogen; and carbon capture, utilization, and storage all must be cheaper.
- Optimization of power grid more difficult by orders of magnitude, involving real-time control, price feedback, and spatial pricing.
- Giant challenges understanding and projecting weather changes, biological, and ecological collapses and threats.

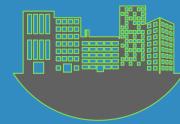
SUSTAINABLE WATER MANAGEMENT



ISE is identifying business, planning, and operations management solutions in the face of supply variability under climate change, demographic changes, and aging water infrastructure.

- Business model – how to move to a service-based model from a commodity-based model?
- Engineering – how to manage capital investment for supply & operations wisely (avoiding stranded assets)?
- Regulation – how to engage with municipalities & customers to manage change effectively?

FEATURED RESEARCH PROJECTS



HELPING BOSTON LEAD ON CLIMATE ACTION

The [Carbon Free Boston](#) reports, research led by ISE in collaboration with the Boston Green Ribbon Commission, extensively use real-world data to bring new knowledge and insights to the City of Boston's Climate Action Plan update and goal of achieving carbon neutrality by 2050. ISE analysis evaluates strategies across key emissions sectors while providing a deep understanding of related social equity impacts.

CARBON FREE BOSTON REPORTS

[Summary Report](#) | [Social Equity Report](#) | [Technical Reports](#)

(Technical Summary, Buildings, Transportation, Waste, Energy, Offsets)



**“
The city has a tough
task ahead. But by
identifying the
biggest
opportunities, the
[Carbon Free Boston]
report should help
point the city
forward.
”**

THE BOSTON GLOBE, EDITORIAL
JANUARY 30, 2019

KEY FINDINGS

Four mutually reinforcing strategies must be pursued together:

- Reduce demand for energy and maximize energy efficiency
- Electrify as much as possible
- Purchase 100% clean energy
- Improve social outcomes via intentional action

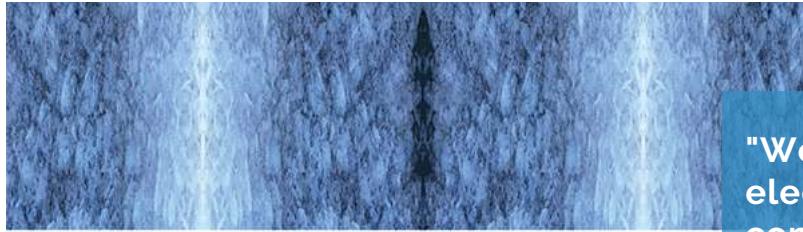
SOCIAL EQUITY REPORT

“Socially vulnerable populations are part of the fabric of every neighborhood. They are exposed to the greatest risks—and have the most to lose—from new action taken to reduce GHG emissions. They also have the most to gain from those actions. Action taken toward carbon neutrality will fundamentally transform the city’s buildings, transportation, waste, and energy systems. We believe Boston can use this unique, once in a lifetime opportunity to create a more equitable, inclusive, resilient and prosperous city.”

Accolades

**Selected by Arup as one of its
“20 most important projects
over the last 20 years”**

**Featured as one of Greater
Boston's “coolest projects” in
HubWeek's Hub Madness
bracket**



MELTING THE ICE

Lessons from China and the West in the Transition from the Internal Combustion Engine to Electric Vehicles

The Critical Role of Public Charging Infrastructure

Editors

Peter Fox-Penner, PhD, Z. Justin Ren, PhD, and David O. Jermain

"We all love the concept of electric vehicles, but the complexities of delivering the vision make us wonder if a book on the subject would be a fantasy or science fiction. Happily this book is full of practical detail and real-world experience of pioneering cities that bring the vision to life. It is a gripping read and, like a good novel, is full of great stories and ideas."

– Fiona Woolf, Former Lord Mayor of the City of London



FIRST-TIME ANALYTICAL FRAMEWORK GUIDES ELECTRIC VEHICLE INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENTS

With cities at the forefront of electric vehicle (EV) adoption worldwide, **Melting the ICE** gives municipal decision-makers a detailed blueprint for EV infrastructure planning. It is clear in looking at why and how cities are driving EV demand that charging infrastructure is one of the most critical challenges for accelerating EV growth and decarbonizing transportation.

MELTING THE ICE

City case studies featuring

Los Angles, CA | Shanghai and Beijing, China | Oslo, Norway | Brookline, MA



ISE Executive Director Jacquie Ashmore joined other leading voices in water at the **Atlantic Water Summit** in New York, one of seven water-related conference speaker engagements across the U.S. in the past year.

SOLIDIFYING ISE LEADERSHIP IN THE ONE WATER MOVEMENT

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More sustainable, integrated, and equitable approaches to water management



@ISE_BU

Understanding #water demand—and where the largest demand is coming from—for New Braunfels Utilities is one way we're working with #Texas water utilities to address the challenges of increasing urban populations, supply changes & aging infrastructure

ISE EVENTS



ISE's **"Utility of the Future"** four-part spring seminar series brought 6 industry experts to campus—including an all-women panel on **"How Robots, Drones, and the Internet of Things Impact the Utility of the Future"** co-hosted with **New England Women in Energy and the Environment** (NEWIEE)—drawing an overall audience of more than 75 attendees.



Co-organized 2-day August 2019 conference **Re-Envisioning Urban Infrastructure to Address Climate Change: A Comprehensive Regional Framework for Sustainability** funded by the **National Science Foundation** with Boston University's Initiative on Cities Urban Climate Initiative.



With the sponsorship of the **Sloan Foundation**, ISE and the Division of Systems Engineering and the Center for Information and Systems Engineering at Boston University are planning a groundbreaking November 2019 research workshop on autonomous and electric vehicles and their impact on the electric utility grid.



Co-hosted invite-only **3 Revolutions in Transportation workshop** with **UC Davis**, the leading university center in the world on sustainable transportation, drawing 45 attendees.

ISE PRESENTATIONS

Select highlights from ISE speaker and moderator engagements:

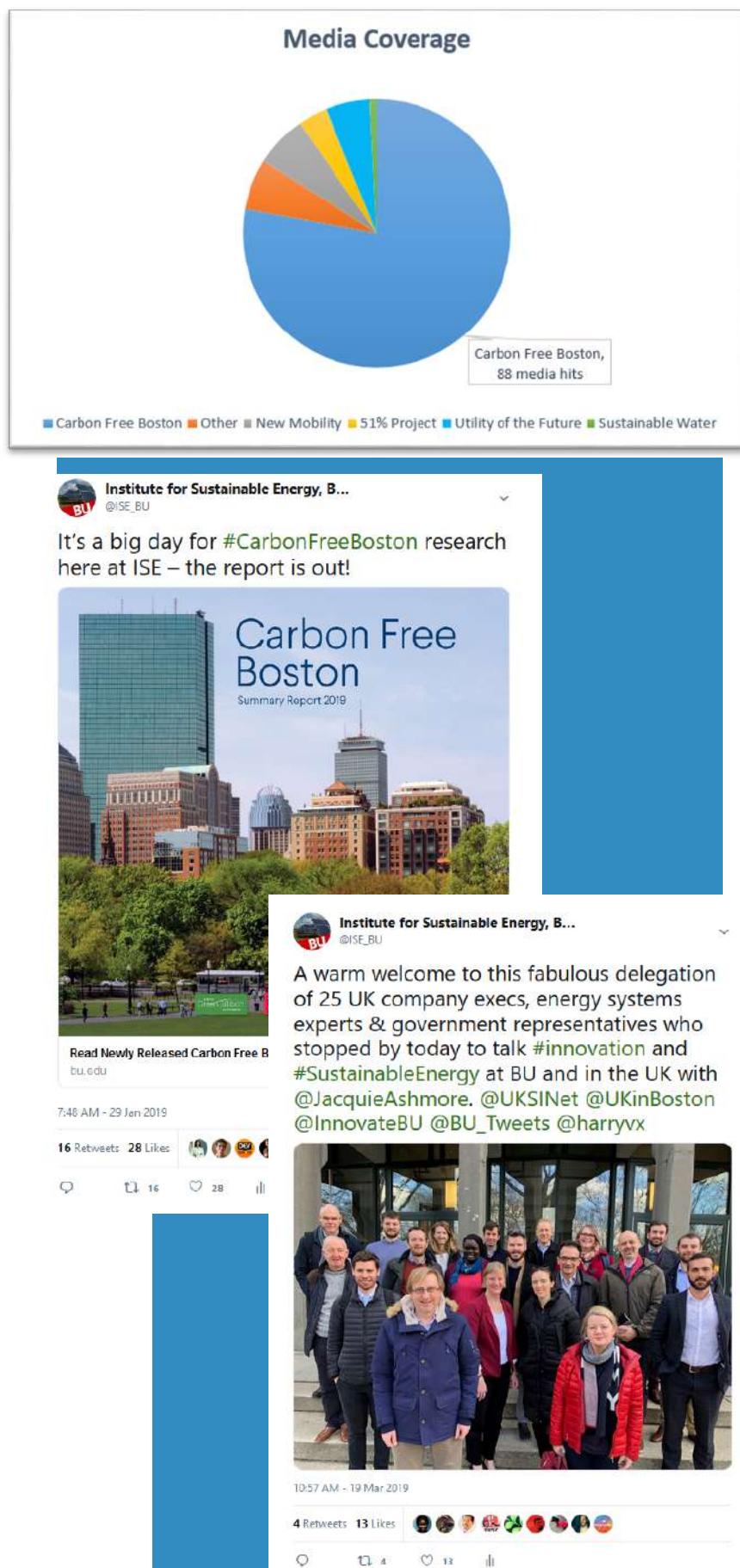
Date	Speaker	Topic	Venue	Type of Presentation
9/12/2018	Peter Fox-Penner	GEIDCO project	China-U.S. Energy Summit	Public Large Setting
9/28/2018	Peter Fox-Penner, David Jermain	Eastern Europe Coal Transition	UNECE Sustainable Energy Conference	Public Large Setting, Public Small Setting
10/10/2018	Cutler Cleveland	Carbon Free Boston	Horizon 18 Clean Economy Summit	Public Large Setting
10/30/2018	Peter Fox-Penner	Energy Efficiency and Utilities	NAESCO Annual Conference	Public Large Setting
11/29/2018	Jacquie Ashmore	Water Utilities of the Future	Atlantic Water Conference	Public Large Setting
1/29/2019	Cutler Cleveland	Carbon Free Boston	Boston Museum of Science	Public Large Setting
2/5/2019	Peter Fox-Penner	Electric Vehicle Infrastructure	BNEF Future of Mobility Summit	Public Large Setting
2/6/2019	Peter Fox-Penner	Shifting Utility Paradigm and Valuing Energy Efficiency	NASEO Annual Conference	Public Large Setting
3/7/2019	Richard Stuebi	Achieving High Renewable Penetration	NECA Annual Renewables Conference	Public Large Setting
3/18/2019	Richard Stuebi		Microgrid Innovation Forum	Public Large Setting
3/18/2019	Peter Fox-Penner	Utility of the Future	Google-X Energy Workshop	Public Small Setting
3/28/2019	Jennie Hatch	Future of Mobility	NECEC Mobility Summit	Public Large Setting
3/29/2019	Sarah Finnie Robinson	Implementation and Leading Climate Change	Babson Sustainability Forum	Public Large Setting
3/30/2019	Richard Stuebi	Grid Decarbonization	Tufts Energy Conference	Public Large Setting
4/1/2019	Jacquie Ashmore	Water Utility of the Future	AWWA Annual Conference	Public Large Setting
4/4/2019	Robert Kleinberg	Methane Emissions	MIT Energy Conference	Public Large Setting
4/5/2019	Peter Fox-Penner	Utility of the Future	MIT Energy Conference	Public Large Setting
4/5/2019	Jacquie Ashmore	Water Utilities	Texas Water Conference	Public Large Setting
4/10/2019	Cutler Cleveland	Carbon Free Boston	GRC Higher Education Group	Public Small Setting
4/12/2019	Robert Kleinberg	Methane Emissions	Duke University Energy Speaker Series	Public Small Setting
4/26/2019	Michael Walsh	Data-driven Research	Boston Area Research Institute	Academic
5/4/2019	Jacquie Ashmore	Water Utilities	New England Water Association	Public Large Setting
5/28/2019	Jennie Hatch	Autonomous Vehicles	Second International Conference on Economic Research in Social Sciences	Academic
6/6/2019	Jennie Hatch	Economics of AVs		
6/11/2019	Peter Fox-Penner	EV Energy Use	General Motors Headquarters	Public Small Setting

MARKETING & COMMUNICATIONS

Increased visibility for ISE research, events, and news spearheaded by newly created Director of Marketing and Communications position.

Highlights →

- 13.8% YOY increase in ISE website visitors—including 31.5% increase in new visitors.
- Exceeding email industry benchmark engagement rates.
- Social media YOY increases across the board: 79.5%+ Twitter followers, 254%+ LinkedIn followers, 21%+ Facebook followers.
- Relaunched ISE YouTube channel, adding 7 new videos.
- 113 media hits across ISE's research areas.
- 12 thought leadership blog posts.



SCHOLARLY WORK: PUBLISHED PEER REVIEW PAPERS, MAJOR REPORTS & BOOKS

Title	Authors	Publication Type
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SUSTAINABLE CITIES

*Carbon Free Boston Summary Report (January 2019)	Cutler Cleveland, Peter Fox-Penner, and Michael Walsh leading BU project team. Authors included Questrom School of Business and College of Arts and Sciences faculty members, PhD, and Masters students.	Report
*Carbon Free Boston Technical Analysis Reports (May 2019)	Cutler Cleveland, Peter Fox-Penner, and Michael Walsh leading BU project team. Authors included Questrom School of Business and College of Arts and Sciences faculty members, PhD, and Masters students.	Multiple Reports
*Carbon Free Boston: Social Equity Report (May 2019)	Cutler Cleveland leading BU project team with external partners. Authors included Questrom School of Business and College of Arts and Sciences faculty members, PhD, and Masters students.	Report
Cities and Climate Change: Strategic Options for Philanthropic Support (April 2019)	Jennie Hatch, John Cleveland, Michael Silano and Peter Fox-Penner. Authors included College of Arts and Sciences Masters student working with ISE.	Report

NEW MOBILITY

Long-term U.S. Transportation Electricity Use Considering the Effect of Autonomous-Vehicles: Estimates & Policy Observations (November 2018)	Peter Fox-Penner, Will Gorman, and Jennifer Hatch	Refereed Paper (Accepted)
*Melting the ICE (June 2019)	Peter Fox-Penner, Z. Justin Ren, and David Jermain. Published by its editors affiliated with ISE and Questrom School of Business.	Book

UTILITY OF THE FUTURE

Multi-User Microgrids: Obstacles to Development and Recommendations for Advancement (November 2018)	Kira Fabrizio, Richard Stuebi, Josef Benzaoui, and Ryan Smith . Authors included Questrom faculty member.	Report
Assessing the Potential for U.S. Utility Green Bonds (April 2019)	Peter Fox-Penner, Jennifer Hatch, and Tan Lam. Authors included Questrom School of Business MBA student working with ISE.	Report
Power After Carbon, Harvard University Press (Spring 2020)	Peter Fox-Penner	Book
Measuring Methane Leakage	Robert Kleinberg	Refereed Paper (Submitted)

SUSTAINABLE WATER MANAGEMENT

One Water Strategies for New Braunfels Utilities (April 2019)	Jacquie Ashmore, Josef Benzaoui, and Michael Grinshpun. Authors included a Kilachand Honors College Masters student working with ISE.	Report
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*Two or more center/affiliated faculty

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP: ISE BLOG POSTS

Title	Authors
The Financial Communication Challenges of New Mobility	Henry Kelly, ISE Senior Fellow
Climate Communications 101: the Trusted Messenger	Sarah Finnie Robinson, ISE Senior Fellow
Electric Industry Transformation: Pathway to the “Grid of Grids”	Richard Stuebi, ISE Senior Fellow
The Green New Deal: A Goal, Not a Date	Peter Fox-Penner, ISE Director
Elon Musk’s Next Big Headache: Tesla Service	Justin Ren, ISE Affiliated Faculty, and Xin Wang
Better Rules for Natural Gas Leak Detection and Repair	Robert Kleinberg, ISE Senior Fellow
Reflections from the AtlanticLIVE Water Summit: The Role of Nature, Infrastructure, and Pricing in Water Management	Jacquie Ashmore, ISE Executive Director
The Scientific Consensus on Climate Change	Sarah Finnie Robinson, ISE Senior Fellow
We Need a Better Understanding of Business Model Innovation and Adaptation for the Utilities of the Future	Guillermo Pereira
Do Nudges Crowd Each Other Out?	Robert Metcalfe, ISE Affiliated Faculty
Will Autonomous Vehicles be Electric?	Jennie Hatch, ISE Researcher, and John Helveston
The 51 Percent: A Climate Communications Project to Accelerate the Transition to a Zero-Carbon Economy	Sarah Finnie Robinson, ISE Senior Fellow

FACULTY & STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

Engaging Faculty and Catalyzing Research

- Professor Cutler Cleveland (College of Arts and Sciences) is co-principal investigator of the Carbon Free Boston Project.
- Professor Justin Ren (Questrom School of Business) is co-principal investigator of the GEIDCO project that spans questions about electric vehicle infrastructure and the future of transportation in addition to grid modernization opportunities internationally.
- Professor Michael Gevelber (Engineering) was awarded \$918k by the U.S. DOE to develop advanced measurement and modelling standards for compartmentalization in multifamily buildings.
- We assisted Professor Michael Caramanis (Engineering) with two U.S. DOE proposals and one Sloan Foundation grant and collaborate regularly.
- Professor Patrick Kinney (School of Public Health) & Professor Lucy Hutyra (College of Arts and Sciences) are actively collaborating with ISE teams on city-level carbon emissions reductions through the Urban Climate Initiative.
- Professors Nalin Kulatilaka, Nina Mazar, and Caroline Flammer (Questrom School of Business) collaborate with ISE on projects that align with the work of the Susilo Institute and on emerging trends in sustainable finance.
- Participation in BU CONNECT.
- Jacquie Ashmore presented at Professor Gopalan's Materials Day; Peter Fox-Penner joined the dinner.
- Held Sustainable Finance Dinner with four outside green finance experts and three Questrom finance faculty.
- Participated in Susilo Institute annual conference.
- Initiated partnership with BU CMI and Fraunhofer Institute at BU.
- Collaborating with Professor Larry Kotlikoff on intergenerational carbon tax models.
- Connecting Questrom Professor Rob Metcalfe to potential sponsors.
- Connected Professors Metcalfe, Cassandras, and Rysman to Lyft data sources.
- Publicized open house of Professor Jeffries-EL.
- Connected Professor Malay Mazumder to Fraunhofer and helped with ARPA-E project.
- counseled Professor Gopal on her data startup.
- Referred Professor Gopal to PBS NewsHour.

FACULTY & STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

Contributing to BU's Educational Mission

- Approximately 15 students have worked at ISE since its inception.
- ISE's sustainable innovation fellow (co-funded with Innovate@BU) is working with students.
- Peter Fox-Penner has recruited four adjuncts to teach energy and sustainability courses; we hope to provide many more:
 - Phil Hanser – two Questrom School of Business stat courses
 - David Jermain – two Questrom School of Business sustainability courses
 - Richard Stuebi – Executive Education
 - Olena Pechak – Engineering course
- ISE spurred a directed study course in Questrom School of Business on cookstoves in Haiti.
- Jacquie Ashmore was a client for a Capstone project.
- An ISE senior fellow has provided the project material for two courses in the College of Communication during the spring semester.
- Sponsored and mentored BU Energy Club Conference and Net Impact competition.
- Sponsored student trip to Puerto Rico, enabling students from the BU City and Urban Affairs Program – Public Health School – and the Environment and Energy Program to learn about topics related to housing, social issues, planning, environment, energy, public health, and other topics.
- Sponsored BU Colombian Student Association event focused on sustainable development and energy in Colombia.
- Held Veteran's Energy Seminar to introduce veteran community to BU and ISE.
- Guest lecture in ME 533.
- Professor Justin Ren participated in the Digital Data Blitz.
- Sponsored Michael Grinshpun's Honors Thesis.
- Co-sponsored Innovation Fellow in partnership with Innovate@BU and Greentown Labs.
- Presentation to Innovate@BU by Jennie Hatch.
- For Professor Cortes, funded Columbia Student Association.
- Found several internships for BU students, e.g. Solstice Energy.

MEET THE ISE

LEADERSHIP



Peter Fox-Penner
Director



Jacquie Ashmore
Executive Director



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David Jermain
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Caroline Flammer, Associate Professor, Strategy and Innovation

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*David Jermain, Adjunct Professor

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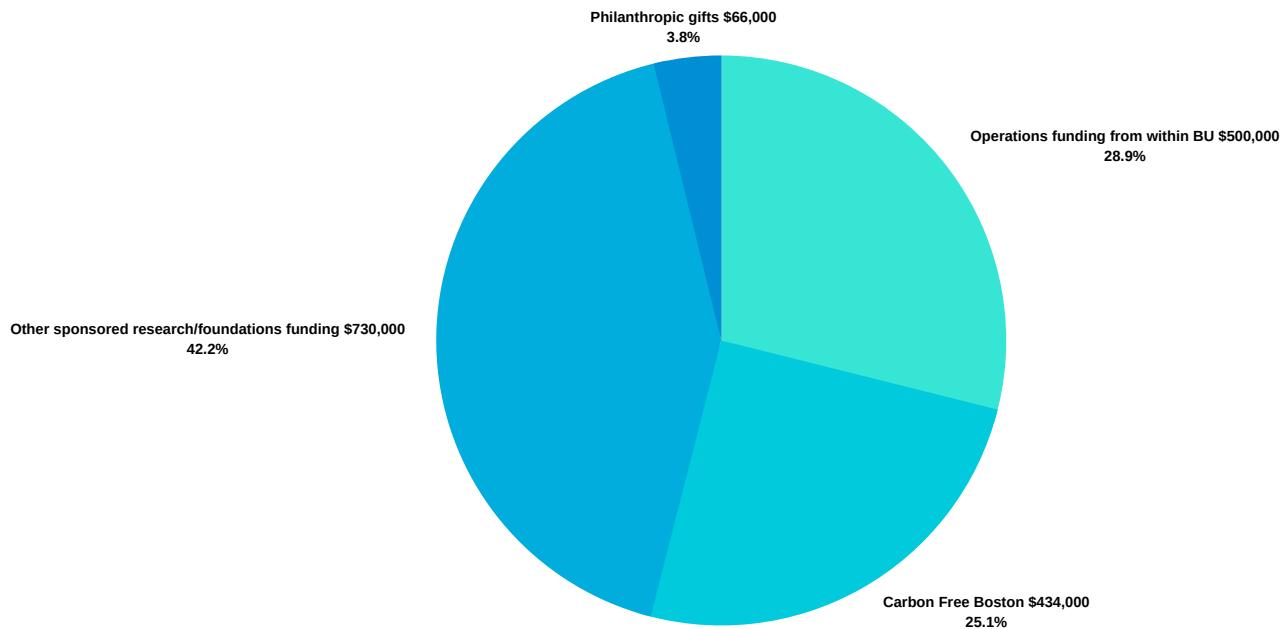
Patrick Kinney, Professor, Environmental Health, Kinney Lab

Jonathan Levy, Professor, Environmental Health

*Core ISE faculty. Core faculty participate in the day-to-day activities of the ISE by being a lead for or a member of a research team on a project for which the funding runs through the ISE. Affiliated faculty engage by participating in ISE research discussions and events throughout the academic year.

ISE FINANCES

Budget Breakdown



Sponsored Research

Source	Duration	Amount
Bloomberg Philanthropies	10/01/17 - 9/30/19	\$800,000
Hewlett Foundation	10/01/18 - 10/01/20	\$200,000
Mitchell Foundation	2/01/18 - 2/29/20	\$260,000
Multiple foundation/corporate sponsors (Carbon Free Boston)	11/01/16 - 4/30/19	\$1,085,000
TOTAL SPONSORED FUNDING		\$2,345,000
ESTIMATED PIPELINE		\$2,000,000

ISE also has a gift account with a balance of \$66k, which we use for strategic investments in ISE and BU-wide research, education, and outreach.

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