Argonne National Laboratory (www.anl.gov) outside Chicago is the first U.S. DOE national laboratory. Argonne has been engaged in power grid related research for over thirty years. In this talk, I will give an overview of the research activities on power grid at Argonne. The scope of our work spans a multitude of areas including smart grid, electric vehicles, buildings sciences, energy system planning, power system operations and planning. As an example, I will briefly describe our projects on impact of electric vehicle charging on power grid operations. I will also introduce various collaboration opportunities available at the lab such as student internships, postdoctoral appointments, visiting faculty positions and collaborative projects.

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