

FAQS ON SOLAR HEATING



Duration	3 hours
Date	21 st March 2009
Time	0900 - 1200
Venue	Old University Building, Valletta
Course Fee	€ 30
Registration Deadline	25 th February 2009

Introduction

An informative session on domestic applications of solar water heating technologies will give unbiased information that could help potential domestic users to decide on the best solar water heater that would match their lifestyles.

Target Audience

This course is open to the general public.

Course Outline

1. Types of solar water heaters
2. Sizing of solar systems
3. Tips for proper installation, operation & maintenance

Lecturers

The Institute for Energy Technology, University of Malta focuses on research, analysis and applications in the field of energy. Renewable energy sources and energy use in buildings are targeted with the aim of reducing our dependence on fossil fuels.

Dr. Mario Fsadni, Ing. Robert Farrugia and Eur. Ing. Charles Yousif have been at the institute for more than 10 years, focusing on specific different research areas. Their results have been published in local and international conferences and journals. Solar thermal applications are a common area of interest. The proposed course on solar water heating is part of a long-term plan aiming at the widespread application of solar heating systems.