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## **CDFA Partners with Yale Clean Energy Finance Forum, Launches New Program — Yale CEFF & CDFA Energy Finance Webinar Series —**

Columbus, OH – The Council of Development Finance Agencies (CDFA) is proud to announce a new partnership with the Yale Clean Energy Finance Forum (CEFF). The Yale CEFF & CDFA Energy Finance Webinar Series will explore development finance and energy investment.

“CDFA is proud to partner with the Yale Clean Energy Finance Forum on this important topic,” said Toby Rittner, President & CEO of CDFA. “This webinar series will provide public and private sector stakeholders with a look at innovative practices in the world of energy finance.”

The first of three installments of the Yale CEFF & CDFA Energy Finance Webinar Series will be held on March 3 at 1:00pm Eastern. The webinar is titled “Catalyzing Energy Investment with Development Finance Programs,” and will focus on the impact that tested development finance tools can have on clean energy investment. Speakers will discuss the role leveraged bond financing structures, non-energy tax credits and direct foreign investment can play in catalyzing energy projects.

Register for the free, March 3 webcast at:  
<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3787712368997717250>

“The Yale Clean Energy Finance Forum and CDFA are both working to advance the national conversation on energy finance tools and practices,” said Michael Puckett, Manager at Yale CEFF. “We are pleased to be working with CDFA to deliver a series on cutting-edge topics.”

Additional webinars in the series will be held on April 7 and May 5. Webinars will focus on accessing creative revenue sources for energy efficiency and advancing energy finance policy in the United States.

The **Clean Energy Finance Forum** advances the growth of energy efficiency finance and renewable energy finance markets in the United States by providing high-quality industry news, building professional dialogue, and fostering innovation. For more information about CEFF, visit [cleanenergyfinanceforum.com](http://cleanenergyfinanceforum.com)

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