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Paul Higgins is an associate director with Navigant which he joined in 2012. He is interested in integrating distributed renewable energy resources into the electric power grid and in econometric analysis using “big data” innovative statistical methods. Paul’s work with Navigant includes managing evaluations of smart-grid programs, demand response programs, residential and

C&I behavioral EE programs, and EE programs targeting small businesses and public facilities. His current/recent evaluation projects include:

- Volt-var optimization programs (ComEd, Ameren, National Grid, Eversource, Unitil, PG&E)
- Illinois small business programs (ComEd, Nicor, Peoples Gas, North Shore Gas)
- Residential behavioral programs (Peoples Gas, North Shore Gas, London Hydro, Hydro Ottawa)
- C&I behavioral programs (ComEd)

Prior to working with Navigant, Paul was a senior consultant with DNV KEMA Energy & Sustainability and a senior economist with Christensen Associates Energy Consulting. Paul received a BA in economics from UC Santa Cruz, an MA in economics from Tulane, and ABD in economics and demography from the University of Washington in Seattle.