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Renewable Energy, Smart Grid Technologies and Sustainable Energy Management: Challenges and Opportunities

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- Green technologies;
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- Power electronics applications in renewable energy systems;
- Renewable energy and smart grid technologies;
- The role of renewable energy technologies in environmental protection;
- Virtual power plants for a more resilient and sustainable grid.

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