

INNOVATION & INVESTMENT

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Industry Growth Forum

Celebrating its 30th year, the <u>Industry Growth Forum</u> (IGF) is the foremost gathering for cleantech and climate-tech entrepreneurs, investors, and private sector leaders. This event focuses on building relationships, showcasing innovative technologies, and identifying disruptive business solutions. The IGF leverages decades of technical expertise and industry partnerships cultivated at the National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL), the nation's leading lab for renewable energy and energy efficiency. By concentrating on commercial viability and market impact, IGF is a platform that facilitates strategic collaborations and drives industry advancements.

"Really the number one event for startups, investors, and ecosystem to convene."

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National Renewable Energy Laboratory

At NREL, we are dedicated to pioneering solutions for today's energy challenges. From breakthroughs in fundamental science to innovative clean technologies, NREL researchers are transforming how the nation and the world use energy.

The NREL Innovation and Entrepreneurship Center (IEC) is at the forefront of advancing cleantech and climate-tech innovations. Our mission is to bring economically viable technologies to market by leveraging NREL's expertise and resources. We connect our private and public funding partners with a dynamic network of startups, investors, incubators, foundations, and industry leaders. Let's work together to support a vibrant ecosystem committed to solving critical energy and environmental challenges, driving industry advancements, and accelerating the clean energy transition.

Comprehensive Across Cleantech and Climate Tech Sectors



- Agriculture, Food and Land Use
- Built Environment
- Carbon Removal
- Circular Economy
- Climate Management
- · Enabling Technologies
- Energy Efficiency and Management
- · Energy Storage
- Fuels and Chemicals
- Materials and Industrial Manufacturing
- Renewable Energy
- Transportation and Mobility
- · And More!

2024 Highlights

900+ Attendees



Startups, investors, and industry partners

363 Startups



Opportunities to engage with future clients

3,100+ 1-1 Meetings



Identify startup deal flow 20 Countries



International reach

44 States

Nationwide impact "Stellar event! Truly inspirational and great exposure for us as a sponsor."

– Circular EconomyDevelopment Center

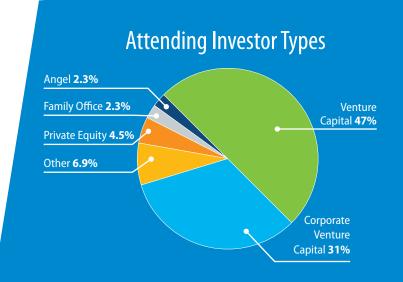
IGF Attendees are an Engine for Capital Deployment

- Acario
- · Activate Capital
- · Active Impact Investments
- Air Liquide
- · Aligned Climate Capital
- AP Ventures
- Aramco Ventures
- ArcTern Ventures
- Avesta Fund
- Azolla Ventures
- BASF Venture Capital
- · Black & Veatch
- Blackhorn Ventures
- · BMO Impact Investment Fund
- BP Ventures
- Breakthrough Energy Ventures
- · Buoyant Ventures
- Chandler Reed
- Clean Energy Ventures
- Climate Investment
- Congruent Ventures
- Constellation Energy
- · Cottonwood Technology Fund
- · Cycle Capital
- DCVC
- Dow
- Earth Foundry
- · Ecosystem Integrity Fund

- Emerald
- Emerson Collective
- · Energy Impact Partners
- Energy Transition Ventures
- · ENGIE New Ventures
- · Equator
- · Evergreen Climate Innovations
- Evergy Ventures
- Evok Innovations
- Exit Ventures
- · Factor[e] Ventures
- Fairstead Ventures
- · Fifth Wall
- · Fine Structure Ventures
- Future Energy Ventures
- Galvanize Climate Solutions
- GC Ventures
- General Motors Ventures
- Gigascale Capital
- GS Futures
- Halftone Investment Partners
- HG Ventures
- I Squared Capital
- Idemitsu
- Imperative Ventures
- Japan Energy Capital
- Keyframe Capital
- Khosla Ventures

- Koch Disruptive Technologies
- MassMutual Ventures
- · MCJ Collective
- Mitsubishi
- Mitsui & Co. (U.S.A.)
- · Next Frontier Capital
- Nexus Development Capital
- Orion Industrial Ventures
- Overture VC
- Oxy Low Carbon Ventures
- Pangaea Ventures
- Piva Capital
- RA Capital Management

- Rev Innovations
- Rhapsody Venture Partners
- SJF Ventures
- SK Discovery
- SLB New Energy
- Spring Lane Capital
- Sustainable Future Ventures
- TDK Ventures
- The Builders Fund
- Tovota Ventures
- VoLo Earth Ventures
- · Westly Group
- zipdragon ventures



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Gain valuable exposure and recognition of your organization as a sponsor at the 2025 Industry Growth Forum. This premier event offers excellent opportunities for companies to promote their brands and network, as well as share and exchange industry knowledge and expertise. All sponsors are promoted prior to and at the event as well as in the conference materials, dependent upon the level of sponsorship. Don't miss this opportunity for your organization to get involved. We offer several sponsorship opportunities to fit your budget and requirements. For more information on sponsorship opportunities, please contact IGF@nrel.gov.

Sponsorship Benefits and Levels

Sponsoring the Industry Growth Forum will give you more visibility and broader reach to the conference attendees. Pre-, during- and post-event promotion of your clean energy initiatives will increase your brand awareness and keep your company top of mind. The conference will be promoted through our website, partner network and extensive email outreach.

Inquire About These Other Sponsorship Opportunities:

- · Mobile App
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- Breakfast
- Lunch
- · Reception
- Lanyard
- - - · Pitch Competition

Networking Session

· Coffee Breaks

One-on-One

· Opening Night **Happy Hour**

· Charging Station

Let's talk! Bring additional ideas to us.

IGF 2025 Sponsorships	Patron \$3,000	Associate \$4,000	Bronze \$7,500	Silver \$15,000	Gold \$30,000	Platinum \$50,000
Attendee list (names only)	~	~	~	~	~	~
Recognition	~	~	~	~	~	~
Complimentary registrations	1	1	2	3	5	8
Discount for extra registrations		20%	20%	20%	20%	20%
Exhibitor table in expo hall		~	~	~	~	~
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