

HUNTER HYDROGEN TECHNOLOGY CLUSTER

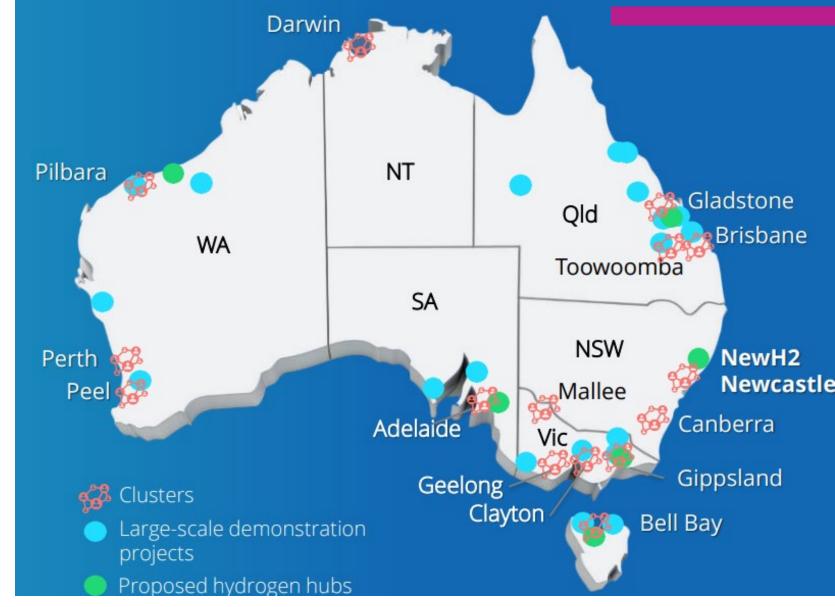
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Knowledge Exchange Forum – Hunternet & Central Coast Industry
Connect, AusIndustry, Star Scientific

Seeded by NERA in 2021 as part of H2TCA, a nationwide hydrogen cluster to foster a multibillion dollar, globally competitive hydrogen technology industry for Australia.

NewH2 is supporting the emerging hydrogen economy in NSW by **facilitating connections** and **knowledge sharing** throughout the state and beyond.



H2TCA clusters are located around large-scale demonstration projects and proposed hubs







NewH2 is supported by several local industry associations, businesses, TAFE and The University of Newcastle, and spans the Hunter, Central Coast and Orana regions of the state.



CLUSTER vs HUB

HUBS

provide groups of hydrogen users common infrastructure for the local production, use and distribution of hydrogen. Will reduce costs by delivering hydrogen in a coordinated fashion.

CLUSTERS

drives supply chain coordination, connection and development by bringing together the expertise, technologies, resources, capital and knowledge of businesses and organisations needed to support the emerging local and national hydrogen industry.

Working together – the aim is to establish Australia as a global leader in hydrogen-and related technology and expertise

2-WAY ENGAGEMENT MODEL



- The framework for industry and research to participate
- The setting to showcase
- Provide opportunities to connect and brainstorm
- Assist with updates, knowledge exchange, funding opportunities
- Participate in strategy development

SME

Share barriers and focus points
Share roadmaps, objectives
Collaborate on solutions and opportunity
Contribute knowledge

Technical insights, skills, regs, and other needs

LARGER SCALE PROJECTS Share capabilities
Project activities and updates
Communicate how to engage and to leverage research

Supply chain opportunities

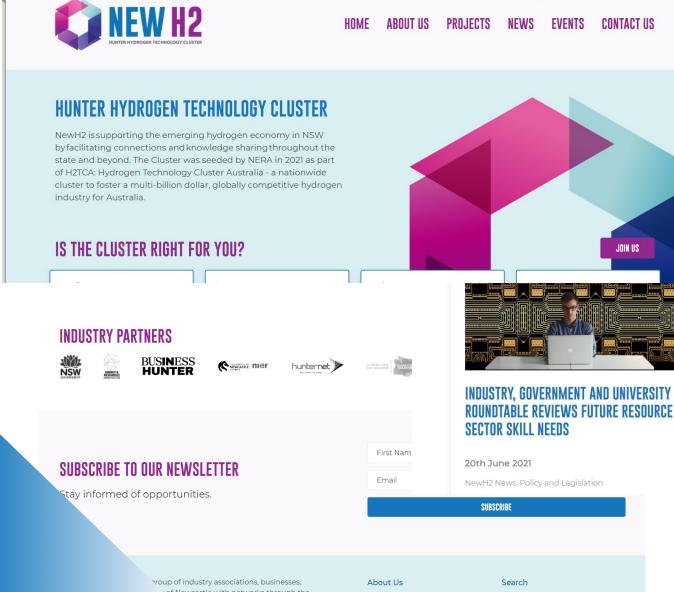
RESEARCH

Contribute knowledge

Participate with technology updates, demonstrations, capability updates

Be active to collaborate and grow the cluster

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LARGE-SCALE INDUSTRY AND HUBS

Share capabilities. Share project activities and provide updates. Communicate how to engage and leverage research. Supply chain access opportunities.



RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS

Contribute knowledge and leading edge research developments. Participate with technology and capability updates, demonstrations. Be active to collaborate and grow the cluster.

GOVERNMENT AND INDUSTRY ASSOCIATIONS

Share funding opportunities and leverage growth though established industry networks. Share infrastructure and investment updates. Communicate strategy, policy and regulatory updates. Link to national and international Hydrogen initiatives and developments.



REPORT: CSIRO CONFIRMS RENEWABLES STILL CHEAPEST

10th June 2021

NewH2 News, Renewables



GREEN HYDROGEN APPROACHING COST-**COMPETITIVENESS IN AUSTRALIA, SAYS NEW STUDY**

29th May 2021

Energy Management



of Newcastle with networks through the









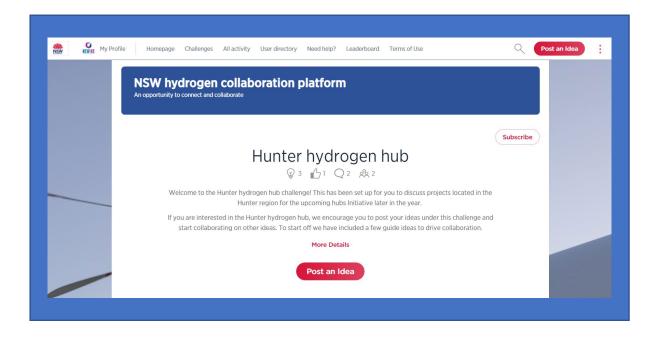








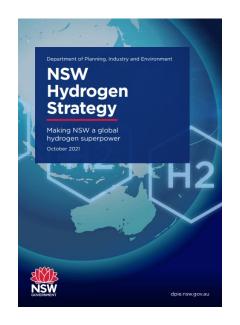






Recent Updates

- NSW Government Hydrogen Strategy
- NSW and Federal Hydrogen Hubs,
- New Low Carbon Industry Foundations CMP decarbonisation roadmaps EOI
- \$40 million commitment to a Clean Technology Innovation R&D Grants
- Decarbonisation Innovation Hub Powerfuels and Hydrogen Network
- DISER / ARUP barriers and opportunities to support the development of new energy industrial hubs



NewH2 - UPCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

- Knowledge Exchange monthly
- Skills Forums monthly, commenced with roundtable Sept 16, Nov 3 (ACT refueling & Smart Energy Council), planned site tours 2022
- Hunter Hydrogen Conference 1H 2022 Nov
- O2N Resources, Energy and Industry innovation Forum, Dubbo Feb 16/17 2022
- Next newsletter out early Nov
- Developing program for next year be in touch if you have any news or an interest in being part of the events / workshops





THANK YOU www.newh2.net.au

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