



HUNTER HYDROGEN TECHNOLOGY CLUSTER

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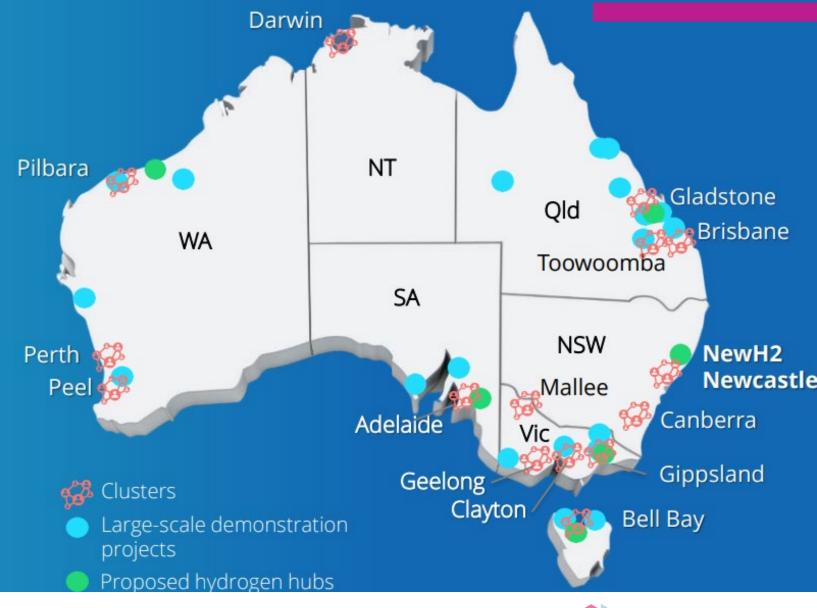
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Seeded by NERA in 2021 as part of H2TCA, a nationwide hydrogen cluster to foster a multibillion dollar, globally competitive hydrogen technology industry for Australia.

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

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

| | Share barriers and focus points |
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| | Share roadmaps, objectives |
| ЛЕ | Collaborate on solutions and opportunity |
| | Contribute knowledge |
| | Technical insights, skills, regs, and other needs |
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Share capabilities
Project activities and updates
Communicate how to engage and to leverage research
Supply chain opportunities

Contribute knowledge

RESEARCH

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SCALE

PROJECTS

Participate with technology updates, demonstrations, capability updates

Be active to collaborate and grow the cluster



KNOWLEDGE



PROJECTS & INVESTMENT







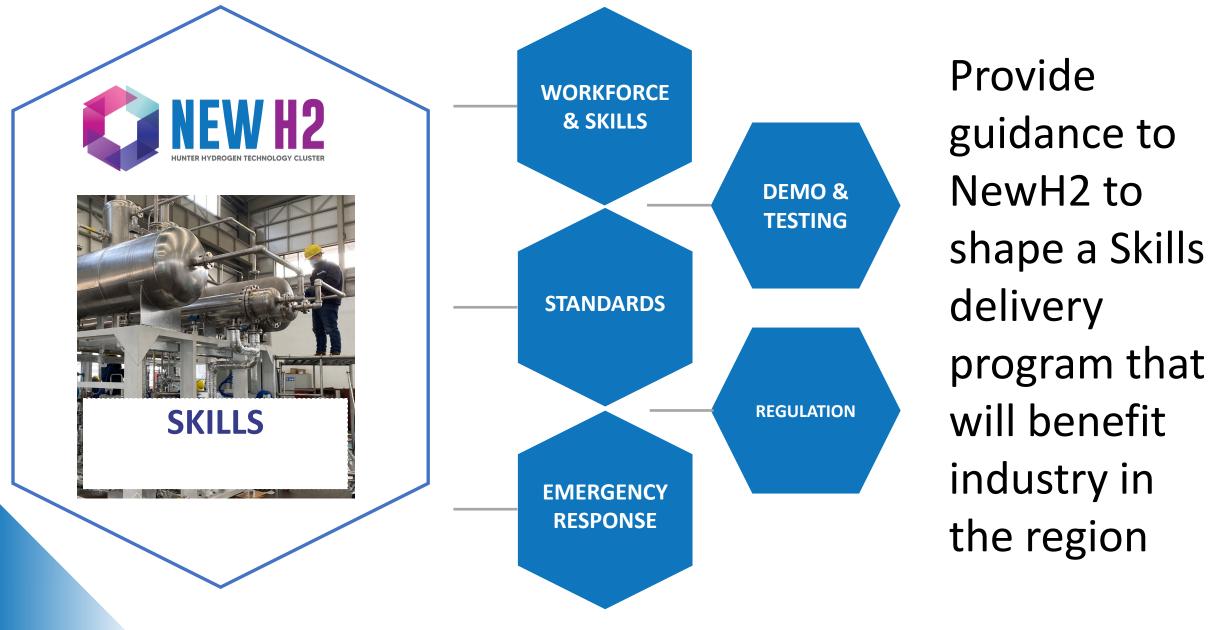
RESEARCH & INNOVATION



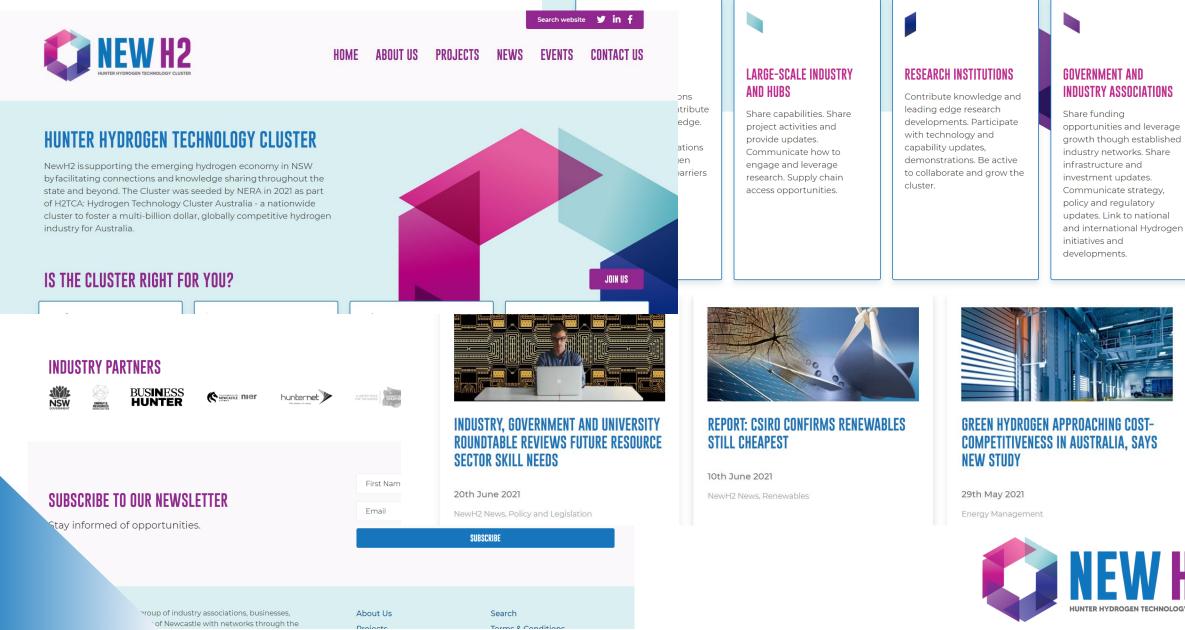
NATIONAL & H2TCA



Skills & Reg Delivery Categories



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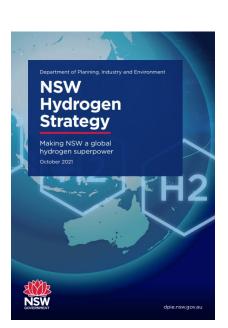
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Recent Updates

- NSW Government Hydrogen Strategy
- Federal and NSW 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





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