

Industrial Technologies Program

Working with ITP

Manufacturers interested in working with the Industrial Technologies Program will find that there are a number of ways to become involved.

Partnership Opportunities

Public-private partnerships are the foundation of ITP's technology delivery strategy. This strategy is a successful model in bringing together the strengths of business and government to address complex energy issues. ITP includes its partners in every phase of the technology development process, including planning, collaborative research and development, and implementation. The process focuses scarce resources where they can have the greatest impact on industrial energy efficiency. To learn more, please visit our Web site at www.eere.energy.gov/industry.

- Collaborative, **cost-shared research and development** projects are a central part of ITP's strategy. Annual solicitations provide technology development opportunities in a variety of energy-intensive industries.
- **Industries of the Future Partnerships** increase the energy efficiency in the most energy-intensive industries—aluminum, chemicals, forest products, glass, metal casting, mining, petroleum refining, and steel—that supply 90 percent of the materials in the finished products we use every day. In addition to cost-shared research and development projects, industry partners participate in the development of vision and roadmap documents that define long-term goals, technology challenges, and research priorities.
- **Allied Partnerships** provide an opportunity for ITP to reach a broad audience of potential customers by allying with corporations, trade associations, equipment manufacturers, utilities, and other stakeholders to distribute industrial energy efficiency products and services. By becoming an Allied Partner, an organization can increase its value to clients by helping them achieve plant efficiencies.
- **State energy organizations** work with ITP in applying technology to assist their local industries. ITP assists states in developing IOF partnerships to mobilize local industries and other stakeholders to improve energy efficiency through best practices, energy assessments, and collaborative research and development. State partnerships ensure that ITP understands state priorities and that states become partners in the dissemination of EERE technologies.
- **EERE's technical programs** (of which ITP is one of eleven) give manufacturers access to a diverse portfolio of energy efficiency and renewable energy technologies and bring advanced manufacturing technology to the renewable energy community. For more information access the EERE home page at www.eere.energy.gov/.

- The President's **Climate VISION** (Voluntary Innovative Sector Initiatives: Opportunities Now) effort also offers opportunities for manufacturers to pursue cost-effective actions that will reduce greenhouse gas emissions. See www.climatevision.gov for details.

Access to Resources and Expertise

The Industrial Technologies Program provides manufacturers with a wide variety of industrial energy efficiency resources to help your company cut energy use right away. Visit our site at www.eere.energy.gov/industry or call the EERE Information Center at 877-337-3463 to access these resources and for more information.

- ITP offers **energy management best practices** to improve energy efficiency throughout plant operations. Improvements to industrial systems such as compressed air, motors, process heat, and steam can yield enormous savings with little or no capital investment.
- Our suite of powerful system optimization **software tools** can help plants identify and analyze energy saving opportunities in a variety of systems.
- **Training sessions** are held several times per year at sites across the country for companies interested in implementing energy saving projects in their facilities. DOE software tools are used as part of the training sessions.
- ITP's qualified **industrial energy specialists** will work with your plant personnel to identify savings opportunities and train staff in the use of ITP software tools.
- Our extensive library of **publications** gives companies the resources they need to achieve immediate energy savings.
- **Plant-wide energy assessments** are available to manufacturers of all sizes interested in cutting their energy use. Cost-shared solicitations are available each year for plant-wide energy assessments. In addition, no-cost, targeted assessments are provided to eligible facilities by teams of engineering faculty and students from 26 university-based Industrial Assessment Centers around the country.
- The **DOE Regional Offices** provide a nation-wide network of capabilities for implementing ITP's technology delivery strategy. Regional Offices are located in Atlanta, Boston, Chicago, Denver, Philadelphia, and Seattle. Visit www.eere.energy.gov/rso.html for more information.



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