



Wales Launchpad Industrial Decarbonisation



New Innovators May 24 Breakout Room



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Launchpad: net zero industry, South West Wales New Innovators

Q & A session
14th May 2024

Innovate UK Launchpads

- Dedicated investments to build and grow **SME innovation clusters** and support **local and national growth and levelling up**
- Developed *in co-creation with local leadership* - tailored to local ecosystem
- Each Launchpad will include:
 - Grants (£25k to £1m) awarded by Innovate UK – so far CR&D, MFA and New Innovators products explored
 - Wrap around business support
 - Cluster convening and management
 - Support for access to testbed and demonstration facilities

THIS launchpad in Wales **Net Zero Industry** Launchpad is dedicated to the pursuit of sustainable solutions in the realm of Net Zero industrial emissions in South West Wales



Our objectives in this Launchpad

- The aim of this competition is to support outstanding innovation projects led by businesses and support the Government's **Levelling Up White Paper**
- Your business must be active, growing and driving innovation in **net zero industry** within the cluster in **South West Wales**, consisting of Carmarthenshire, Neath-Port Talbot, Pembrokeshire and Swansea.
- To drive the innovation-led growth opportunity for the cluster
- Contribute to Equality, Diversity and Inclusivity within the cluster
- Your project **must** focus on **net zero innovation for industry**.

Your project can focus on the following technologies, market sectors and industries

Heat and power:

- offshore wind
- other renewable energies
- hydrogen production and distribution
- carbon dioxide capture, distribution and storage
- low carbon heat
- mini grid systems

Make and use:

- biobased or alternative platform chemical production methods
- circular economy innovation
- sustainable fuels, including for transport
- fuel switching
- electrification

Skills development:

- supporting innovation in skills development

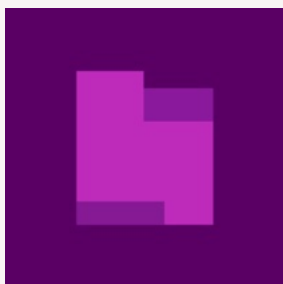
These lists are not exhaustive. Where you can show your proposal fits within the scope of this competition you can focus on other themes.

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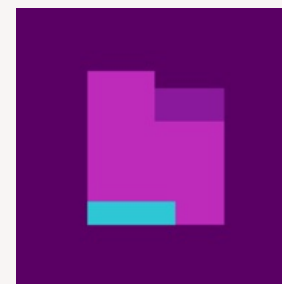
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