

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

PLEASE REFER TO THE GENERAL FAQs SECTION OF ARPA-E'S WEBSITE ([HTTP://ARPA-E.ENERGY.GOV/?Q=FAQ/GENERAL-QUESTIONS](http://arpa-e.energy.gov/?q=faq/general-questions)) FOR ANSWERS TO MANY GENERAL QUESTIONS ABOUT ARPA-E AND ARPA-E'S FUNDING OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS. ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS SPECIFIC TO THIS FOA ONLY ARE INCLUDED BELOW. PLEASE REVIEW ALL EXISTING GENERAL FAQs AND FOA-SPECIFIC QUESTIONS BEFORE SUBMITTING NEW QUESTIONS TO ARPA-E.

I. Concept Paper Phase Questions:

Q1. THERE APPEARS TO BE AN OPPORTUNITY TO CREATE A PARTNERSHIP WITH THE DOE PROGRAM AND ONE AT TUBITAK (TURKISH NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION). SEE LINKS BELOW. CAN YOU PLEASE PROVIDE MORE INFORMATION ABOUT HOW TO PROCEED?

[HTTPS://ARPA-E-FOA.ENERGY.GOV/DEFAULT.ASPX#FOAID440DD93D-DD8D-48E9-BBC6-7112453728C2](https://arpa-e-foa.energy.gov/default.aspx#FOAID440DD93D-DD8D-48E9-BBC6-7112453728C2)

**H. SUBSURFACE ENGINEERING FOR HYDROGEN RESERVOIR MANAGEMENT
FA DEADLINE 9:30 AM ET 10/24/2023**

[HTTPS://CETPARTNERSHIP.EU/CM2023-05-HYDROGEN-AND-RENEWABLE-FUELS](https://cetpartnership.eu/cm2023-05-hydrogen-and-renewable-fuels)

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MIGHT BE UPDATED*** FUNDING WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR RESEARCH AND INNOVATION PROJECTS TARGETING DEVELOPMENT AND ADOPTION OF TECHNOLOGIES FOR EFFECTIVE PRODUCTION, TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND END-USE OF HYDROGEN AND RENEWABLE FUELS, INCLUDING SECURITY ASPECTS.**

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ANSWER: ARPA-E requires all work under ARPA-E funding agreements to be performed in the United States. However, Applicants may request a waiver of this requirement where their project would materially benefit from, or otherwise requires, certain work to be performed overseas. Applicants seeking a waiver of this requirement are required to include an explicit request in the Business Assurances & Disclosures Form, which is part of the Full Application submitted to ARPA-E. Please note, production (through electrolosys or other means), transport (above ground), storage (above ground), and end-use of hydrogen are outside of the scope of this Exploratory Topic.