

Call for Proposals: Moving Energy Initiative (MEI) Low Carbon Energy Projects in Displacement Settings

MEI proposes to support investment in a small number of capital projects that will reduce fossil fuel consumption and improve energy access in displacement settings in Kenya, Burkina Faso and Jordan. Target projects supported by MEI will;

1. Significantly reduce fossil fuels consumption in displacement settings or provide energy access to displaced populations, the surrounding communities or humanitarian operations;
2. Demonstrate new approaches and models that challenge the business as usual approach to energy service and provision in displacement settings and have the potential to be scaled up or replicated at scale;
3. Offer a sustainable solution with local ownership, clear routes for ongoing funding (business plan) and robust long term maintenance and/or training and market development plans to ensure the continued use of the solution;
4. Serve as a demonstrator to other actors in the sector to encourage them to also improve their energy provision and adopt new methods and approaches.

Deadline to send in an expression of interest is 25th February. For more information, [click here](#).

American Solar Energy Society (ASES) Conference

9-11 October 2017

Colorado University

Denver, Colorado USA

ASES Conference 2017 - Call for Papers and Abstracts –

Deadline for submission: 1 April 2017

SCI partner ASES will offer a Solar Thermal Cooking Track. Paper and Abstract topics may include technical presentations, advocacy, sustainable development, refugee applications, policy, and behavior change. Applications for the North American context are encouraged. Accepted papers will be peer-reviewed and published in the ASES conference proceedings. Presenters may submit an

abstract without submission of a full paper. Papers and abstracts submitted after 1 April will not be considered. Travel funds are not available. Presenters and students will receive a discount on registration fees, but registration fees will not be waived. Visa letters will be available upon request. Technology demonstration opportunities will be available, weather permitting. Go to the [ASES site](#) for more information. For questions, contact solar2017@ases.org.

ENEA Access Call For Projects

The ENEA Access Call for Projects is developing their energy access initiatives in Africa. ENEA has committed to providing each selected project with 30 - 100 days of its consulting services on a pro-bono basis, representing a value of up to 120,000 €. In 2017, ENEA will launch two calls for projects to select these projects developers.

To learn more and to apply, [click here](#).

Consultancy Opportunity: UNHCR Energy Expert Roster

Application Deadline - 1 March 2017

The UNHCR Energy Unit is establishing a roster of technical energy experts to carry out consultancy works from two weeks up to one year's duration. The requirements list includes solar thermal and cookstoves and alternative cooking practices. SCI will submit a SCI team application including partners who have already provided this information to SCI. To apply as an individual, and for more information about screening requirements, the listing of consultancy task areas, and qualifications, [click here](#).

Plenary and Academic Presentations available on YouTube

Videos of the 6th SCI World Conference 2017 Presentations can be found on [YouTube](#) and linked below.

Dr. Ajay Chandak



Jagat Shah: Plenary



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