



SOLAR VALLEY CONSORTIUM



PURPOSE

The purpose of the SC-RISE Solar Valley Consortium is to boost the deployment of solar power throughout Inland Southern California, and to build a clean green economy based on sustainable local resources. One of the key activities of the Consortium is our annual conference. For more information please visit:

www.cert.ucr.edu/solar-valley-conference

For all of the latest events and trends in the solar industry please visit the consortium website:

www.cert.ucr.edu/southern-california-research-initiative-solar-energy-consortium

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BENEFITS

Your tax deductible membership is not only a great way to gain visibility, but also to stay current with latest legislation, news, and trends in the industry. Some of the consortium benefits include:

- Enhanced profile at annual conferences;
- Intelligence reports on legislative and regulatory initiatives and activities;
- White papers on relevant topics;
- Updates on activities and assets in the Counties;
- Participation in initiatives guided by the consortium; and,
- Communication with state, federal, county and municipal decision-makers;
- Updates on trends and where things are heading.

Inland Southern California can become the most attractive region for solar power in the U.S. There are natural advantages here that mitigate for policies and a local tax structure to advance the cause of solar energy and its associated technologies. The Solar Valley Consortium is dedicated to achieving these objectives and helping to create a green, clean energy economy.

Come join the consortium to help create a community of green businesses throughout the region.



WHY SOLAR

Solar power has a good reputation with the public. With siting policies that are community-inclusive and environmental policies that address species protection, solar energy can deliver what the public needs improved air quality, job expansion and increased housing opportunities – all made possible by providing safe, reliable clean energy at reasonable rates.

JOBS

Jobs related to solar power have been the fastest-growing sector of employment in the nation. The jobs themselves range up and down the economic scale – from residential installation, to manufacturing, architecture and design, engineering, financing, construction, operation, consulting and research. From solar crew lead to project manager, typically jobs in the solar sector are well paid. Riverside and San Bernardino Counties as centers for solar expansion can provide good jobs for growing populations eager to be trained in high-tech skills.