

Renewable Energy

Priority Area

Green Transition

Abstract

This CoRE is intended to facilitate a long - term sustainable transition toward a sustainable energy system. This global challenge will only be solved by a collaborative and multidisciplinary approach, which this Cluster actively pursues. The three pillars around which the Cluster is built, are technology development, equitable societal transition, and sustainable education and training. The Cluster will consist of 6 CoRE members: 3 ARUA Universities (Stellenbosch University as African lead and host of the ARUA CoE in Energy, and the Universities of Ghana and Makerere) and 3 Guild Universities (Ghent University as European lead, and Universities of Oslo and Groningen). Non - CoRE members will participate to increase impact, when feasible. The CoRE will be able to mobilise quickly and have a significant impact due to substantial support from the member institutions, the significant existing research infrastructure and the widespread networks of the members.

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