General Overview

The N.C. Clean Energy Technology Center helps our state’s firms achieve the growth necessary to meet our nation’s need for clean, inexpensive, abundant energy that can ensure our future energy security. The Center provides a gateway to the university system resources, as well as other industry-related resources. Through its many facilities and programs, the Center plays an indispensable role in attracting, training and sustaining the state’s innovative energy firms and workforce.

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Our Mission

The N.C. Clean Energy Technology Center advances a sustainable energy economy by educating, demonstrating and providing support for clean energy technologies, practices, and policies.

Program areas include:

- Renewable Energy Technologies:
  * Solar PV & Solar Thermal
  * Wind
  * Geothermal
  * Biomass

- Clean Power & Energy Efficiency
  * Combined Heat & Power
  * Waste Heat Recovery
  * District Energy
  * Smart grid/Micro-grid

- Clean Transportation/Alternative Fuels

- Workforce Development & Training

- Energy Policy

Center staff performed a site assessment to evaluate the potential to incorporate solar energy technologies at the SAS facility in Cary, NC.
Services offered

The N.C. Clean Energy Technology Center offers an array of technical assistance and service options for a fee to those trying to identify energy efficiency, renewable energy and clean transportation investment opportunities in their community. The Center staff work with a wide variety of partners to coordinate support to citizens, businesses and government agencies from:

- making energy improvements to existing facilities
- designing “greener” facilities and fleets
- testing an array of solar technologies
- analyzing financial models
- training a cleantech workforce

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**Technical Services**

- Clean transportation fleet assessments
- Combined heat and power, district energy, microgrid and energy storage project support
- Energy efficiency audits and targeted assessments
- Product demonstration, evaluation and testing
- Project evaluation and feasibility studies
- Renewable energy site assessments
- RFP and proposal development
- Wind resource studies

**Specialized Training**

- Certificate in Renewable Energy Management
- Customized training
- ECO Driving workshop for fleets
- Renewable Energy Diploma Series
- Short course professional workshops
- Training facility/mobile PV unit rental

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