

EPIC Affiliates

GigaWatt

\$50,000

ANNUAL INVESTMENT

Membership

This membership level is for companies who are recognized as or strive to be a leader in the energy community and a premier supporter of the work at EPIC. They would benefit from targeted and leveraged projects focused on specific business needs and the priority use of EPIC resources.



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Economic Development

- 1 EPIC event sponsorship each year
- Ad in “EPIC Annual Report”
- Company profile on EPIC websites and in newsletters
- Company listing in Affiliates directory
- Access to “EPIC Event” calendar
- Membership plaque in EPIC lobby
- Parking Validations for EPIC events at UNC Charlotte
- Access to EPIC conference rooms
- Credit with E4 Carolinas
- ✿ 1 “EPIC Innovator” session with students

Technology Development

- Preferred access to EPIC labs, technical solutions, and advising (faculty)
- Participation on EPIC advisory groups and task forces
- Membership in EPIC Research Cluster
- Credit toward sponsorship of 1 Senior Design Project and/or international student summer intern or graduate student

- ✿ Access to all non-proprietary EPIC technical reports and papers
- ✿ Use of inventions resulting from AP Gigawatt funded projects
- ✿ \$30,000 towards program seed project

Workforce Development

- Recruiting of summer student interns
- Participate in a member-only career fair
- Host of student field trip
- Engage with K-12 STEM schools
- Host a table at a student career fair
- Host a booth at Energy Job/Co-Op/Intern Fair
- Placement of job openings on EPIC website
- Accommodations for a “Practitioner in Residence” or “Adjunct Faculty” at EPIC
- Full fee reduction for EPIC workshops, conferences
- 2 options to be an energy conference panelist or seminar speaker
- 2 freshman/sophomore student mentorship