

LIST OF LCER PHASE 1 PROJECTS AND LCER PHASE 2 DIRECTED HYDROGEN PROGRAMME TOPICS**List of LCER Phase 1 Projects**

SN	Research Theme	Proposal Title, Lead PI, and Organisations	Proposal Description
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3	H ₂		: Improve the safety of H ₂ use, allow deployment of sensors economically to enable trading and safety and increase confidence towards adoption of H ₂ for downstream uses
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5	CCUS	: Alternative Sand from Carbon Dioxide and Waste Materials : Dr. Bu Jie, A*STAR : A*STAR; NUS; NTU; Samwoh Innovation Centre Pte Ltd; EnGro Corporation Ltd	of better heat transfer, therefore reducing the cost of importing H₂ using this carrier. A comprehensive financial model to access the cost of the H₂ supply chain in Singapore will also be developed by collaborating with our industrial partners. : To examine the processes for the capture and mineralisation of CO₂ into alternative sand that can be used for building and construction purposes.
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: Prof Chen Wei, NUS
: NUS; NTU; A*STAR;

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10	CCUS	: Process Systems Engineering for Guiding R&D on Low-Carbon Technologies : Prof Iftekhar A Karimi, NUS : NUS; ExxonMobil	: This project proposes a new paradigm in which materials research is conducted under the continuous of Process Systems Engineering (PSE) in order to keep focus on the KPIs right from the start of research. : It develops digital toolkits that predict the system-level performances of several CCUS and H₂ projects, helping to guide them to faster and successful scale-up.
11	CCUS	: Adsorptive Carbon Capture Using Framework Materials : Assoc Prof Zhao Dan, NUS : NUS; and Northwestern University; ExxonMobil	: To develop more efficient ways to capture CO₂ from exhaust streams. This project enhances CO₂ capture by using state-of-the-art framework sorbents engineered for high CO₂ selectivity, high intrinsic stability, and facile regenerability from moisture. : Improve the capture rate of CO₂ from existing exhaust/flue gas which is the first step in CCUS.
12	CCUS	: Nanostructured Catalysts for Direct CO₂ Hydrogenation to Higher Alcohols and Fuels : Asst Prof Sergey Kozlov, NUS	

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Safety and Regulatory Standards	Improve the H ₂ tolerant properties of structural materials and coatings for pipelines to reduce H ₂ embrittlement and leakage for cost-effective, large-scale distribution of H ₂
	Develop methods to repurpose or retrofit existing liquid natural gas tanks for H ₂ or H ₂ carrier storage for H ₂ distribution
	Modelling and simulation research and development projects would help regulators better understand the technical assumptions and limitations of existing standards
	Design improved hazard mitigation systems and new H ₂ infrastructure with smaller health and safety buffers to fit Singapore's context
	Develop suitable preventive, corrective mitigative, and/or 'inherently safe' measures for the potential use-cases for H ₂ energy
	Safety and regulatory standards for Singapore H ₂ energy
	Design improved hazard mitigation systems and new H ₂ infrastructure with smaller health and safety buffers to fit Singapore's context