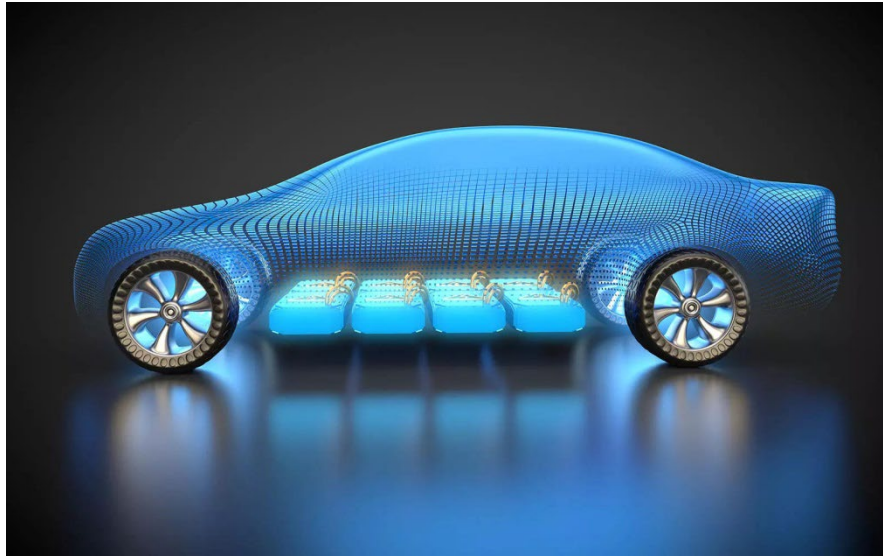


# National Advanced Battery Workforce Council



## NABWC

# NABWC is

- An emerging public-private partnership comprised of industry, government, community organizations, academia, and workforce/labor intermediaries
- A catalyst to coordinate and execute national battery workforce objectives
- A public service, non-profit, brand neutral, volunteer based organization
- Dedicated to the success of the U.S. lithium battery industry



# The Origin of NABWC

The formation of NABWC is a key recommendation of the Li-Bridge Workforce and Communities Committee.

Li-Bridge is a public-private partnership tasked with developing a national strategy that creates a sustainable and robust US supply chain for lithium batteries.





Argonne National Labs serves as facilitator between private industry and the federal agencies and departments. Private industry participation is facilitated by an alliance of NAATBatt, NY-BEST, and New Energy Nexus.





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*The need for a major battery industry training and certification effort is a key factor in scaling a broad, strong and vibrant U.S. lithium battery industry. Doing that successfully and expeditiously is crucial to U.S. national security and economic vitality.*



# NABWC's Work Already Underway

## Objectives for 2023

- Update and expand the 2022 survey of battery industry workforce needs from hourly to PhD
- Reach out to battery training and education providers in the U.S. and allied nations - including trade and apprenticeship schools, community colleges and universities - to build a comprehensive database of existing battery and battery-related training and education offerings
- Organize and catalog the available training and education



# Objectives (Cont'd)

- Develop a central one stop internet platform where all interested organizations and individuals may conveniently and efficiently access the cataloged information
- Compare results of 1 and 2 above to determine gaps in available battery training and education
- Strongly encourage training & education content providers to create courses and fill those gaps
- Promote careers in battery manufacturing and maintenance to students and other potential workforce participants





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- Now open for prospective members and advisors
- If you'd like additional information, please go to

*[www.NABWC.org](http://www.NABWC.org)*

- *Thank you, Battery Innovation Center!*
- May have a NABWC flyer in your NAATBatt bag
- Click on the "I'd Like to Know More about NABWC" button. We'll send you more info





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THANK YOU

