

A photograph of five white wind turbines standing on a green, hilly landscape under a clear blue sky. The turbines are arranged in a line, receding into the distance. The hills are covered in dense green vegetation.

Early Access to Market-Ready French Climate Technologies

Climate 4.0 Hub – A strategic Franco–Australian climate startup programme

The Climate 4.0 Hub is a Franco–Australian platform designed to connect industry with high-quality, market-ready French climate technologies entering Australia. Backed by FACET - the Franco-Australian Indo-Pacific Centre for Energy Transition - and operated by Swinburne University, the programme enables partners to access, shape and deploy emerging climate solutions aligned to real industry needs before they reach the broader market.

As a partner, you are a strategic participant, directly influencing how new technologies are tested, validated and commercialised and strengthening innovation collaboration between France and Australia.

How partners contribute

Climate 4.0 Hub partnerships are non-financial and strategic, bringing together a curated group of industry leaders who contribute expertise, access and insight to shape real climate deployments.

Partners play a key role in the programme by:

- Identifying strategic or technical challenges relevant to their sector
- Sharing market, operational or technical expertise as a mentor
- Opening corporate, institutional or research networks
- Exploring opportunities for pilots, demonstrations or PoCs
- Participating in key programme moments (selection, reviews, showcase)
- Joining the Extended Steering Committee to guide direction and impact

What makes Climate 4.0 Hub's program different?

- A unique Franco–Australian bridge connecting startups, research and industry
- A curated pipeline of French Climate Solutions supported through CEA, University de Grenoble Alpes, Swinburne University of Technology and la FrenchTech
- A structured journey ensuring startups are fully prepared before engaging partners:
 1. Launchpad: market, regulatory and technical readiness
 2. Acceleration: partner engagement, pilots, funding
- Integrated cross-border expertise (IP, legal, grants, commercialisation)
- Strong links across industry, government, research, and investors

What partners gain

- Early access to vetted and market-ready French climate-tech solutions
- Direct influence on the design of pilots, tests and commercial pathways
- Visibility within a growing France–Australia climate innovation ecosystem
- Access to emerging deal flow and funding opportunities
- Strengthened ties with Swinburne University, FACET and major French innovation networks
- Contribution to a programme aligned with national and state net-zero and innovation agendas

Become a partner

To explore partnership opportunities and for further information please scan the QR Code email info@franceaustraliaenergy.com



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