Clean Energy Partnership

U.S.-German Climate and Energy Partnership

Good for business and the environment?

In July of 2021, President Joe Biden and Chancellor Angela Merkel launched the U.S.-German Climate and Energy Partnership.

Partnership Goals

> Reduce our impact on the environment
> Create new fields of business and jobs

Key Areas of Collaboration

> Accelerating climate action in the U.S. and Germany
> Develop new renewable energy technologies
> Collaborating to develop transformational energy technologies
> Work to advance renewable energy technologies, reliable and resilient energy systems, and supply chains while supporting communities that will be affected by the transition
> Helping energy transitions in emerging economies
> Avoiding energy transitions that worsen existing inequalities

"The United States of America and Germany...must stand together to deal with the great challenges of our time."

—German Chancellor Angela Merkel in remarks made in 2020

Can advancement in technology answer these questions?

> How do we store excess renewable electricity?
> Can our homes be carbon-neutral?
> What is the future of cars and transportation?
> Can we fly without harming the environment?

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Energiewende / Energy transition
Energiesparen / Energy savings
Klimaschutz / Climate protection
Klimawandel / Climate change
Nachhaltigkeit / Sustainability
Umweltpolitik / Environmental policy

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President Biden hosts visiting German Chancellor Merkel at the White House on July 15, 2021.