

# Inclusive Energy Innovation Prize

## Gemini Energy Solutions & Partners

### Clean Energy Hubs for the Black Church



**Short description:** Gemini is helping to build Black futures and healthier, wealthier, and more resilient Black communities. We do this by supporting energy equity and a just energy transition in Black communities. We're starting with one of the biggest anchor institutions in the black community - the Black church, where we nurture our hearts and souls. Places of worship are at the heart of Black communities, and faith-based organizations know that they have a unique ability to engage their communities and transform their neighborhoods. Gemini believes that we can not expect to realize a just transition for the Black community without the church having a leading role in it.

**Link to our three-minute, online video pitch:** <https://youtu.be/NcVO1Aep920>

#### Team:

- **Team Lead:** Anthony Kinslow II, PhD, Gemini Energy Solutions - Founder and CEO
- **Team Member 2:** Rev. Ambrose Carroll, PhD, Green the Church - Founder
- **Team Member 3:** Kim Noble, Green the Church - Chief Operating Officer
- **Team Member 4:** Reginald Parker, PhD, Optimal Technology - President & Founder
- **Team Member 5:** Dana Clare Redden, Solar Stewards - Founder and CEO

**Other partners:** | Clean Energy Group | Green the Church | HBCU Green Fund |  
Interfaith Power and Light	Sustaining Way	OptimalTech	OpConnect
BlocPower	GridAlternatives	Vote Solar	NAACP's CESBS
Glad Tidings Community Development	GreenWork	Seed 2.0	
Center for Energy Education	Clean Energy Works	Environmental Defense Fund	

**Your city and state:** San Mateo, CA



