

Climate Equity Module for the Climate Tech Manufacturing Ecosystem

Our Team

In partnership with the New York State Energy Research & Development Authority (NYSERDA), SecondMuse launched the Scale for ClimateTech (S4C) program alongside NextCorps in 2018. For the last 7 years, S4C has transformed the climate tech manufacturing sector, helping startups achieve manufacturing success through a cohort-based model, Manufacturer Readiness Level (MRL)-based curriculum, and access to manufacturers and technical experts to foster growth and innovation statewide.



Our Mission

To provide capacity-building programming and support to under represented manufacturers and cleantech startups to achieve key manufacturing milestones and accelerate the time it takes to move from a prototype to a commercial product.



Why Are We Competing

In 2024, S4C added a **Climate Equity Module** for the fifth S4C cohort, providing workshops, mentorship, and accountability sessions to promote climate impacts for all. With funds from the Community Energy Innovation Prize, S4C will expand the module to all Manufacturing Extension Partnerships (MEP) centers in NY, fostering innovation, equity, and resilience.

