

COHORT 7 ('23-'25) APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in [Chain Reaction Innovations](#), the entrepreneurship program at [Argonne National Laboratory](#). Please fill out this form and use it to cut and paste your answers into our [online application](#).

READ THIS FIRST: SOME IMPORTANT THINGS BEFORE YOU GET STARTED

- You must be a U.S. citizen or Lawful Permanent Resident (LPR) when you submit this application.
- If chosen, you must relocate to the Chicago-area to work at Argonne for the duration of the two-year fellowship.
- You may not have full-time employment outside of the fellowship.
- If you've raised more than \$2 million in private funding, you are not eligible for the CRI program.
- If you're applying as a team, each team member must fill out a separate application.
- Please limit yourself to the word count indicated in each section.
- Deadline to submit is **November 30, 2022 5 p.m. Central.**
- Questions? email us at chainreaction@anl.gov.

STEP 1: SHORT QUESTIONNAIRE

Please complete the short questionnaire section on ProposalSpace **before** cutting and pasting your answers into the online application.

STEP 2: THE APPLICATION

1 What is your project title?

2 General description of your technology.

What is your technology's value proposition? **Do not reveal any proprietary information.** (500 word maximum)

Note: CRI provides this document for you to use as a framework. This way, you can see the questions we'll ask in advance of filling out the application in our [ProposalSpace](#) online format. We suggest you answer the questions below completely, then cut and paste your answers into the actual application. To fill out and submit your application online, or for more information on the process, please visit the [CRI Apply page](#). Applications will only be accepted using ProposalSpace.

3 What kind of impact will your technology have?

In particular, how does it advance U.S. energy and manufacturing competitiveness? (300 word maximum)

4 Why do you want to work with Chain Reaction Innovations?

What do you hope to get out of the program? (300 word maximum)

5 Describe how your technology fits with Argonne National Laboratory's multidisciplinary science and engineering research.

Which people and specific facilities have you identified as the most valuable resources at Argonne for your project? Have you made contact with an Argonne scientist(s)? If so, please state the names and topics discussed. (500 word maximum)

Select your preferred division.

- Accelerator Systems
- APS Engineering Support
- Applied Materials
- Biosciences
- Chemical and Fuels
- Cycle Technologies
- Chemical Sciences and Engineering
- Computational Science
- Data Science and Learning
- Decision and Infrastructure Sciences
- Educational Programs and Outreach
- Energy Systems
- Energy Systems and Infrastructure Analysis
- Environmental Science
- Experimental Operations and Facilities
- High Energy Physics
- Materials Science
- Mathematics and Computer Science
- Nanoscience and Technology
- Nuclear Science and Engineering
- Physics
- Strategic Security Services
- Transportation Power Systems
- X-ray Science
- I don't know

6 Do you own the intellectual property for your technology?

If not, please explain. Please list any patents or application numbers or your plan to license, if applicable. If you desire to license Argonne patent(s), please explain. (250 word maximum)

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Tell us about yourself.

What motivates you? What problem would you like to solve? Let us know anything else that would help evaluate your application. (300 word maximum)

STEP 3: ATTACHMENTS

- Please upload a resume or CV as a PDF. Should be 2 pages or less. *REQUIRED*
- You may upload a PowerPoint deck with up to 5 slides **as a PDF attachment**. May include graphics/illustrations. *OPTIONAL*

STEP 4: ONLINE APPLICATION

- Visit proposalspace.com/calls/d/1481 and submit your application online to be considered for Cohort 7.
- **E-mail applications will not be considered.**