

2025 Ohio Fuel Cell and Hydrogen Symposium Agenda

"Hydrogen and Fuel Cells - Pathways to Progress"



Honda Heritage Center

24025 Honda Parkway, Marysville, OH 43040

Monday, October 27					
11:00 AM	to	12:30 PM	OFCHC Members Meeting (private)		
1:00 PM	to	4:00 PM	2025 Honda CR-V e:FCEV, plant production tour at the Honda Performance Manufacturing Center (PMC)/Tentative Ride and Drive		
1:00 PM	to	4:00 PM	Exhibitor Set-Up		
4:00 PM	to	4:15 PM	Honda Welcome/Keynote TBD		
4:15 PM	to	5:15 AM	Government Affairs/Advocacy Panel - Alex Chapman, Moderator, Ridge Creek Global		
			Panelists: Connor Dolan, FCHEA, others TBD		
5:15 PM	to	8:00 PM	Poster Session and self-guided Honda Heritage Center Museum tour		
5:15 PM	to	8:00 PM	Networking Reception and Exhibit Showcase Opening		

			Tuesday, October 28
8:00 AM	to	8:30 AM	Registration and Exhibit Showcase open
8:30 AM	to	8:45 AM	Kick-off, Welcome, and Introductions:
			OFCHC Exec. Director Bill Whittenberger and Chairman Scott Swartz, CTO, Nexceris
			Welcome from Honda
8:45 AM	to	9:00 AM	Bill Whittenberger, P.E., Executive Director, Ohio Fuel Cell and Hydrogen Coalition
			Our Coalition is Strong!
9:00 AM	to	9:45 AM	Jack Brouwer, Ph.D., Director of Clean Energy Institute, Professor: Mechanical & Aerospace; Civil & Enviromental; Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering, UC Irvine
			Electrification is important; then we must add hydrogen
9:45 AM	to	10:15 AM	Gary Robinson, Vice President of Sustainability and Business Development, American Honda Motor Co., Inc.
			Presentation TBD
10:15 AM	to	10:45 AM	Break and Exhibit Showcase viewing
10:45 AM	to	11:15 AM	Matt Ulrich - Technical Sales, Member of AREMA Committee 38, RedHawk Energy Systems
			RedHawk Energy's Fuel Cell Journey – From Theory to Mass Deployment
11:15 AM	to	11:45 PM	Todd Solomon, Government Affairs and Public Policy Strategist, ZeroAvia
			Presentation TBD
11:45 AM	to	12:15 AM	Amy Koscielak, Business Development Lead, Sr., American Electric Power
			Presentation TBD
12:15 AM	to	1:15 PM	Lunch and Exhibit Showcase Viewing
1:15 PM	to	2:15 PM	Workforce Panel Discussion (Lisa Rimpf, Moderator, Babcock and Wilcox)
			Panelists: Mark Mason, UT; Mark Henning, CSU; Julie Michael Smith, Vesta Azul;
2:15 PM	to	2:45 PM	ARCH2 Hub Update - presenter TBD
			Presentation TBD
2:45 PM	to	3:15 PM	Mike Ahearn, Vice-President - Hydrogen Service, Plug Power
			Presentation TBD
3:15 PM	to	3:45 PM	Break and Exhibit Showcase Viewing
3:45 PM	to	4:15 PM	Schaeffler - presenter TBD
			Presentation TBD
4:15 PM	to	4:45 PM	William Lehner, Chief Strategy Officer, Independence Hydrogen
			Presentation TBD
4:45 PM			Closing remarks