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## The Hydrogen Value Proposition

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The US has abundant natural gas and existing methane pipeline and storage infrastructure that can enable generation of low carbon intensity hydrogen (LCIH) nearly everywhere in the 48 contiguous states. This seminar will explain the potential value of widespread LCIH availability in transportation, industrial, and commercial markets and explore the technologies that can enable the hydrogen value proposition.

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