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# Vaasa Energy Business Innovation Centre (VEBIC)

*Open multidisciplinary research and innovation platform in new energy.*

**Goal** is to provide a leading edge international research infrastructure and innovation platform that combines know-how from research and business communities to serve both academic and industrial needs.

- Hosted by the University of Vaasa. All faculties of the university are involved in the platform.
- Over 30 partner companies such as Wärtsilä, ABB, Danfoss etc.
- Knowledge partners from all over the world are invited to join the research.
- Advisory board consists of business representatives and other stakeholders of University of Vaasa.

**Focus** on new energy technology and the impacts of its adoption on business and the wider society.

**VEBIC** provides an open collaborative space for research and innovation. The research combines scientific, applied and experimental research. The platform includes two multimillion laboratories and a program for energy and sustainable development research projects.

## **Results & learnings**

- The first stage of VEBIC research infrastructure ready in 2017.
- Aim is to strengthen University of Vaasa's position among the leaders of global field of energy research.
- Serves research and education needs of the energy industry and academic institutions.
- Unique open research infrastructure for businesses and other universities.
- Laboratories provide a showcase of joint efforts by City of Vaasa, University of Vaasa and businesses.

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**Read more:** <https://www.univaasa.fi/en/sites/vebic/>