The CHIPS Act will strengthen supply chain security and increase economic resilience in critical sectors.

The CHIPS Act will ensure that the U.S. can manufacture advanced technologies, including secure chips for the U.S. military.

The CHIPS Act will spur innovation, increase competitiveness, and ensure long-term U.S. leadership in the sector.
Accomplishing these objectives requires:

- Catalyzing private investment
- Protecting taxpayer dollars
- Building a skilled and diverse workforce
- Engaging with U.S. partners and allies
- Driving economic opportunity and inclusive economic growth
To achieve this vision, the Department is prioritizing applications with workforce plans that...

1. ** Employ a whole of society approach**—bringing together government, employers, training providers, workforce and economic development organizations, community-based groups, education and training institutions, labor unions and more

2. Work with partners to **build a skilled, diverse workforce** that can construct and then operate facilities

3. Develop plans that best **meet the needs of their workforce, their region, and their project**
Strong Partnerships are Critical to Project Success

Effective workforce investments rely on successful strategic partnerships, and partnerships will be critical to achieve CHIPS program goals.

- Attract new sources of talent
- Increase awareness of opportunities
- Provide wraparound supports
- Retain and grow the workforce

Applicants **must secure commitments** from strategic partners and are expected to engage with these partners on an **ongoing basis.**
Today's Panel
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