Meet the Speakers

Whit Jamieson

Whitaker Jamieson is a program manager at Forth where he specializes in electric vehicle (EV) and EV charging trends. He joined the team in 2019 and has worked on a variety of programs including workplace, curbside, and multi-family home charging; agricultural electrification; utility partnerships; ride and drives; and more. Before working at Forth, Whit studied energy science at the Institute for Energy Studies at Western Washington University in Bellingham, WA. When Whit isn’t working, he enjoys bike rides in the sun, board games with friends, listening to books and podcasts, and watching videos about good urban and transportation design.

Varun Bather

Varun Bather supports Forth's Access to Charging team as a Program Associate. His work centers around creating a more inclusive, accessible, and equitable pathway to deploying charging infrastructure. Prior to Forth, he worked as a design researcher, policy strategist, and co-design workshop facilitator in mobility and non-profit educational spaces. Varun holds a Master of Science degree from ArtCenter College of Design's graduate Transportation Systems and Design department, along with a Bachelor of Engineering in Mechanical Engineering from Vishwakarma Institute of Technology, Pune, India.