

Cooking with Sun

Breathe cleaner air Solar cooking generates *no emissions*, unlike wood, charcoal, or dung fires.

Conquer waterborne diseases Solar cookers pasteurize contaminated drinking water.

Increase safety Solar cooking reduces the risk of violence women face while gathering fuel far from home, decreases respiratory illnesses, and reduces burns from traditional cooking fires.

Preserve habitats Each solar cooker can *save up to one ton of wood annually*, reducing dependence on expensive fossil fuels and keeping our planet cooler.

Achieve human potential Women and children have more time to attend school or earn income instead of collecting fuel up to 20 hours each week.

International Leadership

☀️ Special consultative status with *United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC)* in New York and Geneva.

☀️ Expertise provided to international organizations such as the World Health Organization.

☀️ Research including development of the Solar Cooker Performance Evaluation Process (PEP).



Global Awareness

Resources SCI manages the *world's largest solar cooking knowledge base* to educate and connect 4 billion people, with translations in 37 languages at www.solarcooking.org.

Leadership SCI leads and convenes the global cooking sector in 135 countries.

Education SCI raises awareness, develops best practices, and advocates for solar cooking through multiple publications, communications, and presentations.

How Solar Cookers International Works



Solar Cookers International is the global hub for the solar cooking movement, connecting academics, designers, cooks, entrepreneurs, innovators, advocates, project managers, and NGOs in 135 countries. SCI offers a collective voice for renewable, sustainable energy solutions in the United Nations forum.

Why Solar Cooking?

Nearly 3 billion people lack modern energy for cooking food and making water safe to drink.

Many of these people are forced to buy or gather expensive and scarce fuels. Household air pollution (caused by sources like cooking fires) causes over 7 million premature deaths annually—more deaths than from malaria, HIV/AIDS, and diarrheal disease combined. Cooking and making water safe with free, no-emission energy helps women as they strive to break the cycle of energy poverty. Solar cooking offers a powerful solution, particularly for people earning less than 2 USD per day.

Who We Are

Founded in 1987, Solar Cookers International (SCI) is a 501(c)3 organization leading the solar cooking movement to protect human and environmental health.
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How Can I Help?

Join the Movement Connect, research, cook, volunteer, teach, learn, promote, build, buy, test, manufacture, share.

Become an Associate Join an elite group with a high impact on solar cooking.

Make a Donation 2400 22nd Street, Suite 210, Sacramento, CA 95818 USA or online at:

www.solarcookers.org

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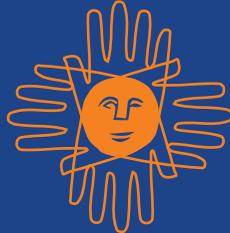
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Free, no-emission energy for cooking and making water safe



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