

CALL FOR CO-FOUNDERS KEYNOTE

Invitation To Join The Founding Team Of **NACE Corp**,
America's Future Champion In Critical Minerals.

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Call for Applications for additional Co-Founders

Seize the unique opportunity to become one of the visionary co-founders of NACE Corp, the startup destined to be America's future champion of critical minerals.



WE WANT YOU
IN OUR
TEAM!

Join Our Team and Shape America's Mineral Future.

Welcome to this call for applications to become a co-founder of North America Critical Elements Corporation (NACE Corp) and its operating subsidiaries. If you are reading this document, you may be one of the visionaries we are seeking to build a company of global scale together. Before diving into the details, allow us to briefly introduce NACE Corp and the American Mineral Independence Initiative (AMI Initiative) — the project that will transcend the boundaries of a typical startup to become a pillar of U.S. national and economic security.

Who We Are



NACE Corp is a pioneering U.S.-based company, incubated within the Beck Venture Center of the Colorado School of Mines. Founded by Fabrice Demtare (Interim CEO) and Carl T. Delfeld (Chairman), NACE Corp aims to secure the United States' supply chain for critical minerals, in the face of China's dominance, which controls more than 80% of these essential resources. Our tagline, "The Vanguard of America's Mineral Sovereignty," reflects our commitment to leading this mineral revolution.



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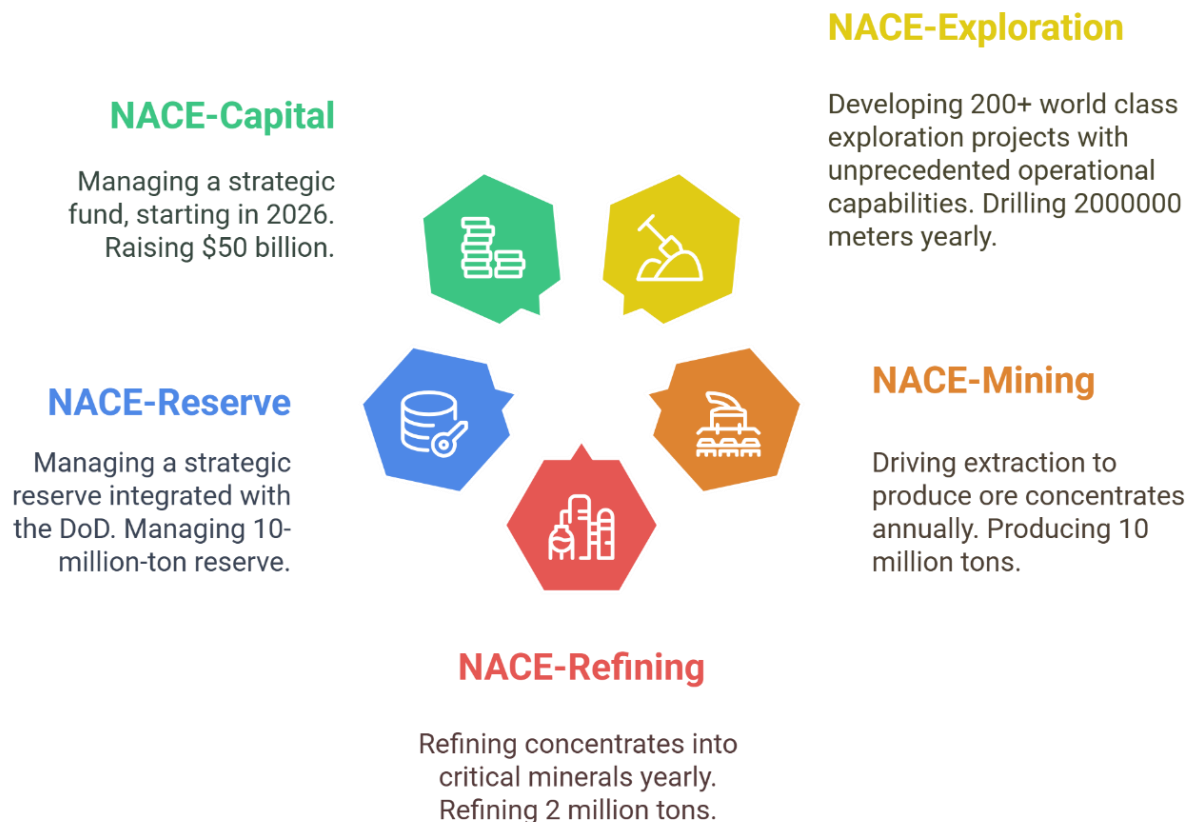
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What Is The Project?

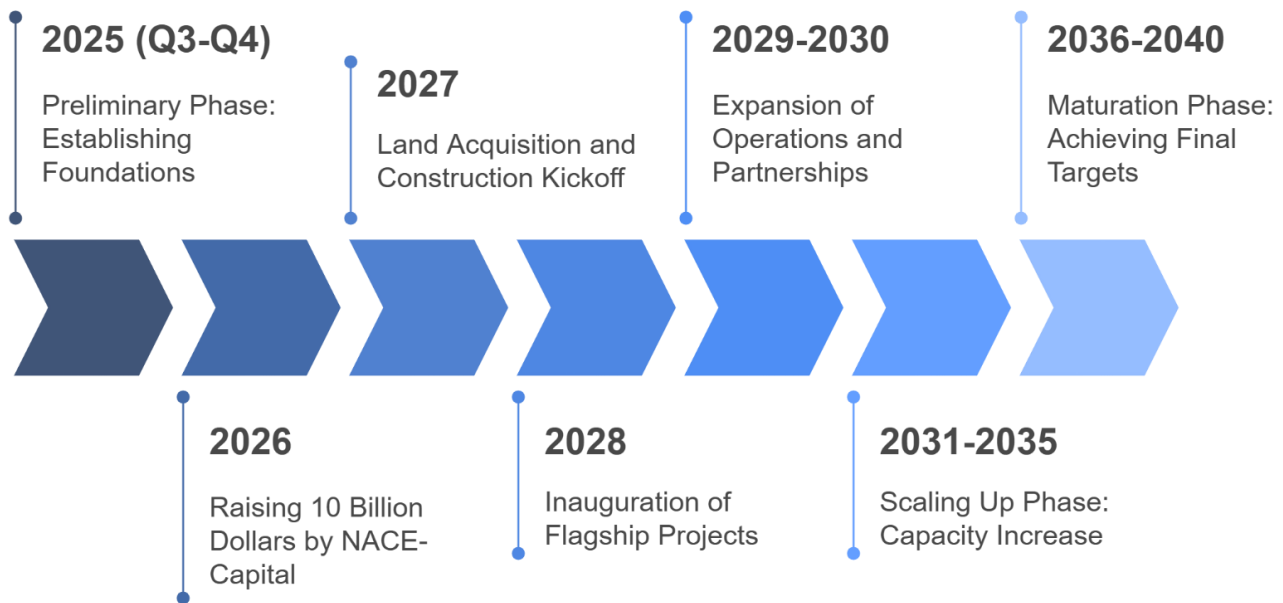
The American Mineral Independence Initiative (AMI Initiative) is the bold project of NACE Corp, aiming to eliminate the United States' excessive dependence on imports of critical minerals by 2040. It is structured around five specialized pillars, each carried by a dedicated subsidiary:

- **NACE-Exploration:** Development of a portfolio of 200+ world-class mining projects through the future Critical Mineral Exploration Center (CMEC) in Golden, CO.
- **NACE-Mining:** Direct and indirect operations to produce more than 10 million tons of ore concentrates per year (in the U.S. and abroad).
- **NACE-Refining:** Annual production of 2 million tons of refined metals, including rare earths oxides, at the Multi-Element Refining Complex (MERC) to be built and operated on the Gulf Coast.
- **NACE-Reserve:** Build-up and management of a strategic reserve of 10 million tons of refined minerals across four sites (Texas, Ohio, Arizona, Nevada). In coordination with the Defense Logistic Agency (DLA)
- **NACE-Capital:** Raising and managing a \$50 billion fund to finance the ecosystem.



This project is not merely a company; it is a geostrategic movement to restore the United States' global leadership in critical minerals, creating thousands of high-paying jobs in the U.S. by 2040. Aligned with the America First doctrine, the AMI Initiative responds to an urgent reality: China dominates the market, threatening U.S. national security. By joining NACE Corp as a co-founder, you will take part in a high-impact initiative with the potential to become a unicorn (a startup valued in the billions of dollars) and the future American champion in critical minerals.

The AMI Initiative will be executed over 15 years, sequenced into five-year phases, beginning with a preparatory phase in 2025 focused on foundational structuring, including the consolidation of the Founding Team (the purpose of this call for co-founders).



\$10 billion by 2026

\$25 billion by 2030

\$50 billion by 2040

As a co-founder, you will be at the heart of this transformation, contributing to a project that goes beyond economics to touch national security.

*If this speaks to you, read on and apply,
Your expertise could change history.*

Why You Should Join Us As A Co-Founder.

Imagine co-founding a startup destined to become a geostrategic giant — the future American champion of critical minerals — with a direct impact on U.S. national security. That is the opportunity NACE Corp is offering you today.

By joining our founding team, you will not be a mere employee of NACE Corp — you will be a co-owner. As a co-founder, you will be involved in designing and launching a company that aims to eliminate the United States' excessive dependence on Chinese critical minerals by 2040.



The AMI Initiative is not an ordinary startup. It is a project of global scope, aligned with the America First doctrine, positioning NACE Corp as a key player in the worldwide race for critical minerals. With five operating subsidiaries, we are building an integrated ecosystem to explore, extract, refine, stockpile, and finance the mineral resources essential to defense, energy, and technology.

What Becoming a co-founder means?

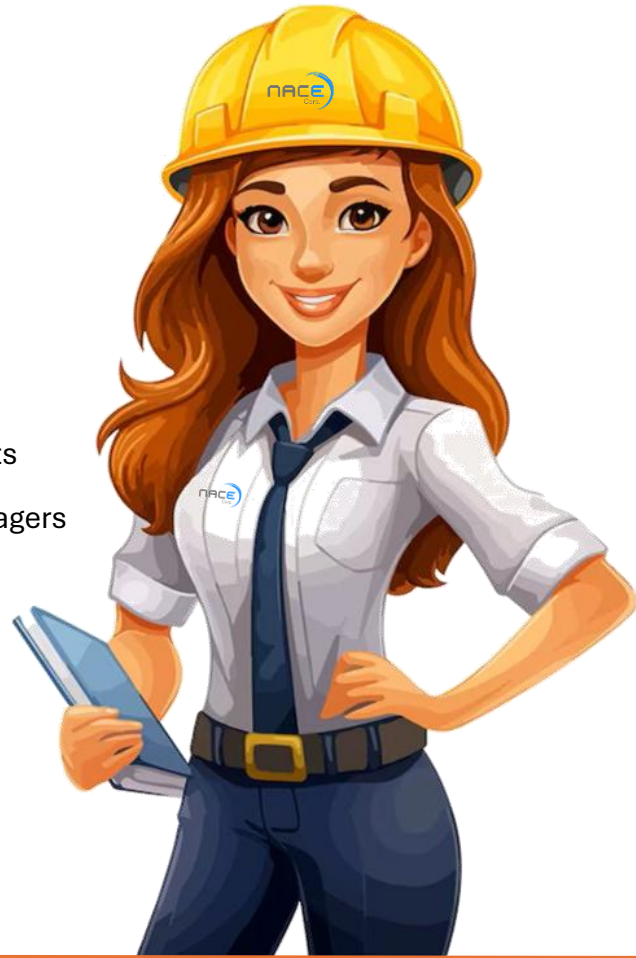
- Joining a one-of-a-kind venture: Co-build a startup poised to become a unicorn valued in the tens of billions of dollars.
- Having geostrategic impact: Help secure U.S. mineral independence, reducing Chinese dominance and strengthening national security.
- Earning attractive compensation: Initial equity for co-founders, followed by competitive salaries, with milestone-based bonuses.
- Joining an elite entrepreneurial team: about 20 co-founders selected for their expertise, forming a multidisciplinary team capable of challenging the world's leading players.

This opportunity is exceptional because NACE Corp is not a company like any other — it is a patriotic movement to restore America's mineral leadership. If you are an ambitious leader, ready to challenge norms and build a legacy, this is your moment.

Sought-After Profiles

To strengthen the founding team of NACE Corp and its operational subsidiaries, we are seeking diverse and hybrid profiles capable of innovating in a strategic sector. The following list of skills and experience is non-exhaustive:

- Exploration Geologists
- Mining Engineers
- Geophysicists
- Geochemistry Specialists
- 3D Modeling & Resource Estimation Professionals
- Process Engineers (ore processing)
- Quality & Compliance Managers
- Logistics Specialists
- Software Professionals, AI & Blockchain Specialists
- Cybersecurity Specialists & Senior Database Managers
- Occupational Health & Safety Experts
- ESG Compliance Experts
- Investment Fund Professionals
- Mining Finance Experts
- VC Partnerships Professionals
- Tax Specialists
- Business law specialists
- Portfolio Managers
- Financial Communications Specialists
- Corporate Communications Specialists



We encourage hybrid applications (e.g., geopolitics + finance). Required qualities include proven expertise, an entrepreneurial mindset, and a patriotic commitment to American mineral sovereignty. If you recognize yourself here, apply — your profile could be the catalyst of our success.



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Submit Your Application before August 20, 2025.



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Thank You