



## **ADAM RUDER**

Adam Ruder leads NYSERDA's transportation R&D, market development, and transportation policy development activities. In his role as Assistant Director of Clean Transportation, Adam identifies opportunities for collaboration with public and private entities to advance clean transportation in New York State and developing strategic direction and budget and overseeing implementation of NYSERDA's clean transportation activities and policies.

Adam is in charge of supporting new product development, demonstration, deployment, and policy implementation that shows the potential to reduce GHG emissions and energy use while providing economic benefits to New York State. Adam also oversees New York State's incentive programs for electric cars and trucks and EV charging stations, and the rollout of a large portion of New York State's Volkswagen settlement funds aimed at accelerating the transition to electric medium- and heavy-duty vehicles. He has successfully been able to writing and procure multi-million dollar grants from federal agencies

Co-chair the Clean Vehicles and Fuels Working Group and serve on the steering committee of the Transportation and Climate Initiative, a multi-state effort to reduce greenhouse gases from the transportation sector, and the ten state Emission Vehicle Task Force.

Adam Ruder holds a BA from Haverford College and an MPP from Harvard Kennedy School.