

LBL (Kenzi's) View

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Yucca Mountain Project at LBNL

- Virtually non-existent
- Most researchers are now CCS experts



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The Good

- Insightful and audacious
- One-stop Shop
 - Integrates QA
 - Transparency
 - Knowledge Base



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Concerns

- Funding
 - Need \$64M/year
- Flexibility
 - Data vs. preconceptions
 - Drilling is full of surprises
- Non technical factors and weighting functions
 - Politics
 - Funding
 - Emotions



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Recommendations

- Prioritize
- Aim low?
- Collaboration
 - CO2
 - Earthquake
 - Geothermal
 - Environmental

