SCALE Capital Concept Paper Application Instructions

Visit the program website for the application link and the required files:
https://www.nemicroelectronics.org/scale-capital

See NOFO Section 3 for the application instructions. Below are the instructions to complete the concept paper that will be uploaded with the application.

Concept Paper Outline:

Template:
- All concept papers must use the provided template, link on the program website
- File Naming Convention:
  - SCALE Capital Concept_*Lead Applicant Organization Name_MM.DD.YYYY*
  - Label with the application submission date
- Template content: All items in *italics* are suggested questions to guide the application response. Delete *italicized* items in the final submission.

Formatting & Page Limits:
- 1" margins, Arial 12pt font or larger, single or double space
- 6 pages including appendices, anything beyond 6 pages will not be reviewed
- Concept Paper Sections & recommended page length:
  - Cover Page - Not applicable to page limit
  - Concept Summary - .5 page
  - Problem Statement & Innovation - .5 page
  - Project Impact - .5 page
  - Proposed Work - 2.5 pages
  - Budget & Timeline – 1 page
  - Team & Capabilities – 1 page
  - Appendices – as needed, included in page limit
- Images are permitted if included in the page limit. Images must be clearly referenced in the text and have caption with text 10pt font or larger.
- Please use the set section headers. If you have content that does not fit within the headers, include it in an appendix.