Technology Transfer Roundtable at Sandia National Laboratories

Our Center for Collaboration and Commercialization concept, right here in the Science & Technology Park, will be the public face for Sandia to provide easier access and build links to the community. We care about the community we live in and care about getting our technology out for the public good. - Jill Hruby, Sandia President and Laboratories Director

Expanding technology transfer so that innovations built at our national labs can move into the marketplace will create new jobs in New Mexico, grow our economy, and broaden access to ideas that improve our everyday lives. - U.S. Senator Tom Udall

Tech transfer must be a primary mission of DOE and NNSA. Spinout companies should be the norm, not the exception. It not only helps the state but is of enormous benefit to the nation. - U.S. Senator Martin Heinrich

Technology transfer is essential to making sure that America’s economy thrives and succeeds. - U.S. Senator Barbara A. Mikulski

Tech transfer is a mission of the DOE at all our national labs. The office is trying to make the handoff of early stage science and hope the private sector commercializes it. - Jetta Wong, DOE Acting Director for Technology Transitions

Left to right: Jetta Wong, DOE Acting Director for Technology Transitions, U.S. Senator Barbara Mikulski, U.S. Senator Tom Udall, and U.S. Senator Martin Heinrich.

U.S. Senator Tom Udall, U.S. Senator Barbara Mikulski, and Jill Hruby, Sandia President and Laboratories Director, listen to small businesses present on technology transfer successes.

Judy Beckes-Talcott  
President  
Aquila

Dr. Todd Christenson  
CTO and President  
HT MicroAnalytical, Inc.

Dr. Murat Okandan  
Founder  
mPower Technology

Dr. Daniel Neal  
Research Fellow  
Abbott Medical Optics
RECENT EVENTS

Manufacturing Day at the Park
Air Products & Chemicals, TEAM Technologies, and The QC Group, located in the SS&TP, hosted a private tour of their facilities for 50 enthusiastic students from the Technology Leadership High School, also located in the Park. These companies participated in "Manufacturing Day", sponsored by the New Mexico Manufacturing Extension Partnership (New Mexico MEP). The purpose of this annual event is to highlight manufacturing, local companies, and the people working in the manufacturing industry. It’s a nationwide push to enhance public knowledge of the value of manufacturing to our economy.

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

ATA Aerospace Wins NASA Contract
ATA Aerospace recently won a five-year contract worth up to $505 million with NASA’s Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC) to provide engineering and related services to the Mechanical Systems Division (MSD) of the Applied Engineering and Technology Directorate (AETD) in support of a broad range of technical research and development activities. These activities include the formulation, development, integration and operation of space flight and ground systems that support GSFC’s science missions. ATA Aerospace is a joint venture between Applied Technology Associates (ATA), located in the SS&TP, and Maryland-based ASRC Federal Space and Defense.

CALENDAR

Nov. 7 Atomic STEaM Photography Show winning entries are on display at the National Museum of Nuclear Science & History. Exhibit runs through January 3.

Nov. 11 “Science Is Everywhere” day camp at the National Museum of Nuclear Science & History