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# Outline

- Manufacturing Demonstration Facility Overview
- Development and Deployment of Advanced Manufacturing Technology
  - Technology Development
  - Deployment to Industry
- Outreach/Community Engagement
  - Industry (workshops, exec. summits)
  - Internships
  - Workforce Development
- Summary

# MDF supports AMO's mission

## DOE-AMO Mission

- **Develop and demonstrate new, energy-efficient processing and materials**
  - broadly applicable
  - improved products and reduced lifecycle energy consumption
- **Technical assistance to**
  - promote use of advanced technologies
  - capture U.S. competitive advantage in clean energy manufacturing



### **Manufacturing Matters**

- **12.5% of U.S. GDP**
- **12 million U.S. jobs**
- **70% of U.S. engineering and science jobs**
- **75% of U.S. Exports**
- **17% of the world's manufacturing output**
- **25% of US energy use**

# Manufacturing Demonstration Facility

*A public-private partnership to engage industry with national labs*



## Core Research and Development

- R&D in materials, systems, and computational applications to develop broad dissemination of additive manufacturing

## Industry Collaborations

- Cooperative research to develop and demonstrate advanced manufacturing to industry in energy related fields

## Education and Training

- Internships, academic collaborations, workshops, training programs, and course curriculum for universities and community colleges.



# Leveraging ORNL's Science and Manufacturing Capabilities

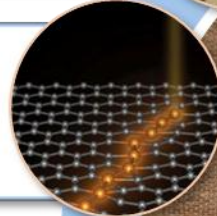
## Neutron scattering: SNS and HFIR

- World's most intense pulsed neutron beams
- World's highest flux reactor-based neutron source



## Leadership-class computing: Titan

- Nation's most powerful open science supercomputer



## Advanced materials

- DOE lead lab for basic to applied materials R&D
- Technology transfer: Billion dollar impacts



## Advanced manufacturing

- Novel materials
- Advanced processing



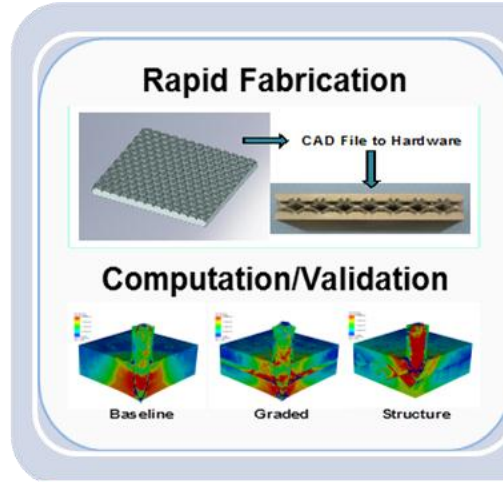
# Understanding Additive Manufacturing

Mainstream applications and beyond



## Direct Fabrication

- Complex shapes or designs only possible from additive manufacturing
- High yields for specialty materials
- Improved production time



## Prototyping and ICME

- Using additive and computation to simulate and experimentally validate design
- Can provide structural or functional data rapidly
- Final part may be conventionally fabricated



## Tooling & Indirect Fabrication

- 37% of tool and die business closed within the last decade
- Long lead times for tooling and dies
- Costly and timely repair or refabrication of tooling

# Transition to Mainstream Manufacturing

The global manufacturing R&D community is moving rapidly forward on a broad front to develop AM and realize its economic benefits.

**Europe** 2007-2013: >60 projects on AM technologies, total budget of ~**€225 million**.



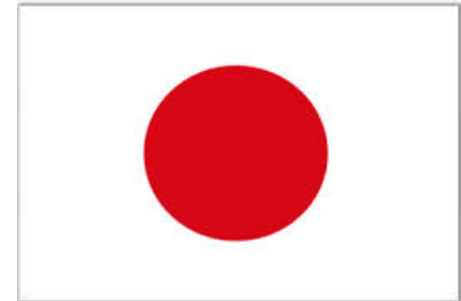
Source: Report from the EC Workshop on Additive Manufacturing, 18 June 2014

**China** Next 7 years: 1.5 billion yuan (**\$245 million**) project to boost development of additive manufacturing.



Source: Wohlers Report

**Japan** 2014: 4 billion yen (**\$38.6 million**) in funding 3D printing projects.



Source: IHS Market Insight Report. "Asia investing heavily in 3D printing technology" Alex Chausovsky. July 14, 2014.



# AM is an exciting, high-potential technology that is in the embryonic stage of development

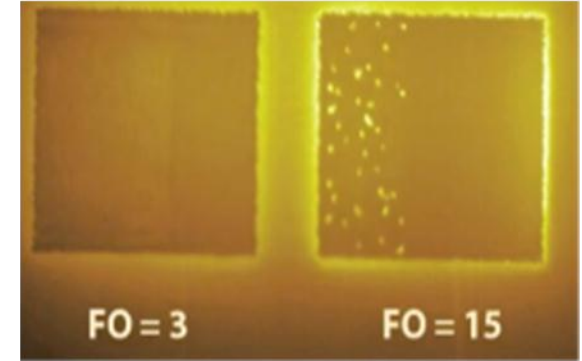
Warping in Conventional Materials



Columnar Grain Growth



Porosity Due to Focus Offset Values



## Challenges with additive manufacturing technologies and deployment include

### Materials

- Costly Material Feedstocks
- Limited Materials
- No AM Developed Materials
- Required Materials Specifications & Practices

### Process Limits

- Limited Sensor Employment
- No Closed Loop Control
- Slow Processing
- Limitations in Build Volumes
- Post-Processing Required

### Reliability

- High Variability
- Lack of Understanding On How Local Microstructure Impacts Properties
- Warping
- Anisotropic Properties

*Most companies do not have the background and resources required to mature the technologies or commercialize additive manufactured components.*



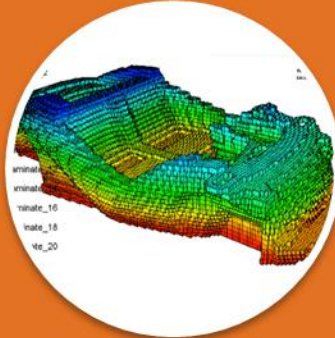
# R&D to enable broader AM application

ORNL is working to understand challenges and accelerate technology implementation



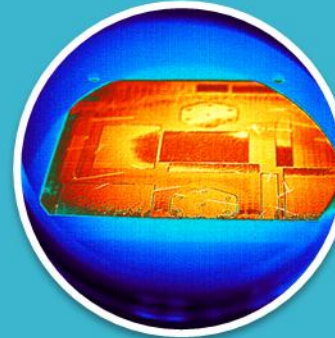
## Improved and AM-Specific Materials Development

- High Temperature Applications
- Light Weighting
- Bio Derived Materials
- Functional Materials



## AM Process Science

- Material Property Dependency on Process Inputs
- Computational Framework for Data Visualization and Analytics
- Topology optimization for AM



## Process Characterization for Qualification

- In-Situ Non-Destructive Evaluation
- Neutron Diffraction and Imaging
- Coupling to National Laboratory Network



## Exploring Next-Generation Systems

- Bigger, Faster, Cheaper, & Better
- Integrating the Supply Chain
- Working with Current and Future Equipment Developers

Integrated Process and Material Understanding

# Supporting Industry and R&D with a Wide Range of AM Capabilities

Electron Beam Melting



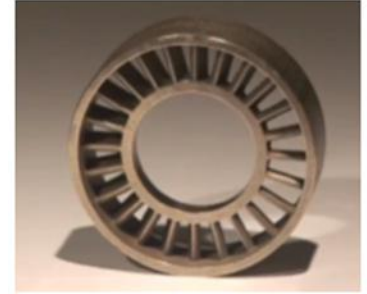
Laser Sintering



Laser Blown Powder Deposition



Binder Jetting



Fused Deposition Modeling



Multi-head Photopolymer



Large-Scale Polymer Deposition



Future Systems

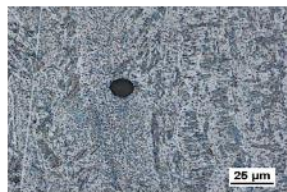




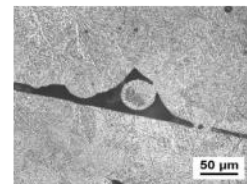
# Developing the Powder Characteristics Required for Powder Bed Technologies



Powder Induced Porosity

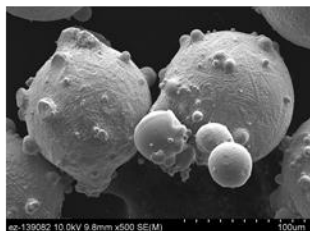


Process Induced Defects

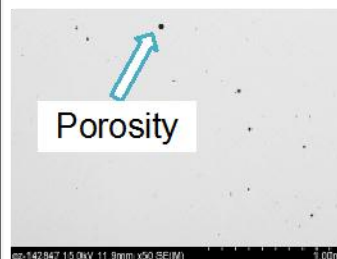
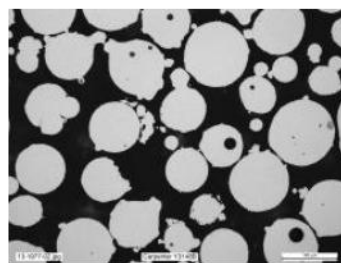


Powder

As Deposited

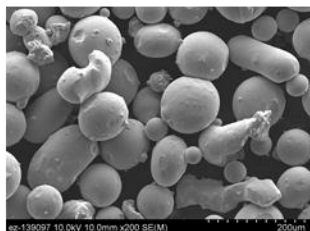


Gas Atomized

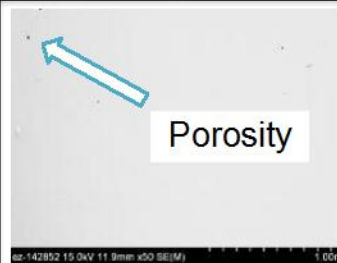
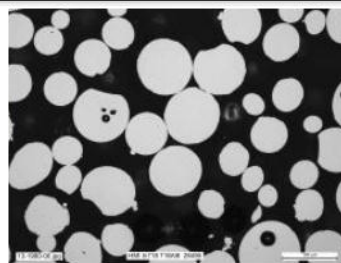


Porosity in Powder = 0.873%

Porosity in Deposit = 0.117%

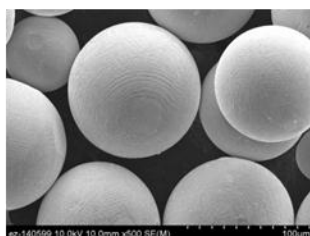


Rotary Atomized

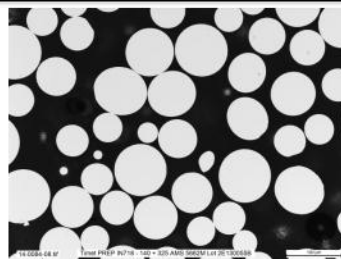


Porosity in Powder = 0.491%

Porosity in Deposit = 0.037%



Plasma Rotated Electrode



Porosity in Powder = 0.000%

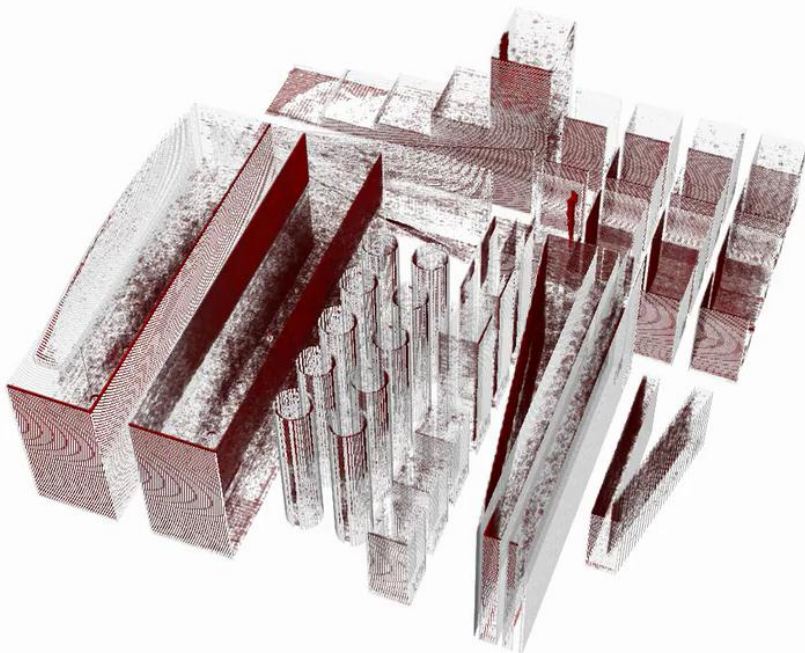
Porosity in Deposit = 0.000%

# Improved Porosity Detection in Electron Beam Deposition

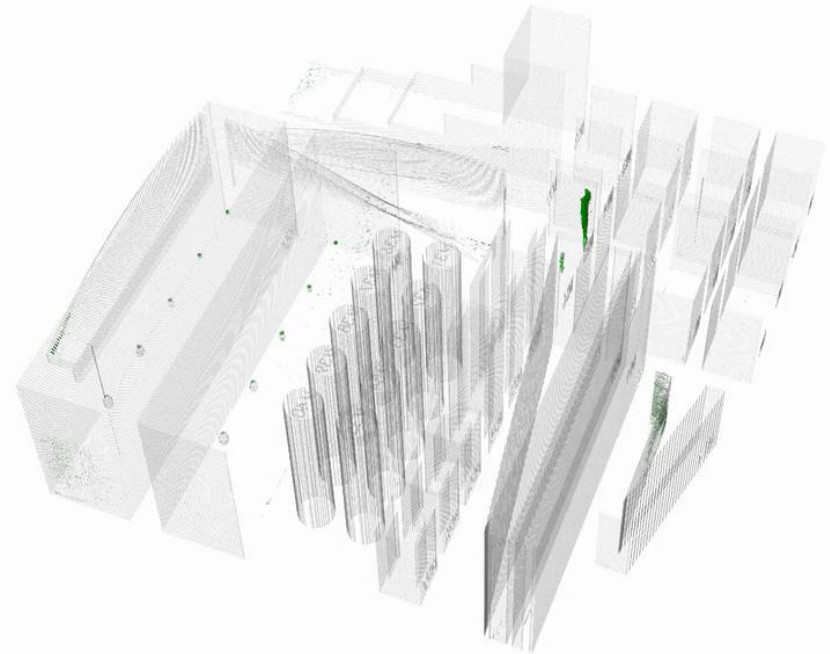
- ORNL developed graphical user interface working with Arcam Layer CAM
  - Edge detection significantly improves results for porosity detection
  - ORNL software will be publically available
- Developments in Continuous In-Situ NDE Using Infrared
  - Both porosity and temperature measurements



Shutter system inside chamber to eliminate metallization build up during processing



Initial algorithm with no edge detection



Now algorithm WITH ORNL edge detection



# ORNL research reveals unique capabilities of 3D printing

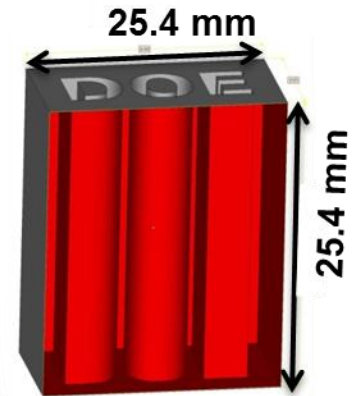
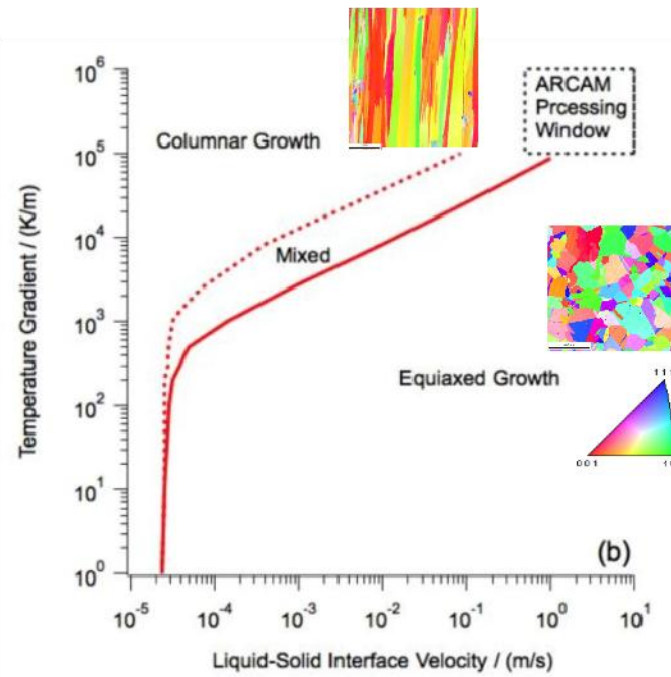
*“ORNL’s EBM Discovery ‘Potentially the Most Important Development in Metal Additive Manufacturing’ to Date.”*

*-Brian Krassenstein, 3dprint.com Oct. 2014*



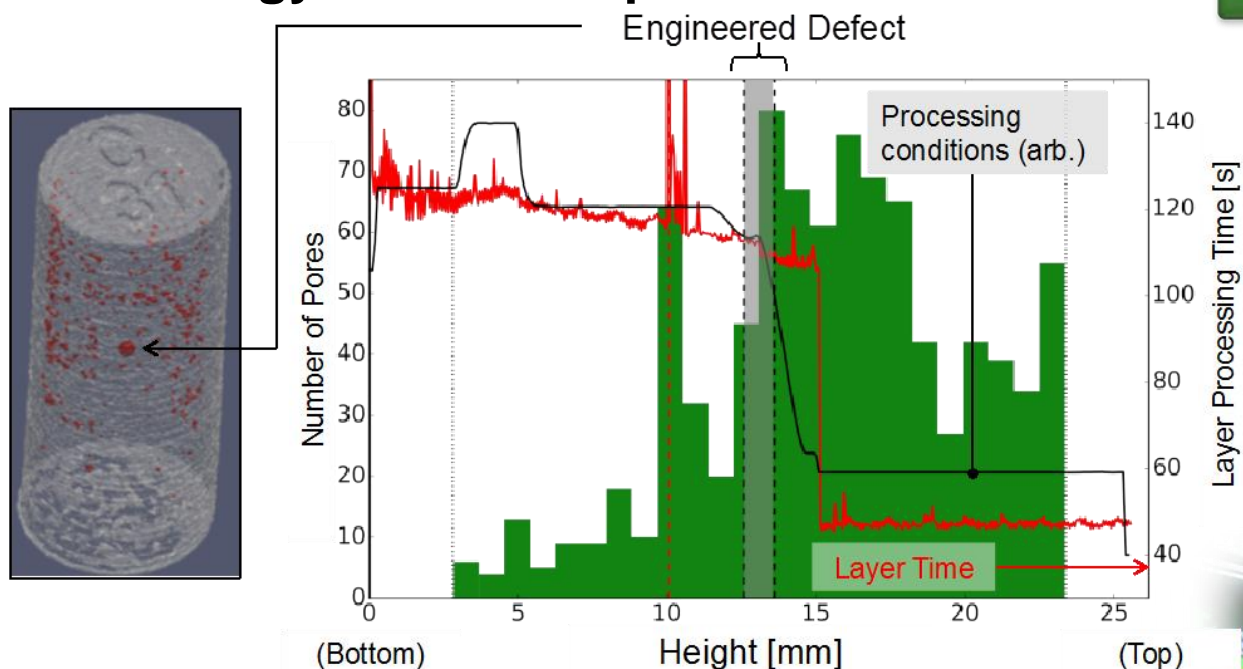
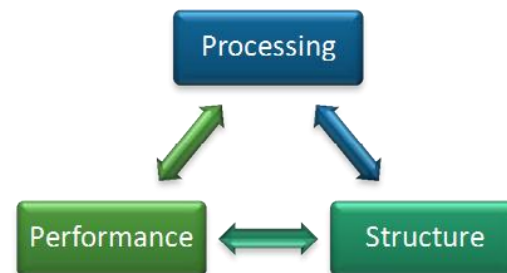
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MS&T Last 3 Months**

**Downloaded Over 1,100 Times**

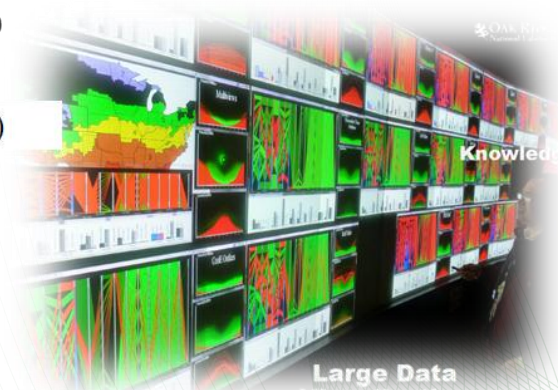


# Large data analysis is path to AM process qualification

## Collaboration with AFRL to develop certification methodology for AM components



Anomaly/interruption: Execution ↔ Outcome correlation  
Late stage porosity: Planning ↔ Outcome



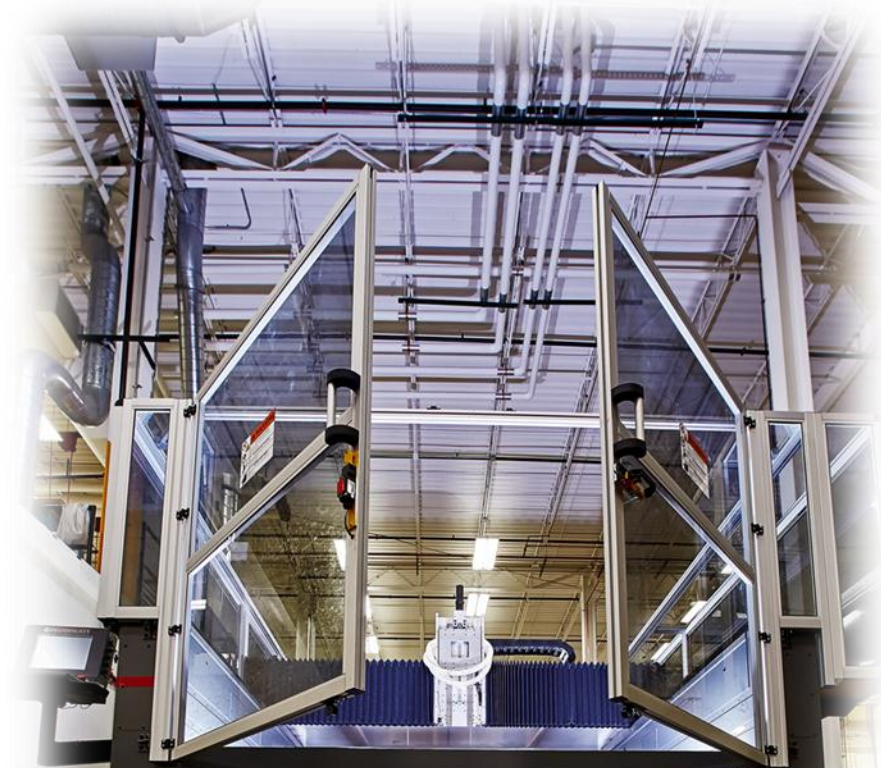
Large Data



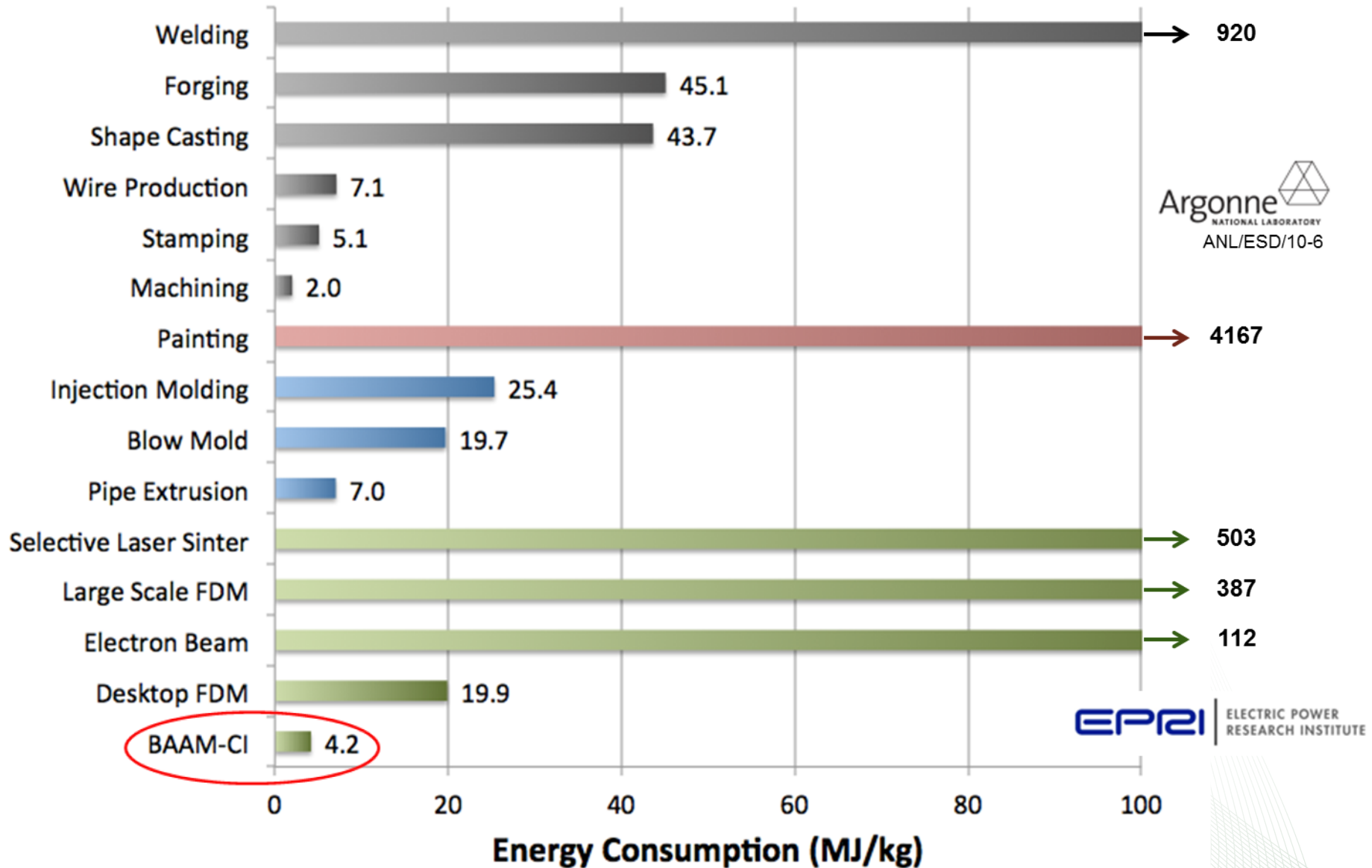
# Big Area Additive Manufacturing (BAAM)

*Bigger, Faster, Cheaper, Better*

- **Large Scale Printers**
  - Prototype system 8'x8'x8' build volume
  - Cincinnati System 6'x12'x1.5' build volume
  - The New System 8'x20'x6'
- **Fast Deposition Rates** (~10 to 80 lbs/hr)
  - 100X to 1000X commercial systems
  - FDM is 1 to 4 ci/hr vs. BAAM up to 1,000 ci/hr
  - Extruder continuously evolving
- **Cheaper Feedstocks: Pellet-to-Part**
  - Pelletized feed replaces filament to enable 50x reduction in material cost
- **Better Materials: Carbon or Glass Fiber Reinforced Polymers**
  - Ever growing selection of materials (i.e., ABS, Ultem, PEEK, PEKK, PLA, PPS, etc.)
  - Growing assortment of reinforcing materials



# Energy Intensity of Manufacturing

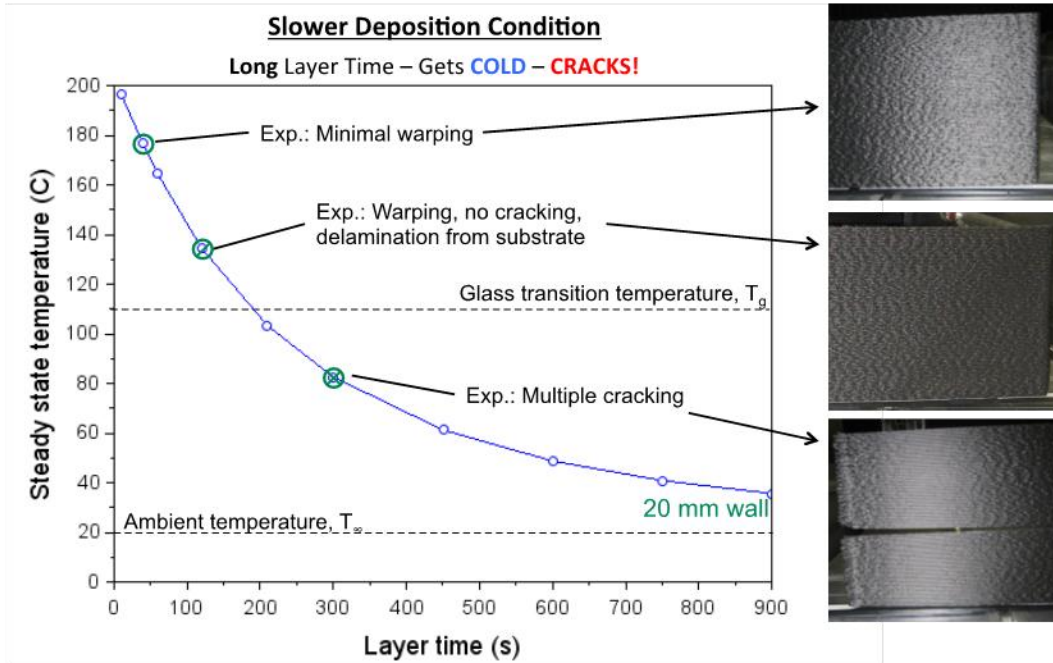




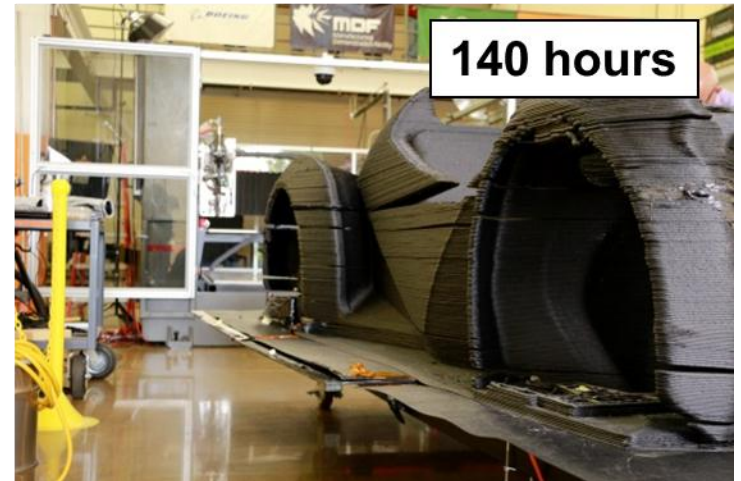
# Computation and Technology Advances to Enable Printing



45.2 lb/hr



15.9 lb/hr



# End Result: First 3D Printed Car Built in Less Than a Week



114,000 attendees

**CINCINNATI**  
CINCINNATI INCORPORATED

**LM**  
LOCAL MOTORS

Print time = 44 hrs  
Print rate = ~35 lbs/h  
Print weight = ~1600 lbs  
Total weight = ~2000 lbs





# 3D Finite Element Model

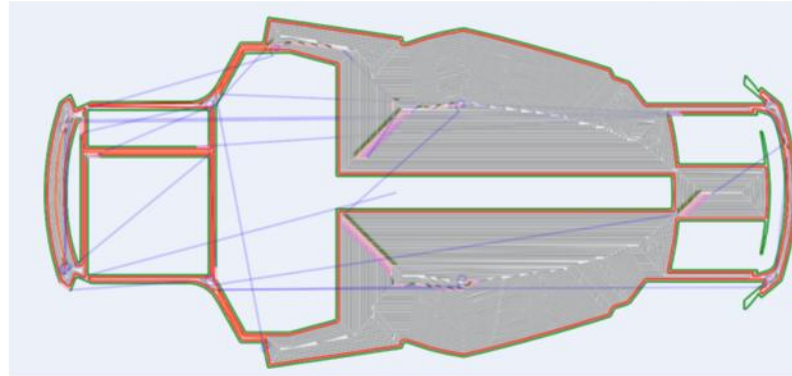
## Big Area Additive Manufacturing



3D Model

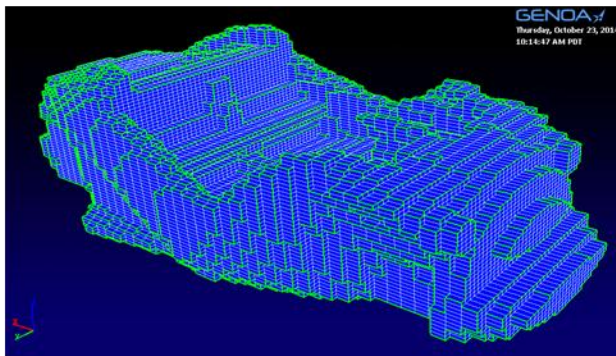


BAAM Print Parameters

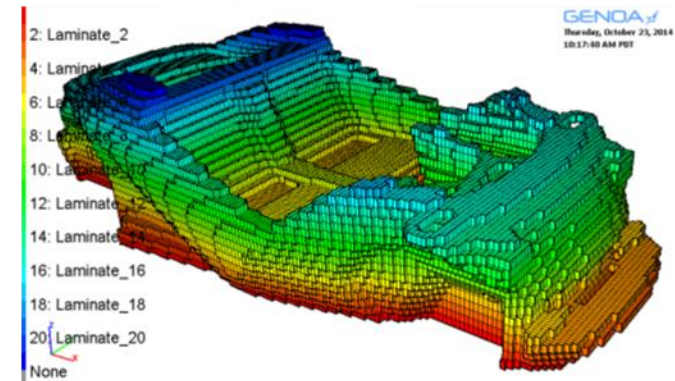


Tool Path Generation

Automated  
Finite Element Mesh



Process &  
Damage Analysis



# Ever Growing Partnerships: Integrating the AM Supply Chain

## Materials Suppliers



## Equipment Suppliers



## End Users





# Arcam collaboration has yielded measurable outcomes



July 2012



## ORNL, Arcam sign CRADA

*to improve process reliability, develop in-situ process monitoring and closed loop control, expand materials systems, increase deposition rate, and increase build volume of the Electron Beam Melting (EBM) technology*

Feb 2013



## Arcam and DiSanto Technology (Shelton, CT) sign Strategic Alliance

*to accelerate market adoption and penetration of commercially manufactured, finished EBM-based implants and components.*

June 2014



## Arcam launches Nickel Base Superalloy process for 3D printing

*The Inconel process is "initially" available for its A2X platform. Arcam's A2X is highly suited for processing high temperature materials and is used for aerospace applications.*

June 2015



## 50% Arcam employees now in North America

- Recent acquisition of DiSanto and AP&C
- North American technical lead resident at MDF
- Dramatic expansion of installed EBM systems at aerospace, NNSA and medical device companies

# The Strati

## World's First 3D Printed Car



Dec 2013



**ORNL, Local Motors sign CRADA**  
to produce the world's first production 3D printed vehicle

June 2014



**Local Motors opens location in Knoxville, TN**

Sept 2014



**Strati car printed live at IMTS Show**  
on BAAM system

Jan 2015



**Local Motors announces two micro-factories at Detroit Auto Show**  
to be located in Knoxville, TN and National Harbor, DC

May 2015



**Local Motors breaks ground on Knoxville micro-factory**  
co-locates with MDF

### Media Mentions

for Aug 29-Sept 12, 2014

- 227 articles
- 77 online
- 100 social media
- 50 broadcast

National and International coverage!



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# BAAM

## World's Largest 3D Printer

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CINCINNATI INCORPORATED



**BAAM**CI  
BIG AREA ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING

Feb 2014



**ORNL, Cincinnati sign CRADA**  
*to develop commercial large-scale additive manufacturing (BAAM) system*

Sept 2014



• **Strati car printed live at IMTS Show**  
*on BAAM system*



• **CINCINNATI sells first BAAM beta system**

Mar 2015



**Cincinnati delivers next-generation BAAM system to MDF**



 **OAK RIDGE**  
National Laboratory



# ORNL prints iconic Shelby Cobra

50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary | 3D Printed, All-Electric

Nov 2014



## ORNL drives innovation

*to design, print, build, and finish a fully functional car in only 6 weeks!*

## Media Mentions

*for January 8-22, 2015*

- 15 TV News clips
- 425 direct mentions
- 205,628 YouTube views since January

*National and International coverage!*

Jan 2015



## President Obama and VP Biden briefed on printed Shelby Cobra

*at Techmer in Clinton, TN during the Composites Institute announcement*

## Next day, arrives for Detroit Auto Show



Feb 2015



## Shelby goes on the road; receives impressive demand

Apr 2015



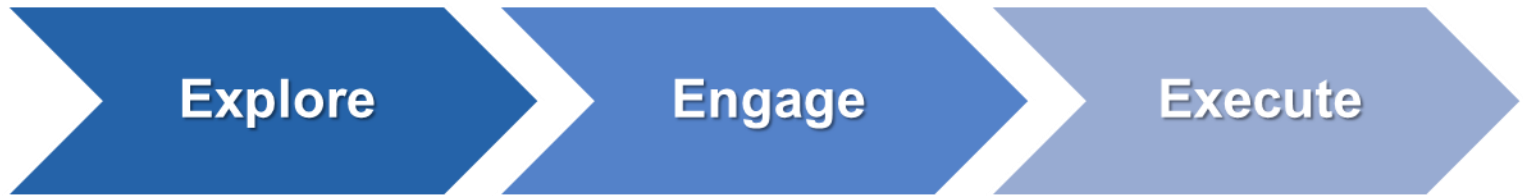
## Energy Secretary Moniz takes Shelby for spin in DC

## Quick Facts

- 29 stops confirmed so far
- \$62,000 transportation costs paid by companies for car appearances
- >56 requests, to date

# Technical Collaborations Program

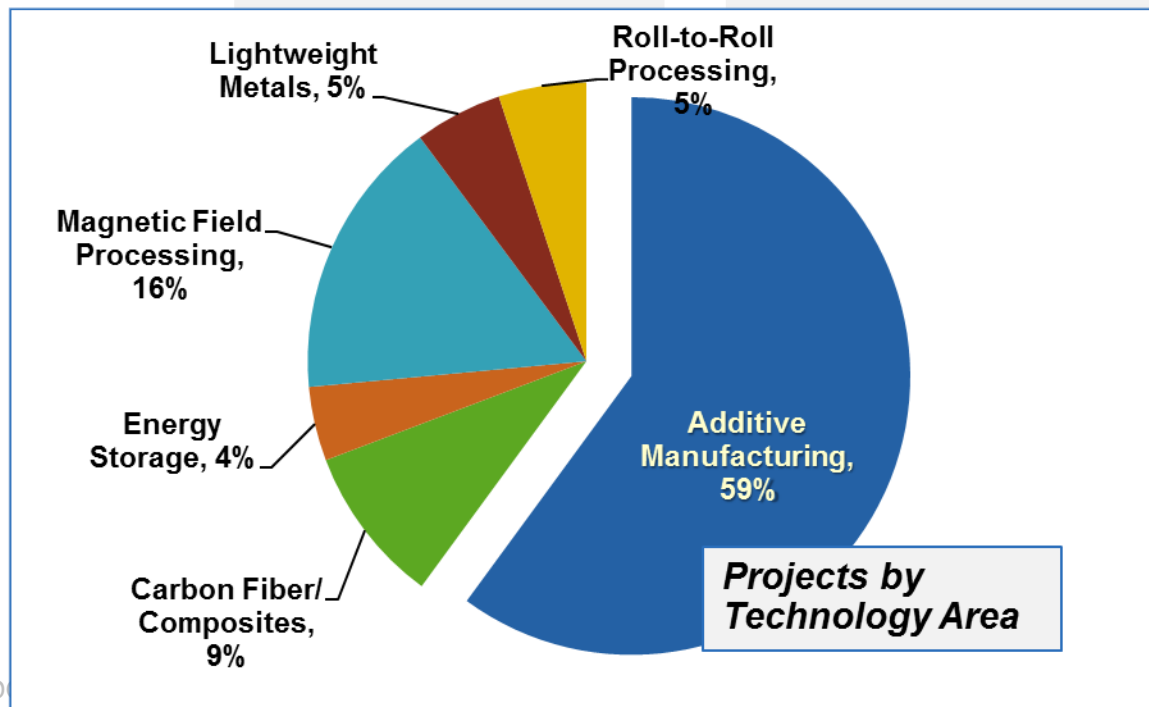
## The MDF Model



- Opportunity for industry to discover and apply new manufacturing technologies

- Work with MDF staff to develop scope of work

- Simplified on-line application
- Phase 1 \$40K, Phase 2 \$200K
- 1:1 Cost Match
- ~90-day cycle time from review to a signed agreement



# Engaging with industry across the nation



## Company Size

- 42 small, medium
- 24 large

## Quick Facts

- ~60 active projects across 24+ industry sectors
- ~20 proposals pending agreement
- Working with other National Labs



# Working with Industry

>8000 Visitors  
>1400  
Organizations

41 WFO

*Work for Others*

129 NDAs

*Non-Disclosure  
Agreement*

We partner extensively with industry to enable demonstration of next-generation materials and manufacturing technologies for advancing the US industrial economy.

>38 CRADAs

*Cooperative Research &  
Development Agreement*

27 MOUs

*Memorandum of  
Understanding*

17 UFAs

*User Facility Agreement*

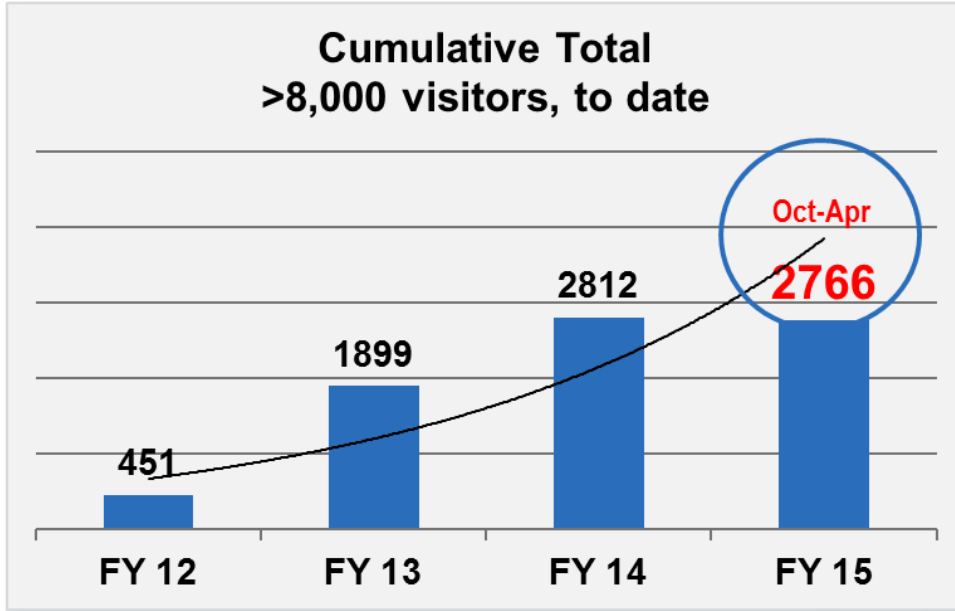
13 MTAs

*Material Transfer  
Agreement*





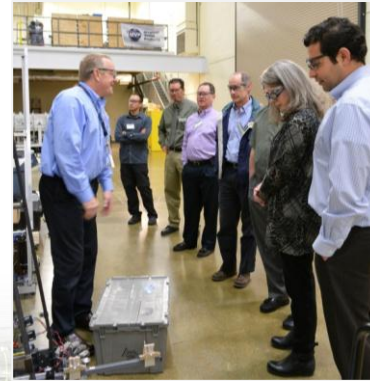
# Interest in the MDF continues to grow!



Building Envelopes Workshop



NASA



Cummins



Society of Women Engineers

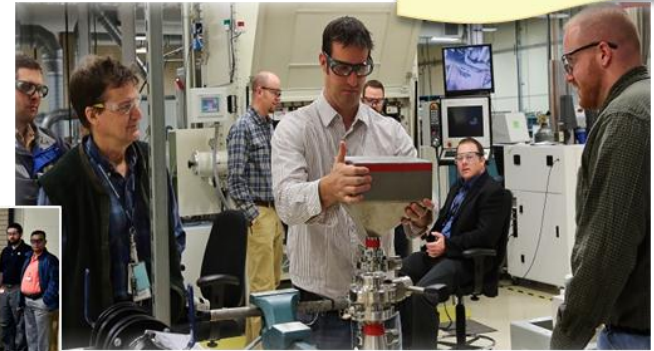


# Training and Education for Industry

FY15  
Activities

## Industrial Executive Meetings

- Cummins Annual Technical Meeting
- Honda Global Cooperative Summit



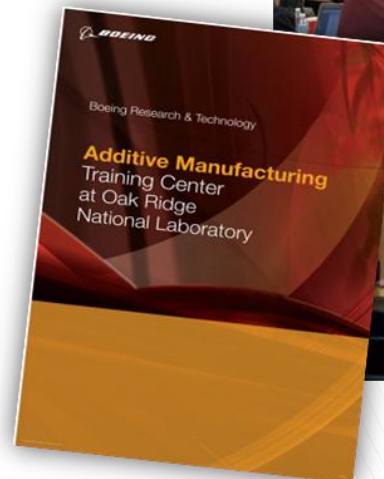
## MDF Workshops

- NASA AM Meeting
- Advanced Simulation for AM
- Army Additive Manufacturing
- **EWI** AM Consortium 2015
- Fuel Cell and Building Technologies for AM
- Neutron Characterization for AM
- AM for Small Modular Hydropower, planned for August



## Corporate Training

- Boeing pilots training program at MDF (Dec 2014, May 2015)
- Deloitte Free Online Class in AM for business leaders





# Industry Fellows and Interns

Engaging Industry, Academia and National Labs

David Dietrich



Jonaaron Jones



Frank Medina



Roger England



James Earle



David Riha



Kurtis Hodge



Sid Palas



Sergey Mironets



Bradley Jared



Eddie Schwalbach



Kelly Thompson



Lance Hall



(20)  
The University  
of Tennessee



(12)  
High School

# RAMP-UP

## Research for Additive Manufacturing Program – University Partnerships

New!  
April 2015

FedBizOps

solicitation#  
ORNL-MDF-2015-3

- Up to 10 awards for university professors and student support
- Aligned with MDF core research in additive manufacturing
- 15 applications from 9 universities rec'd in first 2 weeks of announcement

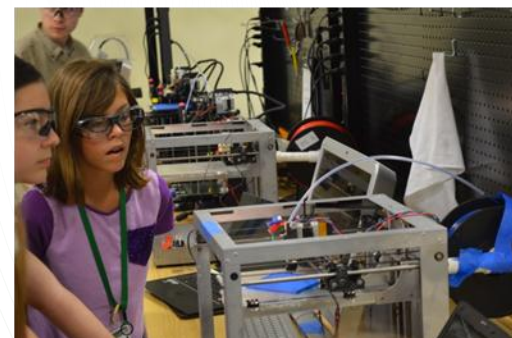
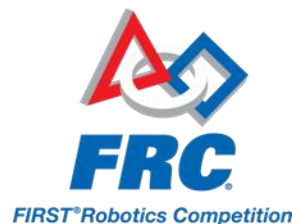


# STEM

## Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics

FY15  
Activities

- **2015 FIRST Robotics, Lego League student teams**
  - >750 students, 26 teams FRC
  - 30 students, 3 teams FLL
- **80 students for summer 2015**
  - 50 Students Summer of 2014
  - Teams of 5 Take on Projects
  - High School to Graduate Students
  - Projects Include Prosthetics, Robotic Design, Software for AM, Efficient Propeller Design, etc.





# MDF hosts EERE Advanced Manufacturing Internship



- Six week program with classroom and laboratory training
- Core competencies: introduction to materials, design for advanced manufacturing, printers and fabrication, titanium and ABS Plastics, and carbon fiber



**Pilot launch: 120 inquiries, 73 applications, 25 internships**

15 Army, Navy, or Marine veterans, 3 active duty personnel, 2 reservists, 3 FIRST Robotics students, and 2 undergraduate engineering students

*outcome*

**18 job offers extended from 5 companies**





# Making News

727 direct media mentions, so far in FY15



BAAM CI @BAAM\_CINCINNATI · Apr 13  
 Awesome @ORN video of the team of @ORNLMDF and @CINCINNATI\_INC creating BAAM 3D Printer. [youtu.be/3ijVbjgxCLY](https://youtu.be/3ijVbjgxCLY)



## BBC

"The result is stunning and difficult to tell from a car in a more convention way from formed steel body panels..." - BBC, *The dawn of the plastic car?*

## POPULAR SCIENCE



## THE HUFFINGTON POST

## SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN™

## Harvard Business Review



## MAKE BETTER DECISIONS

How to outsmart your biases and broaden your thinking PAGE 51



"...besides being a cool car, it's a great example of how a hub like this operates." - President Obama, January 9, 2015



Science Channel @ScienceChannel · Apr 14  
 Learn why the Department of Energy is making 3D printed cars like this Shelby Cobra. Is manufacturing change forever?  
[ow.ly/LAXER](http://ow.ly/LAXER)



"The best way to see the future is to peek over the balcony above the entrance of a manufacturing floor."  
 - NPR, JOE PALCA



ORNL Manufacturing retweeted  
 Jonathan P Scott @jonathanpscott · Apr 29  
 @SSYS\_Milwaukee You should have seen the presentation from @ChadDuty1 of #ORNL at #COE2015. His topics were game-changers in additive mfg.

AMC Meeting at Oak Ridge National Laboratory – Time Well Spent

By Jesse Bonfeld on Wednesday, February 25th, 2015

# Engagement in the National Manufacturing Institutes

## Additive Manufacturing



**America Makes**

National Additive Manufacturing Innovation Institute

- **Gold Member**
- **Proposal development and collaborations with members**
- **Portal for DOE Nat'l Labs**
- **Attendance at all review Meetings**
- **Joint initiatives (e.g., 3D printers for FIRST)**

## Lightweight Metals



LIGHTWEIGHT INNOVATIONS  
FOR TOMORROW

- **Powder pillar technology lead**
- **Joint Faculty Appointment with the University of Tennessee**
- **Potential for collaboration with other DOE Nat'l Labs**

## Composites



- **Founding Member**
- **Tennessee Composite Materials & Process Technology Lead**
- **Shared space and capabilities**





# Developing an AM Ecosystem



# Looking ahead

- AM is an exciting, high-potential technology that is in the embryonic stage of development
- To date the MDF has effectively demonstrated the potential of AM and is beginning to develop process and materials capabilities.
- Much work remains to transform AM into a viable manufacturing technology. The global manufacturing R&D community is moving rapidly forward on a broad front to develop AM and realize its economic benefits.