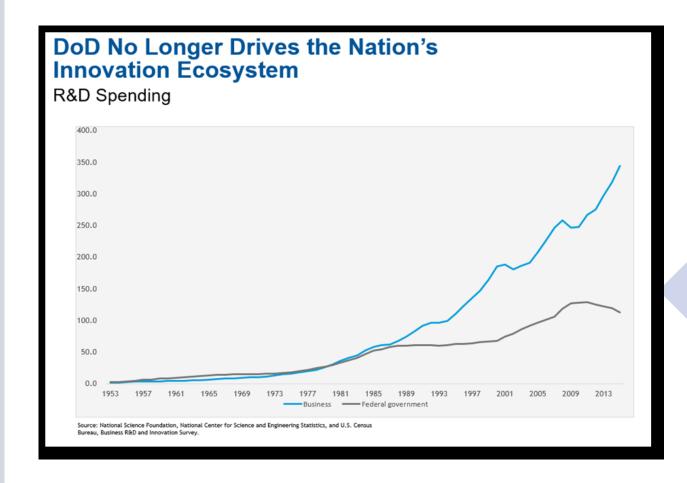


# More Agile Innovation is Critical



Keep Pace with the Speed of Innovation

Rapidly
Changing
Combat
Environment

Regain Ground on Fielding Technology

Leverage Commercial Applications

"I realize that doing business with DOD is not always easy."

Deputy Secretary of Defense Kathleen Hicks



# Central Florida Ecosystem

#### Community (DoD lead)

- Governed by Charter and CONOPS
- Collaborating and sharing Government focused information and ideas at the executive and senior leader level

Capability

**CONOPS** 

environment

innovation level

Governed by PIA and

Physical and virtual

Collaborating at a tech

TECH GROVE





# **TECH BRIDGE**

#### Enabler

- Governed by NavalX -ASN RD&A
- **Provides** connectivity/support to other Navy ecosystems, SMEs and barrier removers
- Node on the Network

# Southern Maryland Ecosystem



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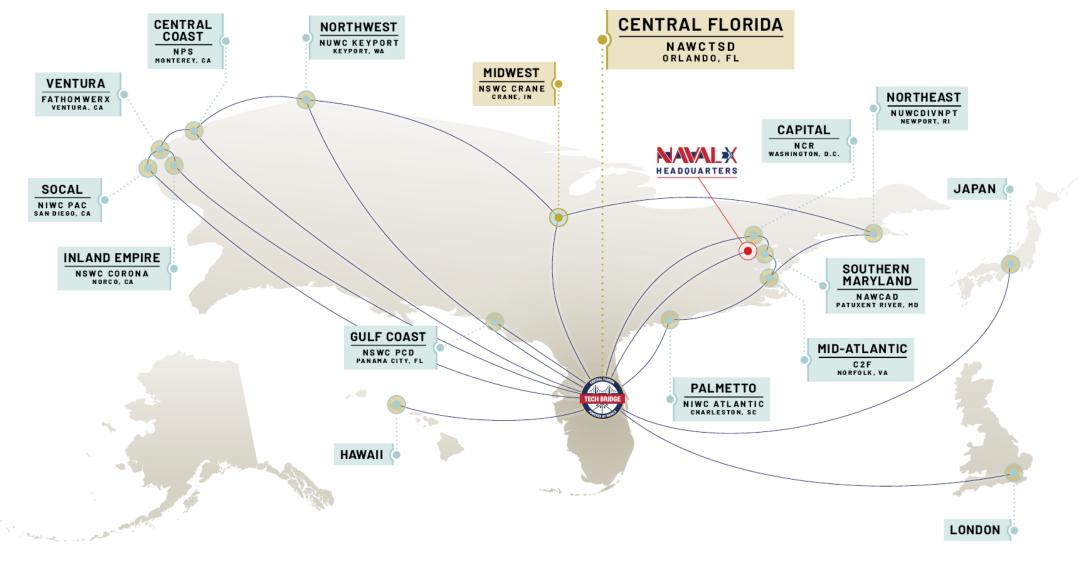


- Governed by PIA and CONOPS
- Southern MD TechPort
- Industry/academia engagement
- Physical and virtual environment collaborating at a tech innovation level















# Central Florida Tech Grove

An innovation partnership specifically created to foster collaboration and acceleration of novel Modeling, Simulation, Training & Human Performance technology transfer solutions for our national security members and increase the Defense Industry Base (DIB)















### Innovate. Collaborate. Accelerate.



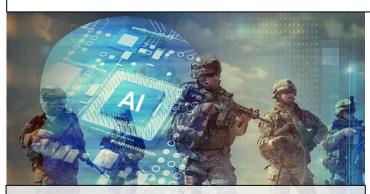


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# Modeling, Simulation & Training Focus

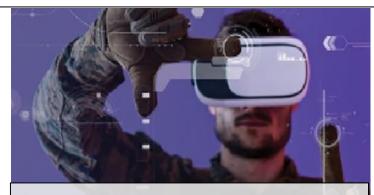
#### **HUMAN PERFORMANCE**

#### **CYBERSECURITY**



#### AI - HMI

Uncovering and adapting Artificial Intelligence (AI) innovations that unlock and enhance human-machine interactions



#### XR - VR/AR

Improving human performance with use of advanced XR technology, 5G networking & enhancing integration of systems



#### LVC - STE

Expanding the adoption of Live, Virtual & Constructive (LVC) and Synthetic Training Environment (STE) tools and solutions

Virtual, Augmented & Mixed Reality Optics & Photonics

Al/Machine Learning

**Cyber Security** 

**Instructional Systems Design** 

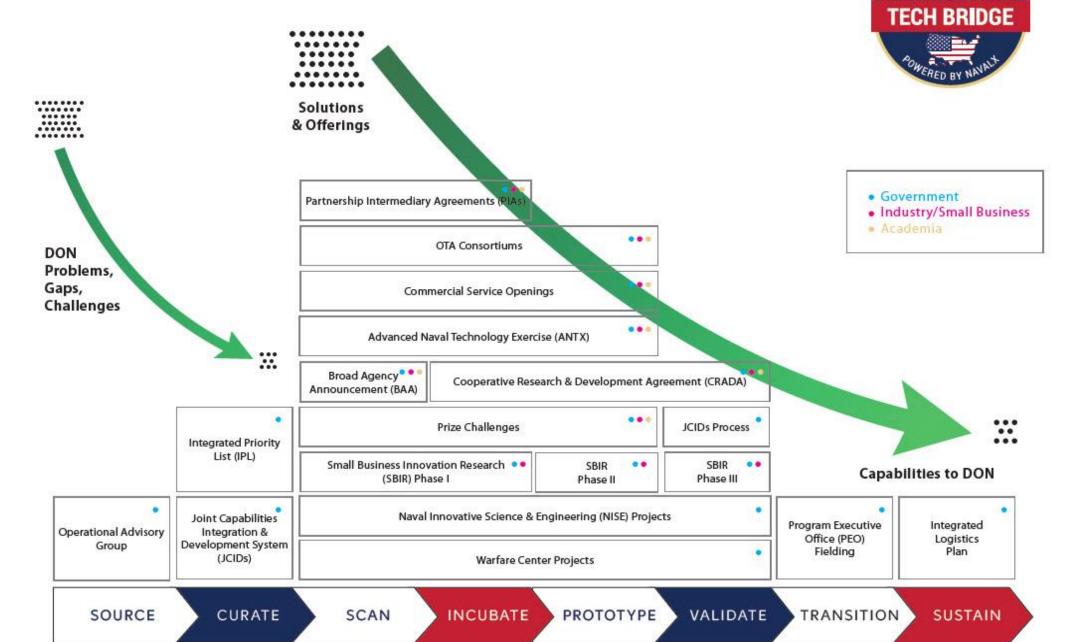
Autonomous Systems
Systems Engineering
Human Factors

Sensors
Data Sciences
5G Applications
Team Performance

Game development
Medical simulation
Learning sciences
Cognitive Sciences

Human Performance
Psychology
Computer Science
All Engineering areas

# Innovation Pipeline Vehicles





# **Example of Accelerating Capabilities**











Curate Problem set from Fleet customer

Technology Scan and Industry Day Experimentation or Prize Challenge

**IMPAX** 

NASC OT Prototyping Effort Fleet Experimentation or Evaluation NAVAIR Program Office fields capability and sustainment

SOURCE

CURATE

SCAN

**INCUBATE** 

PROTOTYPE

VALIDATE

TRANSITION

SUSTAIN

# Team Orlando Successes

- Increase the DIB Events, Comms & Colab
  - Connect Webinar Series
  - Juice Bar Small Business Topics
  - SBIR Partnership Showcase
  - Game Jam
  - STARBASE Central Florida
- T2 Innovation Cells
  - LVCDOC
  - Cyber Red Zone Range
  - AR/VR Buffet
  - Pilot Training Next (PTN)
  - MRTS 3D®
- Hard Problems Problem Grove
  - Hacking 4 Defense
  - NSIN (internships, problem solving, hire-a-thon
  - Armed Forces Jam
  - Workforce Development
  - Collaborative Project Orders



#### Workforce Development

- TOPS- Design Thinking Events
- APx Cultivate, Learn, Identify, Broaden
- Other Transaction Authority (OTA)

#### Talent Pipeline

- Team Orlando STEM
- Gains in Education and Math (GEMs) Camp
- STARBASE Central Florida





Opportunities to Engage in Southern Maryland

NAWCAD Industry Day 4/20 TB Network Industry Eastern NC Industry Day – 4/27 Days Maritime Search & Rescue UAS **AirWorks** Challenge Upcoming helmet related technologies – Summer 2022 **Prize Challenges** • SBIR: 25+ - Pre-Release 4/20/22 • STTR: 8 – Pre-Release 4/20/22 SBIR 22.2 Topics www.NAVYSBIR.com ANTEX 22 Experimentation & BWUAS Challenge Demonstration https://IMPAX.tech



Check out NAWCAD's Patent Portfolio





# Opportunities to Engage in Central Florida



# **TSIS**

Training and Simulation Industry Symposium



Procurement Administrative Lead Time

**GS15** 

Team Orlando Small Business Roundtable

GS14

Acquisition Process Exchange



# I/ITSEC

Interservice/Industry Training Simulation and **Education Conference** 

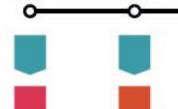


Industry Capability Day





OCT NOV DEC



FEB

JAN



MAR



APR



MAY



JUN



JUL



AUG



SEP







# Opportunities to Engage in Central Florida

#### Monthly:

2<sup>nd</sup> Wed: Project 160/Tech Grove Juice Bar

2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs: NTSA/Tech Grove Connect Webinar

#### Quarterly:

28 Apr - Tech Grove Mixology - "Al in Training"

25 May - Innovation Showcase Day – "Al in Training"

#### Semi-annual:

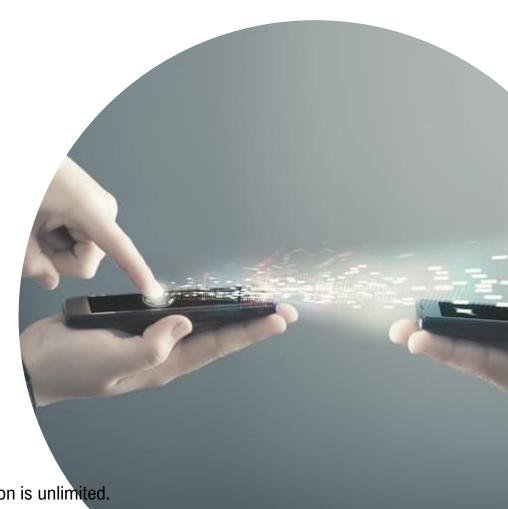
27 Jul - University DOD IP Showcase

3 Aug - Project 160 Lab Expo

#### Annual:

23 Jun - Team Orlando SBIR/STTR Partnership Day

Sept – Armed Forces Jam



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# Let's Connect!



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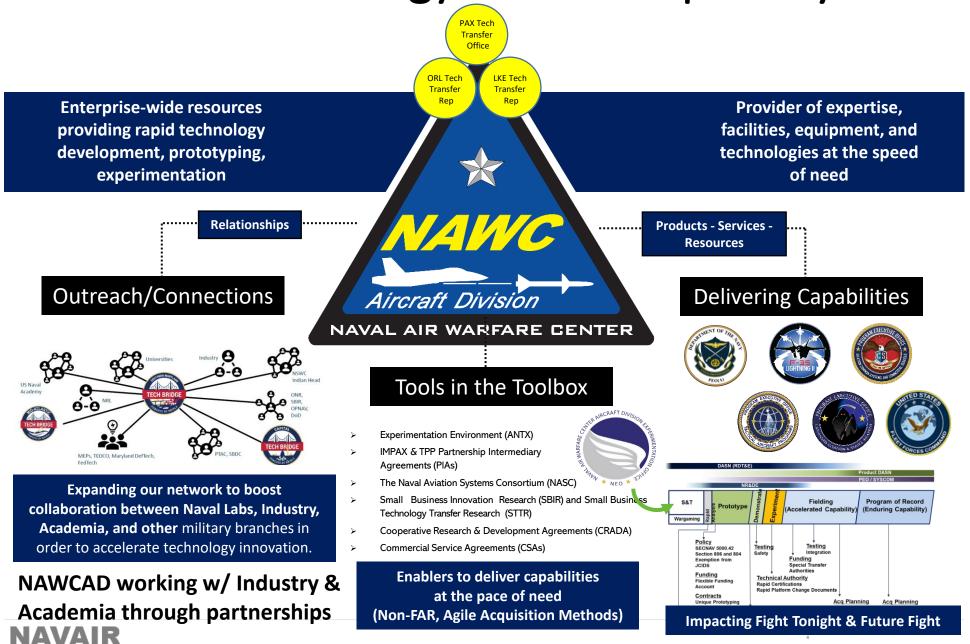


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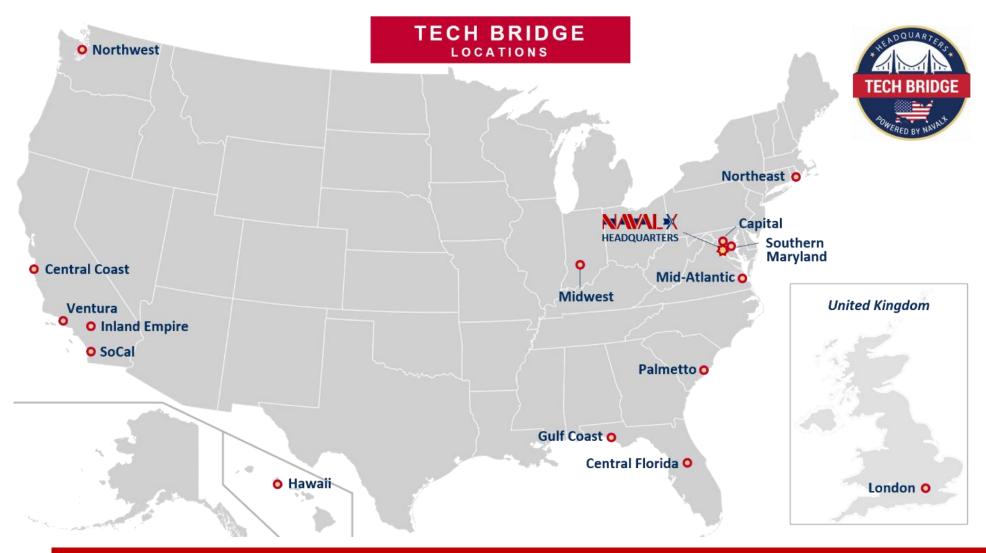
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# Back-up

NAWCAD Technology Partnership Ecosystem



# NavalX Tech Bridges Ecosystem of Ecosystems



NavalX Tech Bridge network- a 15 node ecosystem of ecosystems (and growing)



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Innovation Grows Here!