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Connecticut SBI Office

Connecticut's Aerospace Activity



Connecticut Innovations

- Quasi Public- Private entity
- Provides strategic equity capital to high-tech industries
- Office of Small Business Innovation is the granting arm of Connecticut Innovations

CT's Infrastructure and Focus

- CT Business Incubator Network (CBIN)
- University Tech Transfer
- CONNStep- Manufacturing Extension Program
- Procurement and Technical Assistance Program (PTAP)
- Real World Design Challenge

National Center for Aerospace Leadership (NCAL)

- Partnership between Connecticut, Ohio and Pennsylvania
- Funded by the Air Force (set aside/ear mark)
- Respond to Aerospace Manufacturing Supply Chain Needs

Aerospace Component Manufacturers

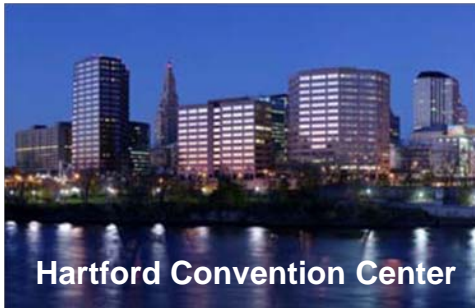
- Membership comprised of world-class aerospace companies
- Network offers broad capabilities
- Goal- to provide customers with aerospace components of unsurpassed quality, competitive prices and on-time delivery

Collaboration Never Stops

- “Contract for Innovation”
- CT Pavilion at Paris Air Show, Farnborough Air Show and Asian Aerospace International Expo
- US Dept of Commerce’s Aerospace Team trade missions



2010 SBIR National Conference



**April
20th - 23rd**



Participate in these networking activities:

**Speed Dating, One-on-One Scheduled Meetings,
Poster show exhibit**

“Commercialization Through Collaboration” in Connecticut

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