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**OUTSTANDING RESEARCH PARK AWARD**

2020 University of Utah Research Park  
2018 Genopole, Évry, France  
2017 University of Maryland BioPark, Baltimore, Maryland  
2016 Western Research Parks, London, Ontario Canada  
2015 University of Maryland Research Park, College Park, Maryland  
2014 Technology Square - Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia  
2013 University of Oklahoma University Research Campus, Norman, Oklahoma  
2012 Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus, Buffalo, New York  
2011 Research Park at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Champaign, Illinois  
2010 Virginia Tech Corporate Research Center, Blacksburg, Virginia  
2009 Innovation Place, Saskatchewan, Canada  
2008 Sandia Science & Technology Park, Albuquerque, New Mexico  
2007 Centennial Campus at North Carolina State University, Raleigh, North Carolina  
2006 The University City Science Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
2005 Delaware Technology Park Inc., Newark, Delaware  
2004 Purdue Research Park, West Lafayette, Indiana  
2003 The University of New Orleans Research & Technology Park, New Orleans, Louisiana  
2002 Discovery Parks, Vancouver, British Columbia  
2001 University of Arizona Science and Technology Park, Tucson, Arizona  
2000 Rensselaer Technology Park, Troy, New York  
1999 Research Triangle Foundation of North Carolina, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina  
1998 Massachusetts Biotechnology Research Park, Worcester, Massachusetts  
1997 Cummings Research Park, Huntsville, Alabama  
1996 University Research Park, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, Wisconsin

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**EMERGING RESEARCH PARK AWARD**

2019 Capital City Innovation, Austin, Texas  
2018 Lehigh University Mountaintop Campus, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania  
2017 Nebraska Innovation Campus, Lincoln, Nebraska  
2016 University of Wollongong Innovation Campus, Wollongong, Australia  
2015 McMaster University Innovation Park, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada  
2014 University Technology Park at Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, Illinois  
2013 Louisiana State University Innovation Park, Baton Rouge, Louisiana  
2012 King Abdullah University of Science and Technology (KAUST) Science Town, Thuwal, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia  
2011 The City of Agrifood, Veterinary and Agroenvironment Biotechnology in Saint-Hyacinthe, Quebec, Canada  
2010 Science + Technology Park at Johns Hopkins and New Eastside Community, Baltimore, Maryland  
2009 Clemson University International Center for Automotive Research (CU-ICAR), Greenville, South Carolina  
2008 University of South Florida Research Park, Tampa Bay, Florida  
2007 University of Maryland, Baltimore, BioPark, Baltimore, Maryland

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INNOVATION AWARD

- 2020 EarthSense, Inc. at the University of Illinois Research Park  
2019 Emagine Solutions Technology at Tech Parks Arizona, Tucson, Arizona  
2019 Sempulse at STAR Park, San Marcos, Texas  
2018 HudsonAlpha Institute for Biotechnology, Huntsville, Alabama  
2017 Paratus Diagnostics at STAR Park, San Marcos, Texas  
2016 NOMADD of King Abdullah University of Science and Technology, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia  
2016 The Emerge Center at the Louisiana State University Innovation Park, Baton Rouge, Louisiana  
2015 Pindrop Security at Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia  
2015 SMARTERSHADE at University Technology Park, Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, Illinois  
2014 Modernizing Medicine at the Research Park at Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, Florida  
2013 Multi-junction Solar Cells, EMCORE Corporation, Sandia Science & Technology Park, Albuquerque, New Mexico  
2012 Stratatech StrataGraft Skin Substitute, University Research Park at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, Wisconsin  
2011 TEAM Technologies, Inc., Sandia Science & Technology Park, Albuquerque, New Mexico  
2010 Fraunhofer USA, Plymouth, Michigan  
2009 Medipacs, The University of Arizona Science & Technology Park, Tucson, Arizona  
2008 Wake Forest Institute for Regenerative Medicine, Piedmont Triad Research Park, Winston-Salem, North Carolina  
2007 bwtech@UMBC, Baltimore, Maryland

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CAREER ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

- 2019 Scott Levitan, CEO and President, Research Triangle Park Foundation, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina  
2018 Charles D'Agostino, Executive Director, LSU Innovation Park and Louisiana Business and Technology Center  
2018 Dr. Ilse Treurnicht, Retired CEO, MaRS Discovery District, Toronto, Canada  
2018 Thomas Hall, III, Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors, The University Financing Foundation, Atlanta, Georgia  
2017 Brian Darmody, Associate Vice President, Corporate and Foundation Relations, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland  
2016 David Baker, Vice President of External Affairs, Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, Illinois  
2015 Greg Hyer, University Research Park, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, Wisconsin  
2014 Dr. Joe Meredith, Virginia Tech Corporate Research Center, Blacksburg, Virginia  
2013 Gregory W. Deason, Purdue Research Park, West Lafayette, Indiana  
2012 Austin Beggs, (formerly with Innovation Place) Saskatoon, Sask., Canada  
2011 Dr. Nancy E. Kossan, University of California, San Diego Science Research Park, San Diego, California  
2010 Jackie Kerby Moore, Sandia Science & Technology Park, Albuquerque, New Mexico  
2009 J. Michael Bowman, Delaware Technology Park, Newark, Delaware  
2008 Norma Grace (formerly with New Orleans Research & Technology Park)  
2007 Bruce Wright, University of Arizona Science and Tech Park, Tucson, Arizona  
2006 Brian Donnelly, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, Illinois  
2005 William M. Dean (formerly with !dealliance/Piedmont Triad Research Park)  
2004 Richard D. Finholt (formerly with University of Missouri System-Missouri Research Park)  
2003 Charles (Chuck) Henderson (formerly with the University of Nebraska at Lincoln)  
2002 Claude McKinney (formerly with Centennial Campus)  
2001 Charles Dilks (formerly with University City Science Center)  
2000 James O. Roberson (formerly with Research Triangle Foundation of North Carolina)  
1999 Wayne McGown (formerly with University of Wisconsin-Madison Research Park)  
1998 Ronald Kysiak (formerly with Northwestern University/Evanston Research Park, Inc.)  
1997 Michael Wacholder Rensselaer Technology Park, Troy, New York  
1996 Dr. Mark L. Money (formerly with Texas A & M University and University of Utah)

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**LEADERSHIP AWARD**

2019 Mayor Darryl Steinberg, City of Sacramento, California  
2019 Chancellor Gary May, University of California, Davis  
2018 Stephen Tang, PhD, MBA, President & Chief Executive Officer, The University City Science Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
2018 Honorable Steny Hoyer, United States Representative, Maryland  
2017 His Excellency David Johnston, 28th Governor General of Canada  
2016 Dennis Kekas, Associate Vice-Chancellor at Centennial Campus, North Carolina State University  
2015 Dr. Jaime Parada-Avila, PIIT / Institute of Innovation and Technology Transfer Nuevo Leòn, Monterey, Mexico  
2014 Governor James Baxter Hunt, State of North Carolina  
2013 Wexford Science & Technology, LLC, a BioMed Realty Company, Baltimore, Maryland  
2012 Chancellor Emeritus Irving Shain, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, Wisconsin  
2011 Honorable Dave Heineman, Governor, State of Nebraska  
2010 Dr. Frank B. Cerra, University of Minnesota Academic Health Center, Minneapolis, Minnesota  
2009 David J. Ramsay, University of Maryland BioPark, Baltimore, Maryland  
2008 Sherman McCorkle, Science & Technology Park Development Corporation, Albuquerque, New Mexico  
2007 Rasesh Thakkar, Senior Managing Director, Tavistock Group, Orlando, Florida  
2006 Dr. Eugene P. Trani, President, Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, Virginia  
2005 Dr. Raymond D. Smoot, Chief Operating Officer, Virginia Tech Foundation, Blacksburg, Virginia  
2003 Dr. Manuel T. Pacheco, President Emeritus, University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona  
2002 Louisiana Governor M. J. "Mike" Foster, Jr., New Orleans, Louisiana

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**DEVELOPING A CULTURE OF INNOVATION AWARD**

2018 The Research Triangle Park, Triangle Park, North Carolina  
2017 Cummings Research Park, Huntsville, Alabama  
2013 The University City Science Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
2011 Purdue Research Park, West Lafayette, Indiana

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**RISING STARS: A NEW GENERATION OF INNOVATION LEADERSHIP AWARD**

2020 Merry Hunter Caudle, Georgia Institute of Technology  
2020 Eric Smith, University of Arizona Center of Innovation  
2019 Kate Engel, Nebraska Innovation Campus, Lincoln, Nebraska  
Honorable: Stephanie Miller, Embry Riddle Aeronautical University; Victoria O'Dell, Capital City Innovation

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**VISION AWARD**

2019 Kevin Byrne, The University Financing Foundation, Atlanta, Georgia  
2018 Honorable Jerry Moran, United States Senator, Kansas  
2016 Eileen Walker, MIM/MBA, Former Chief Executive Officer at AURP  
2015 Honorable Christopher Coons, United States Senator, Delaware  
2014 Robert T. Geolas, The Research Triangle Foundation, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina  
2013 J. Michael Bowman, Delaware Technology Park, Newark, Delaware

Honorable Jeff Bingaman, United States Senator, New Mexico

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**EXCALIBUR AWARD**

2020 NIIMBL  
2020 Biotechnology Innovation Organization  
2020 Nebraska Innovation Campus  
2020 National Governors Association  
2012 John Fernandez, Former Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development  
2011 Senator Mark Pryor of Arkansas  
2006 Louisiana Business Technology Center, Louisiana State University, South Campus Research Park  
Charles D'Agostino, Executive Director, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

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**APPRECIATION AWARD**

2019 State Science and Technology Institute, Westerville, Ohio  
2016 Steve Hanssen, Former Director of Development, Wexford Science & Technology, Baltimore, Maryland  
2009 Eva Klein, Eva Klein & Associates, Ltd., St. Louis, Missouri  
2008 Vernon George (Retired), George, Henry, George Partners, Virginia