Economic Development Updates

GEORGIA TECH

- **Georgia Tech Hosts State Legislative Leaders at ATDC HealthTech Summit:** With health care a major focus at the state and national levels, the Georgia Institute of Technology welcomed Georgia Lt. Gov. Geoff Duncan and other state legislative leaders to campus for a health summit focused on how technology drives innovation, leads to better patient outcomes, and reduces costs. [FULL STORY]
ATDC 2019 Startup Showcase is April 18: Don’t miss the Advanced Technology Development Center’s event of the year at the Georgia Tech Hotel and Conference Center!

The ATDC Startup Showcase, Atlanta’s largest spring startup confab, is the nexus for entrepreneurs, investors, and tech leaders, all converging to see more than 75 companies create technologies that will power our future, today.

Full details and registration info here: atdcstartupshowcase.com.

ATLANTA MBDA BUSINESS & ADVANCED MANUFACTURING CENTERS

Atlanta MBDA Centers Client SquarePac Wins $100K in First-Ever National Ethnic Minority Entrepreneurs Challenge: Atlanta Minority Business Development Agency Business (MBDA) Center client SquarePac was one of nine winning minority business enterprises (MBEs) that shared in the Metropolitan Economic Development Association’s $1 Million Challenge Powered by Chase. FULL STORY
Applications now open for the 2019 Georgia Innovative Economic Development Internship Program: EDL's Science, Technology, and Innovation Policy (STIP) program at Georgia Tech is now accepting applications for the 2019 Georgia Innovative Economic Development Internship Program. The highly competitive, 10-week, paid ($6K stipend) internship is designed to allow graduate students to further develop and pursue research in an innovative economic development project. [FULL APPLICATION DETAILS](#)
Goldens' Foundry and Machine Co. Success Story: Columbus, Georgia-based Goldens supplies parts for a variety of industries including construction, agriculture, petroleum, and transportation, as well as a new line of cast-iron grills made entirely in the United States, sought help from the GaMEP to make improvements in the company. FULL STORY
GTPAC Enters 33rd Year of Continuous Service to Georgia Businesses: February marks an important milestone for the Georgia Tech Procurement Assistance Center (GTPAC) as it enters its 33rd year of continuous operation in aiding Georgia businesses that are pursuing government contracts. Since its inception in 1986, GTPAC has helped Georgia businesses win more than 100,000 contracts — both prime and subcontracts — worth more than $14.1 billion. FULL STORY
INNOVATION CORPS (I-CORPS™)

- **Georgia Tech Leads Innovation Workshop for Science Foundation Ireland:** Wanting to tap into Georgia Tech's expertise in innovation and commercialization processes and methodology, Science Foundation Ireland hosted our I-Corps program lead managers in Dublin to train a group of research teams developing technologies with a focus on societal impact. [FULL STORY]