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Welcome to our first biweekly email from the Energetics Technology Center's TechFire® incubator. We are proud to be part of the vibrant and innovative business community here in Maryland. In these emails, we plan to share news regarding our incubation and commercialization programs, highlighted events, major activities with our clients, and partner updates. Connect with us at [www.techfirenetwork.com](http://www.techfirenetwork.com) or come in to see us at one of our incubator locations in White Oak or Indian Head to learn how we can work together in the near future.



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**Technology Showcase Connects Entrepreneurs and Army Tech**

[Energetics Technology Center](#), in partnership with the [Montgomery County Economic Development Corporation](#) and the [Army Research Laboratory](#), hosted a Technology Showcase at ETC's [TechFire®](#) Incubator in White Oak, MD. Learn more about how the event connected entrepreneurs and Army researchers and check out the technologies available for licensing and collaborative research:



<http://www.etcmd.com/commercialization-showcase/>

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**STR1UP Roadshow Stops in Southern Maryland**

On July 18th, the Southern Maryland Innovation and Technology Meetup group ([SMIT](#)), led in part through the Energetics Technology Center, hosted the Startup Maryland STR1UP Roadshow pitch competition at the Blue Crabs' Regency Furniture Stadium in Waldorf, MD. Six start-up companies participated in the pitch bus, which involves boarding the Startup Maryland bus to video record the company's pitch, to be shared with investors and other potential partners. The Startup Maryland STR1UP Roadshow will continue through the Fall with



future stops in Montgomery County, Anne Arundel County, and other locations. Visit Startup Maryland's website for more information about the pitches and future roadshow stops: <http://startupmd.org>

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**Save the Date:**

October 18-19, 2017

The Army Research 2017 Open Campus Open House will be held at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds campus. Registration for the two day event will open soon.

November 14-15, 2017

The Federal Laboratory Consortium, MidAtlantic Region is hosting their Annual Meeting and Industry Day at the Universities at Shady Grove in Rockville, MD. For more information about registration, location, panel discussions, or to be an exhibitor or sponsor the event, visit <https://midatlanticmeeting.federallabs.org/>

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