

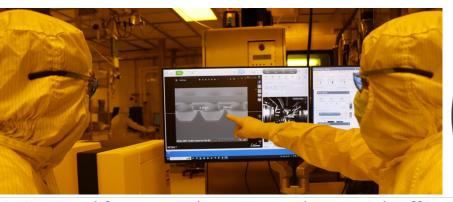
NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY

CLAWS Workforce Development

Proposed that Education and Workforce Efforts Scale with Prototype Projects to ensure relevance, involvement and sustainment of workforce activities.

Present Project Supports/Anticipates:

- Summer Programs at NCSU, NC A&T
- Specialized Short Courses
- Expanded Course involvement
- Community College Involvement
- Undergraduate Research
- Engagement with DOD SMART Fellowship Program.
- Outreach to K-12
- Intensive Training > 100 students/year
- Exposure to Semiconductor Career opportunities > 1000 Students/year.

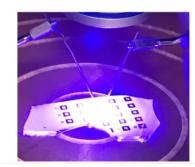




Existing Workforce Development and Outreach Efforts Research Foundry Creates Symbiotic Opportunity to Train Workforce

- Community College Trains the Trainer (Images this slide)
- · Collaborate with Durham Tech., training Wolfspeed Technicians
- PowerAmerica Workshops, Equipment Short Courses
- 4 Undergrad and Graduate Courses with hands-on clean room
- Undergrad Work Study students assist in clean room operations
- Internships with Wolfspeed, other semiconductor companies
- Strong demand for NC State Students by Industry
- Undergrad research opportunities









Leveraging:

- NC A&T HBCU Expertise
- North Carolina Community College partnerships
- Regional Innovation Networks
- Industry Partners
 Co-development of workforce





190 + Startups Launched





+ 8.5

+ 1.5K Patents Issued

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