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### **FLC Updates**



- Register now and pay later for the FLC National Meeting, April 9-11 in Dallas, Texas. [Learn more.](#)
- Want to get involved in FLC Leadership? Know someone who should? [Submit nominations by Feb. 9.](#)
- Discover which life-saving technologies came from federal labs in the [LabTech in Your Life Hospital](#) — the latest expansion to the FLC's virtual T2 city!
- Start the new year by learning how to [leverage SBIR in T2 at our educational webinar](#), on Jan. 17 at 2 p.m. ET.
- Connect with Puerto Rico's entrepreneurial ecosystem at the [FLC T2 Event: Partnering for Success, Meet the Federal Labs](#), taking place virtually and in person Feb. 8.

### **Meet Your Board**

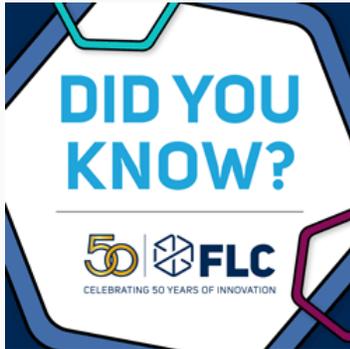


#### **Meet David Lee**

Meet Your Board is a regular series spotlighting each member of the FLC's Executive Board. It's time to meet David Lee, Northeast Regional Co-Coordinator.

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## Did You Know?



### 1979: President Carter Signs Industrial Innovation Initiatives

In honor of the FLC's 50th Anniversary, we're revisiting key historical events that have brought us to where we are today. Find out how President Jimmy Carter emphasized the need for public-private partnership with the Industrial Innovation Initiatives.

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## News You Can Use



- [Balancing Affordable Healthcare and Drug Innovation: An Assessment of Government Policies](#)
- [The Bayh-Dole Act: A Catalyst for Medical Innovation and Economic Growth](#)
- [High Speed Video Challenge for High School students and Undergrads Closes Jan. 17.](#)
- [USDA Research Fellow Makes Alfalfa More Digestible for Dairy Cows](#)
- [Cancer Drug From LLNL, FNL and BridgeBio Receives FDA Clearance](#)
- [USDA Offering Grants to Programs Creating Rural Jobs and Businesses](#)

## FLC Photo of the Week



### Photo of the Week: NSTX-U Fusion Reactor's Center Stack

The National Spherical Torus Experiment-Upgrade (NSTX-U) is the primary fusion experiment at Princeton Plasma Physics Laboratory (PPPL). This spherical device can produce high-pressured plasmas with cost-effective magnetic fields.

Photo credit: Elle Starkman



The Photo of the Week visually showcases the exciting work federal labs do every day! [Read more about this week's featured lab and technology.](#)

## Partnership Opportunities



- [Neogen Corporation: Mycotoxin Detection in Grain Extracts](#) - Neogen is looking to create HPLC/LC-MS method or equivalent test using extractions that are paired with commercially available lateral flow devices.
- [Private company: Corn Sample for Food Safety Tests \(Liquid Matrix\)](#) - This private company is looking for collaborators with experience creating standard protocols for mycotoxins detection in corn that can be used in a lateral flow assay. Alternatively, they would be interested in purchasing material that meets their requirements.
- [Private company: Reducing Nausea in Multivitamin Tablets](#) - This private company is looking for experts who understand the root cause of common nausea and related complaints from vitamins, minerals and supplements in order to create a formulation that is gentle on the stomach and/or can be taken without food.
- [Kraft Heinz: Natural Food Preservation Ingredients Against Molds and Yeasts](#) - Kraft Heinz is looking for natural ingredients and technologies that can replace artificial preservative ingredients in foods to inhibit spoilage microorganisms like molds and yeasts including the acid-tolerant yeast *Zygosaccharomyces bailii*.
- [Kraft Heinz: Encapsulation Technologies for Probiotics in Low pH Beverages](#) - Kraft Heinz is looking for encapsulation of probiotics to allow for long-term stability of probiotics in a low pH, shelf-stable beverage.

## Why Attend the FLC National Meeting



The FLC National Meeting is the premier event for the federal technology transfer community. Don't miss out on educational courses, thought-provoking sessions and invaluable opportunities to connect with colleagues and potential partners - plus, we're celebrating the FLC's golden 50th anniversary! [Register](#) and join your peers for the event of the year!





## E & T



[The Proposed CMMC Level 1: Basic Cyber Hygiene](#)

January 9, 2024, 1 p.m. ET

[USPTO Women's Entrepreneurship Series: Leading Women Leading Change](#)

January 10, 2024, 5 p.m. ET

[USPTO: The Path to a Patent, Part I: IP basics](#)

January 11, 2024, 11:00 a.m. PT

[The Latest: A Close Look at CISA's New Cybersecurity Performance Goals \(CPTs\)](#)

January 16, 2024, 1 p.m. ET

[DoD SBIR/STTR Funding for Health & Medical Innovations](#)

January 17, 2024, 8:30 a.m. CT

[NIH Industry Day 2024](#)

January 18, 2024, 8:15 a.m. ET

[Can you spot a Phish? Protect your U.S. Small Business from Social Engineering](#)

January 23, 2024, 1 p.m. ET

[SBIR/STTR America's Seed Fund Virtual Road Tour](#)

## Jobs



[Interdisciplinary General Engineer / Physical Scientist](#)

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[Patent Attorney](#)

Naval Air Systems Command

[Associate General Counsel - Science, Technology and Intellectual Property Law](#)

National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency

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U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

[Research Chemist \(Research Associate\)](#)

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