



# LightMAT Technology Transfer



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# LightMAT Members





# Streamlined Access

**Single Point of Contact -**  
[LightMAT.org/contact](http://LightMAT.org/contact)

**Greater Access to  
National Laboratories**

**Partner with Ease**

**Boost Competitiveness**





# Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA)

Execute a single NDA to share and receive information in a protected way without having to sign an agreement with each individual national laboratory.

- Pre-approved, partially executed NDA amongst all LightMAT national laboratories
- If a LightMAT NDA is needed, contact us at [LightMAT.org/contact](http://LightMAT.org/contact)
- Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL) will administer the NDA on behalf of LightMAT



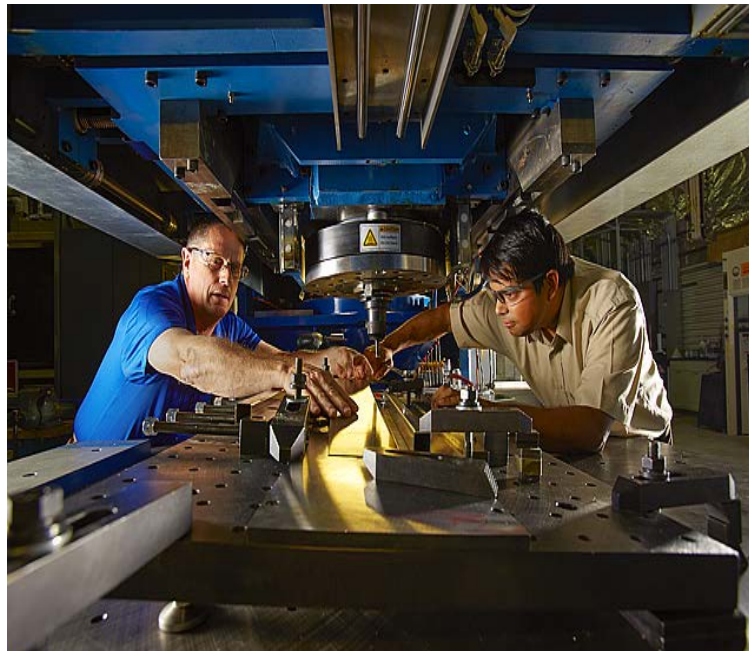
# Cooperative Research and Development Agreement (CRADA)

Partner with national laboratories through a streamlined Multi-Party CRADA in as little as 30 days

- If partnering with two or more LightMAT national laboratories, the LightMAT Multi-Party CRADA will be used
  
- If partnering with an individual national laboratory, select from the standard DOE contracting options:
  - Cooperative Research and Development Agreement (CRADA)
  - Agreement for Commercializing Technology (ACT)
  - Strategic Partnership Projects (SPP)

# Working with LightMAT

- **Option 1: Department of Energy Funding Opportunities for Industry**, such as Funding Opportunity Announcements (FOA)
- **Option 2: Direct Funding Opportunities for Industry**
- **Option 3: Industry Funded Collaboration Opportunities**



# Option 1: Department of Energy Funding Opportunities for Industry

- **Step 1:** Participate in workshops and provide feedback to inform the future direction and opportunities available under LightMAT to meet your needs. Contact us [directly](#).
- **Step 2:** Stay tuned for upcoming LightMAT funding opportunities [here](#).
- **Step 3:** If awarded and matched with a single LightMAT national laboratory, partner with your matched national laboratory through a variety of flexible agreements and select the option that best fits your needs.
- **Step 4:** If awarded and matched with multiple LightMAT national laboratories, partner with your matched LightMAT national laboratories through a streamlined single agreement in as little as 30 days.
- **Step 5:** Begin work and access [LightMAT capabilities](#) that accelerate advanced materials innovations that benefit you!



## Option 2: Direct Funding Opportunities for Industry

- **Step 1:** Participate in workshops and provide feedback to inform the future direction and opportunities available under LightMAT to meet your needs. Contact us [directly](#).
- **Step 2:** Stay tuned for upcoming LightMAT direct funding opportunities [here](#).
- **Step 3:** If awarded and matched with a single LightMAT national laboratory, partner with your matched national laboratory through a variety of flexible agreements and select the option that best fits your needs.
- **Step 4:** If awarded and matched with multiple LightMAT national laboratories, partner with your matched LightMAT national laboratories through a streamlined single agreement in as little as 30 days.
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# Option 3: Industry Funded Collaboration Opportunities

- › **Step 1:** [Contact us directly](#) and we will help identify the LightMAT capabilities that best fit your needs.
- › **Step 2:** If you select a single LightMAT national laboratory to work with, partner with your matched national laboratory through a variety of flexible agreements and select the option that best fits your needs.
- › **Step 3:** If you select multiple LightMAT national laboratories to work with, partner with your matched LightMAT national laboratories through a streamlined single agreement in as little as 30 days.
- › **Step 4:** Begin work and access [LightMAT capabilities](#) that accelerate advanced materials innovations that benefit you!

# Intellectual Property & Licensing

## Characterization



### Extreme Environment Testing

Evaluation of materials in environmental, chemical, electrical and mechanical combined conditions



### Mechanical Behavior of Materials

Evaluation of mechanical performance across strain rates, surface conditions, and geometric constraints



### Microscopy

Visualization & characterization techniques ranging from advanced optical to x-ray and beam specific equipment



### Non-destructive Examination

Methodologies for evaluation of properties, processes, and materials without destructive testing

## Computational Tools



### Data Tools

Materials data mining, discovery, information management, and analysis tools



### Materials Processing

Predictive simulation capabilities for deformation, joining, solidification



### Process-Structure

Mechanism based process to structure prediction



### Structure-Properties

Continuum or discrete prediction of effective properties

## Processing/Manufacturing



### Fabrication & Synthesis

Material development across scales from synthesis to scalable production



### Joining

Advanced joining development including multi-material, solid-state, fusion and fastening



### Shaping & Forming

Evaluation of materials formability limitations, rate sensitivity, tool life, and effects of shaping



### Thermo-mechanical Processing

Development of heat treatments, thermo-mechanical processing, and microstructural modification techniques




Thank you!

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**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**  **Energy Materials Network**  
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Established as part of the Energy Materials Network, under the U.S. Department of Energy's National Laboratory Impact Initiative, the mission of the Lightweight Materials Consortium is to create an enduring capability network for the national labs enabling industry to utilize the unique capabilities related to lightweight metals within the national lab network.



### CAPABILITIES

CHARACTERIZATION	COMPUTATIONAL TOOLS	PROCESSING/MANUFACTURING
 <b>Extreme Environment Testing</b> Evaluation of materials in environmental, chemical, electrical and mechanical combined conditions	 <b>Data Tools</b> Materials data mining, discovery, information management, and analysis tools	 <b>Fabrication &amp; Synthesis</b> Material development across scales from synthesis to scalable production
 <b>Mechanical Behavior of Materials</b> Evaluation of mechanical performance across strain rates, surface conditions, and geometric constraints	 <b>Materials Processing</b> Predictive simulation capabilities for deformation, joining, solidification	 <b>Joining</b> Advanced joining development including multi-material, solid-state, fusion and fastening
 <b>Microscopy</b> Visualization & characterization techniques ranging from advanced optical to x-ray and beam specific equipment	 <b>Process-Structure</b> Mechanism based process to structure prediction	 <b>Shaping &amp; Forming</b> Evaluation of materials formability limitations, rate sensitivity, tool life, and effects of shaping
 <b>Non-destructive Examination</b> Methodologies for evaluation of properties, processes, and materials without destructive testing	 <b>Structure-Properties</b> Continuum or discrete prediction of effective properties	 <b>Thermo-mechanical Processing</b> Development of heat treatments, thermo-mechanical processing, and microstructural modification techniques

