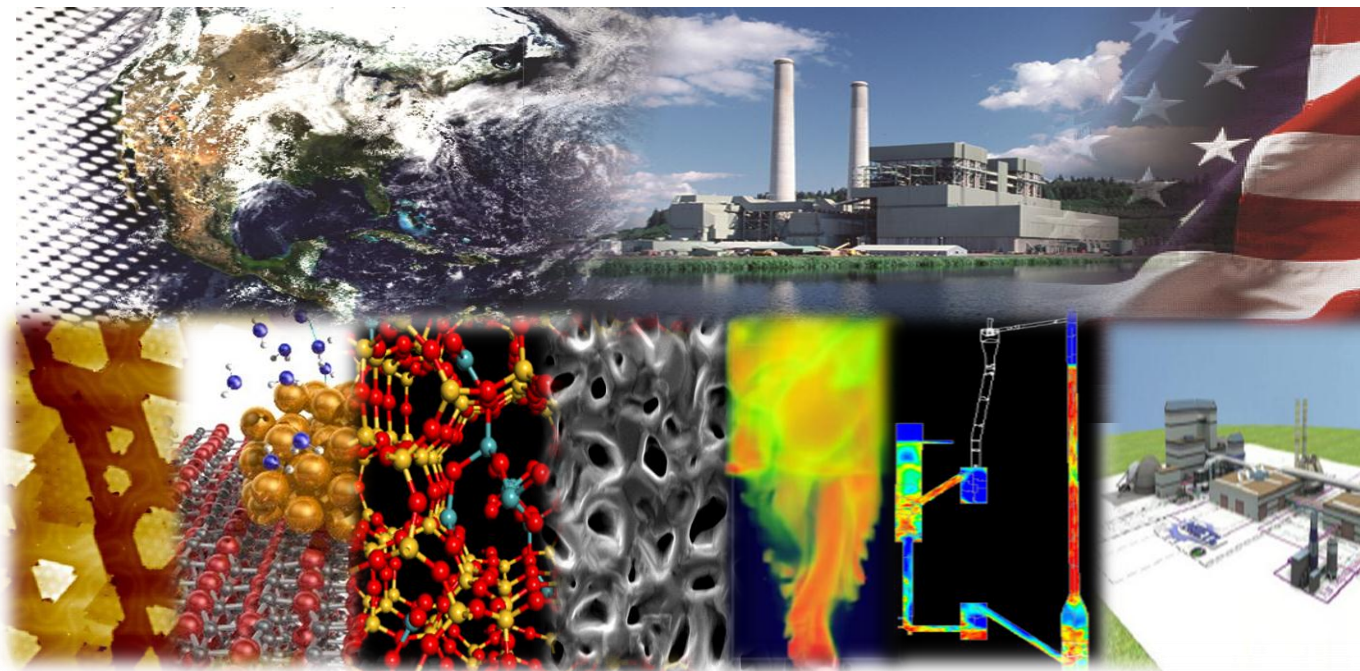




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## **Accelerating Materials Development**

**Providing Relevant Solutions to Global Challenges**

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# Global Drivers

Significant global drivers contribute to and/or cause challenges that require innovation of materials across all sectors

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## GLOBAL DRIVERS

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DEMOGRAPHIC CHANGES



NEW TECHNOLOGY



SUSTAINABILITY



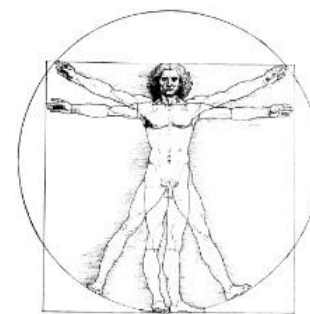
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RESOURCE SCARCITY



GLOBALIZATION



HUMAN HEALTH

# Public & Private “Manufacturing” Motivation

## *Competitive Advantage*

- Speed to market
  - Safety
  - Sustainability
  - Innovation
  - Trained workforce
  - Stable supplies
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- Risks
  - Costs
  - Inventory

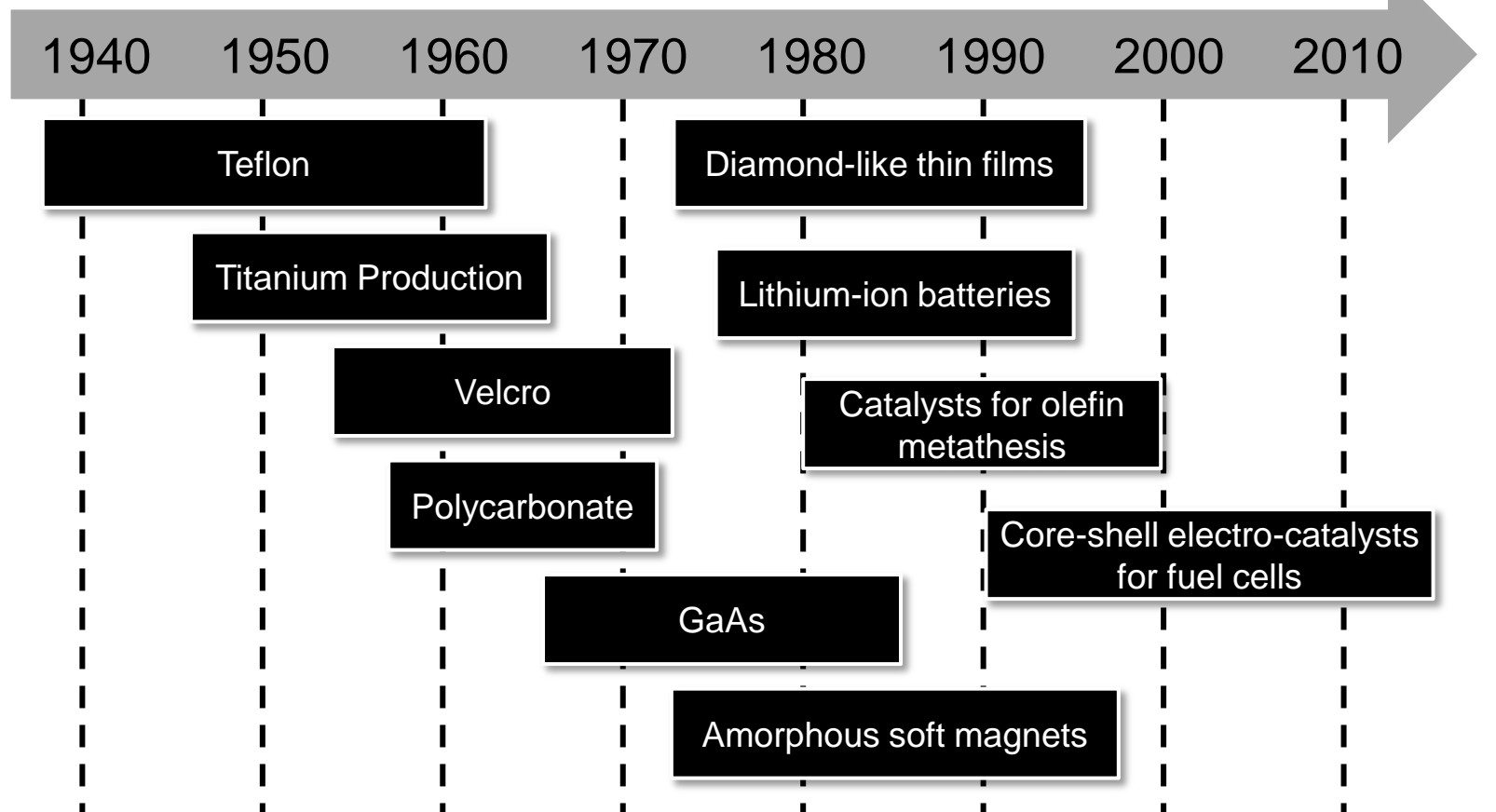


# Discovery to Application

## Long & Tortuous Road

A new paradigm of development is required in the 21<sup>st</sup> century to develop technology “twice as fast at a fraction of the cost”

*DISCOVERY TO APPLICATION TIMELINE FOR 20<sup>TH</sup> CENTURY TECHNOLOGIES\**



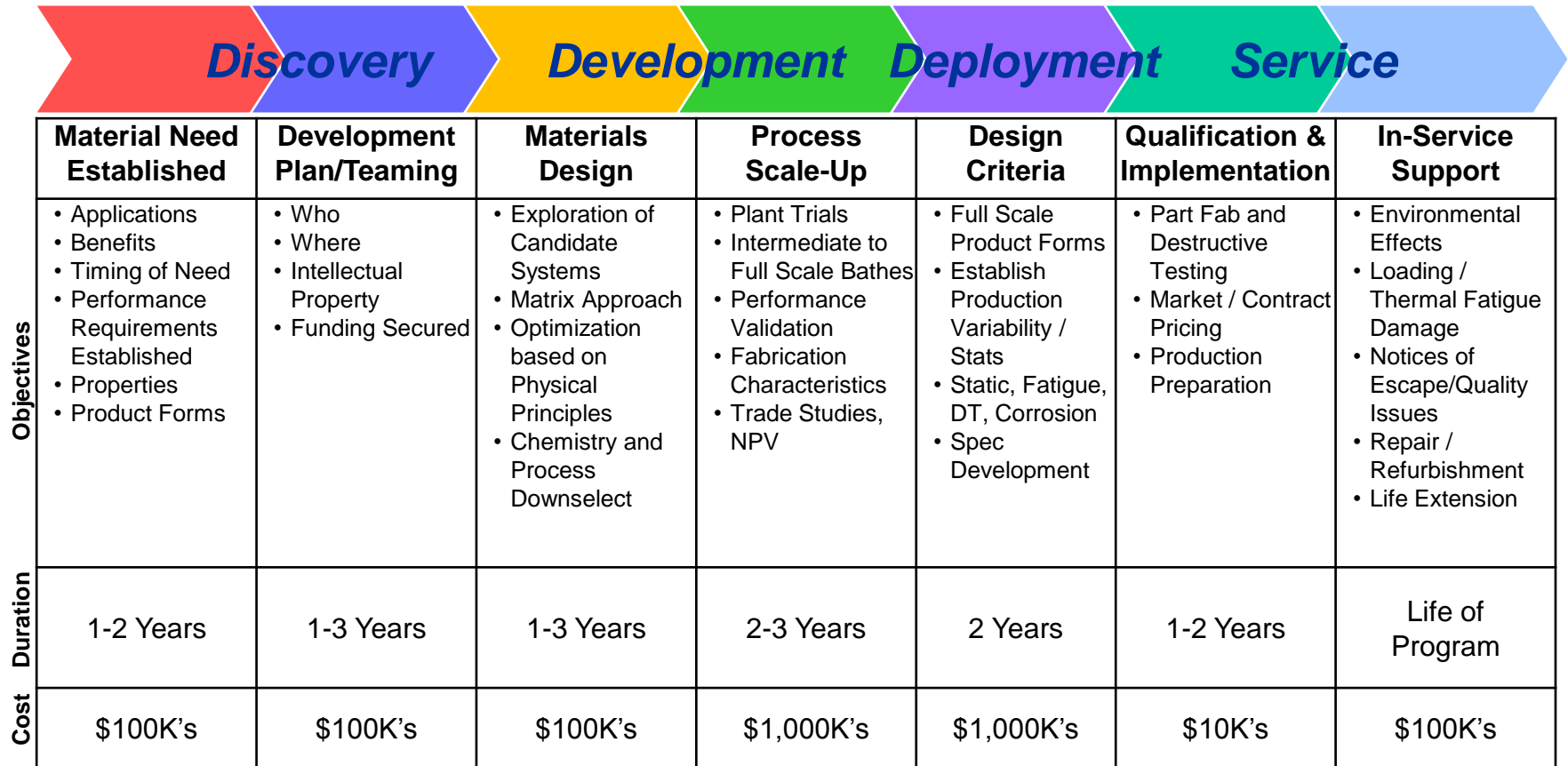
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# Materials Development Continuum

## “Business as Usual”

Navigating the challenges within each phase of the development continuum are key to accelerating innovation

### MATERIALS DEVELOPMENT CONTINUUM<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Cotton, James D., “What Boeing Wants from Integrated Computational Materials Engineering for Metallic Materials”, Structural Dynamics and Materials Conference, April 2012.



# NETL Research & Development

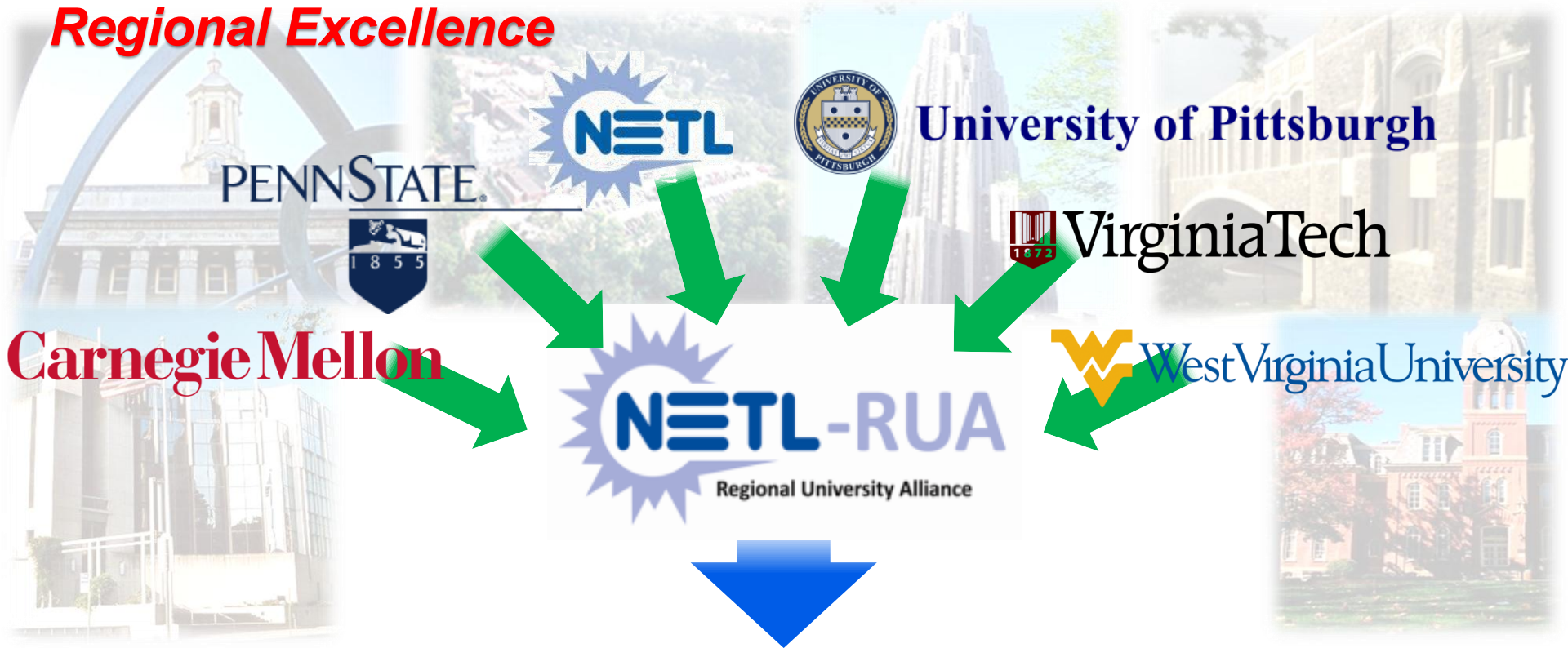
## *Providing Solutions to National Challenges*

- Use-inspired and targeted R&D
- Tens of millions of dollars invested in infrastructure and facilities
- Hundreds of talented & motivated staff
- 100-years of “expertise”
- Technical project management processes
- Targeted collaboration – from discovery through demonstration and deployment



# Strategic Partnerships

*Regional Excellence*



**Shared Resources + Shared Intellect = Targeted Innovation**

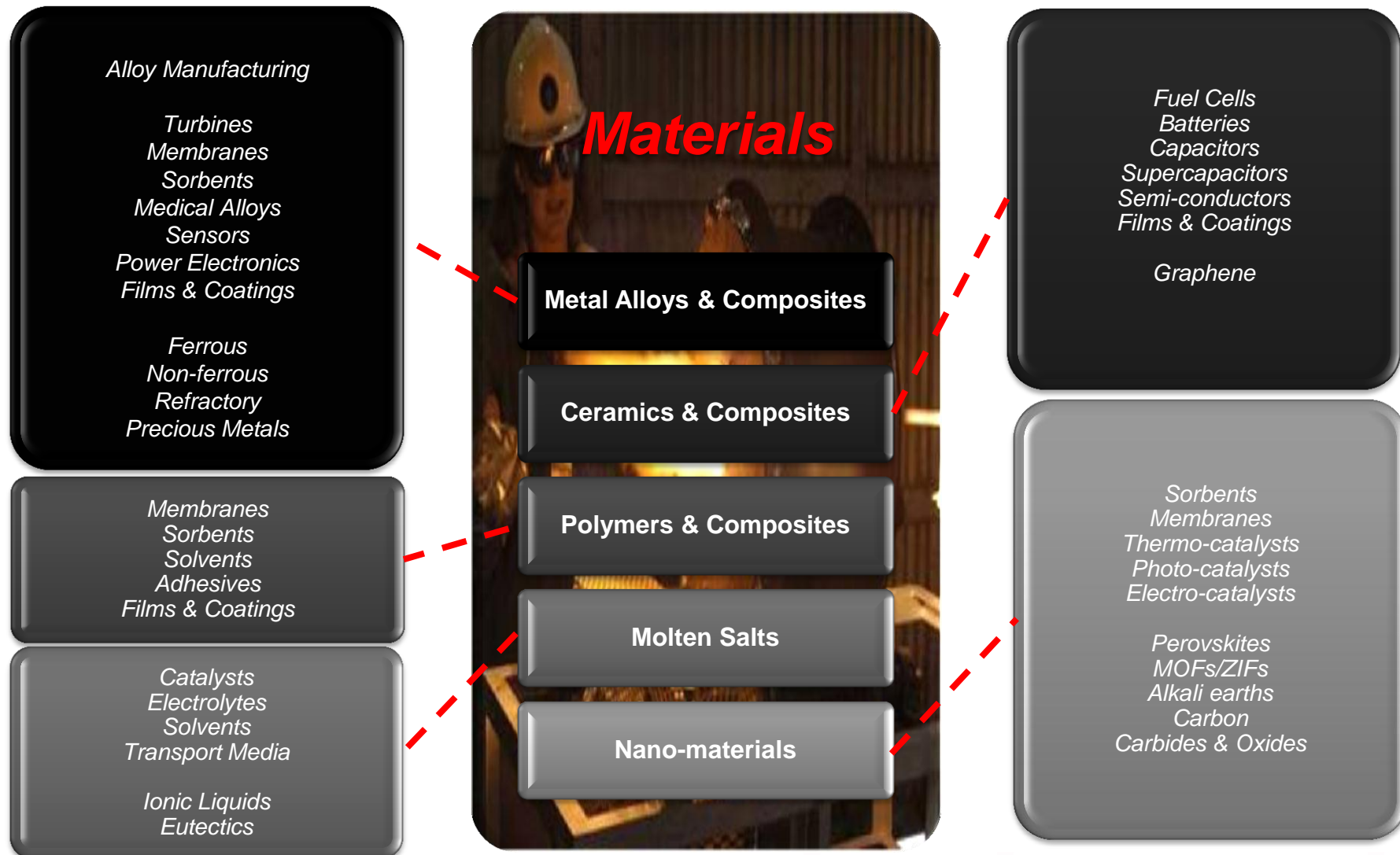
*Create and enable dynamic teams to do targeted research that effectively provides solutions to the Nation's most challenging problems*

**Computational & Basic Sciences - Energy Systems Dynamics - Geological & Environmental Systems - Materials Science & Engineering**



# Diverse Materials and Applications Expertise

## Severe Service Environments



# Enabling Technology

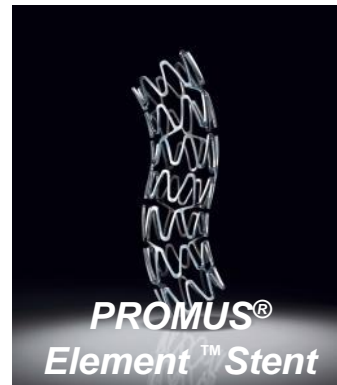
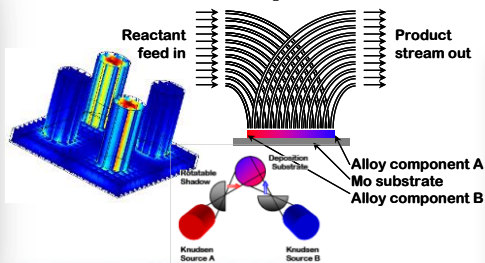
**100+ Years of Success**

NETL has aided multiple industries in the development of technologies that have had lasting impacts

*Kroll Process*



*High-Throughput Optimization*



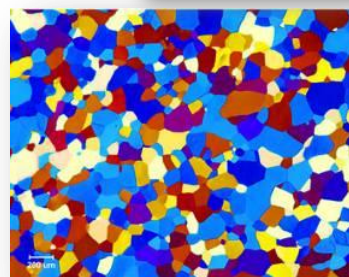
*Ammonia-based Gas Scrubber*



**Aurex® 95P**



**BIAS Sorbents**



**Armstrong Process**



# Summary

**Leverage investment, collaborations and expertise to provide targeted and innovative solutions to national materials challenges**

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- **70-years of delivering materials-related solutions**
- **Over \$25M in specialized infrastructure and facilities supporting Advanced Materials Development**
- **Mature processes for delivering “products” from the bench to demonstration scale**
- **Innovative approach to materials & technology development**
- **Expertise and capabilities for a variety of materials and applications**
- **Access to thousands of innovative engineers and scientists**



# Up Next

## **Advanced Alloy Fabrication**

*Jeff Hawk, NETL-ORD*

## **Soft Materials**

*David Luebke, NETL-ORD*

## **Catalyst Development & Commercialization**

*David Berry, NETL-ORD*

## **Combinatorial Approaches to Material Optimization**

*Andrew Gellman, CMU*

## **Partnering for Innovation: Critical Materials**

*Roe-Hoan Yoon, VT*

# Additional Information

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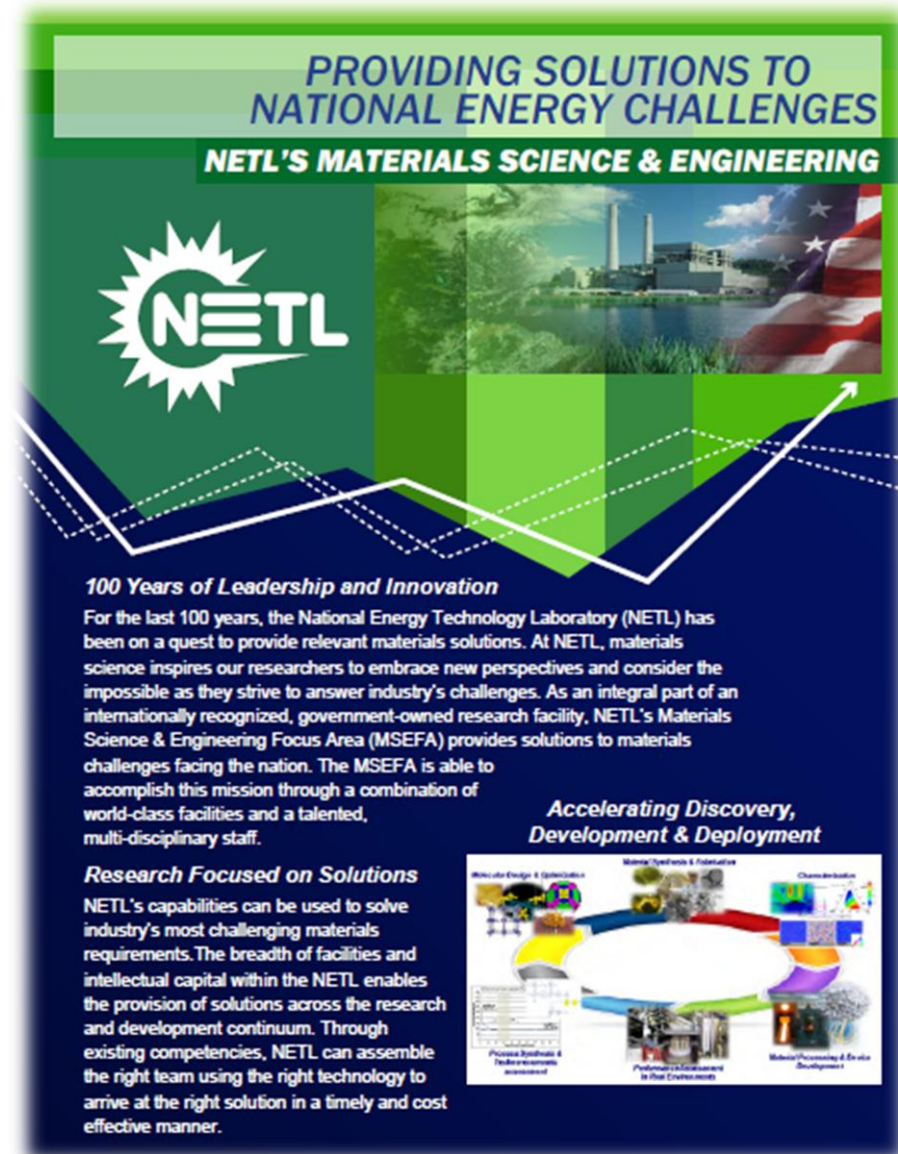
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**PROVIDING SOLUTIONS TO NATIONAL ENERGY CHALLENGES**  
**NETL'S MATERIALS SCIENCE & ENGINEERING**

**NETL**

*100 Years of Leadership and Innovation*  
For the last 100 years, the National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL) has been on a quest to provide relevant materials solutions. At NETL, materials science inspires our researchers to embrace new perspectives and consider the impossible as they strive to answer industry's challenges. As an integral part of an internationally recognized, government-owned research facility, NETL's Materials Science & Engineering Focus Area (MSEFA) provides solutions to materials challenges facing the nation. The MSEFA is able to accomplish this mission through a combination of world-class facilities and a talented, multi-disciplinary staff.

*Accelerating Discovery, Development & Deployment*

*Research Focused on Solutions*  
NETL's capabilities can be used to solve industry's most challenging materials requirements. The breadth of facilities and intellectual capital within the NETL enables the provision of solutions across the research and development continuum. Through existing competencies, NETL can assemble the right team using the right technology to arrive at the right solution in a timely and cost effective manner.



The diagram illustrates the research and development continuum at NETL. It features a central white oval surrounded by six colored segments, each representing a different research area: Molecular Design & Optimization (yellow), Materials Synthesis & Fabrication (orange), Characterization (red), Materials Processing & Evaluation (purple), Performance Assessment in Real Environments (green), and Process Validation & Deployment (blue). Each segment is accompanied by small images and text related to that specific research area.