



WHERE TOMORROW'S TECHNOLOGY EMPOWERS TODAY'S WARFIGHTER

Fires Innovation Science and Technology Accelerator

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OUR MISSION

Why FISTA Matters

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Strategic Alignment

FISTA's mission is aligned with Oklahoma's priorities for economic diversification, workforce development, and defense industry growth. We advance Fort Sill's modernization and the U.S. Army's multi-domain operations while driving statewide impact through job creation, high-tech investment, and educational outreach—positioning Lawton-Fort Sill as a regional anchor for innovation, defense readiness, and STEM leadership.

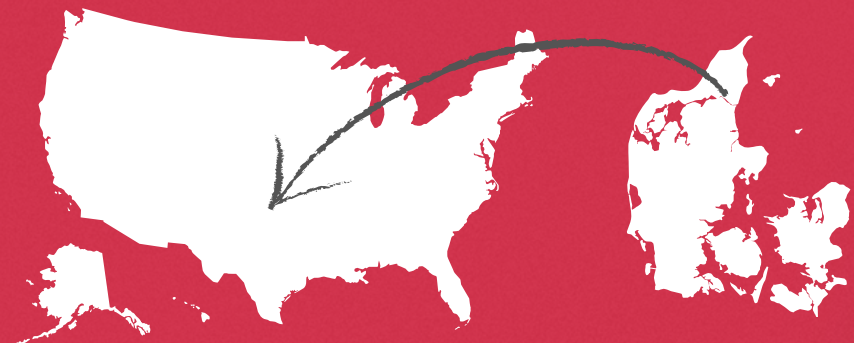


STATE OF FISTA

28 CURRENT PARTNERS

ACS
AEON
ANDURIL
ANPC
BAV
CAES BY HONEYWELL
CAMGIAN
CGI FEDERAL
DUNLEVY CONSULTING
EPIRUS
FIREHAWK
KNOWMADICS
LEIDOS
DZYNE TECHNOLOGIES

MYDEFENCE
NEROS TECH
NORTHROP GRUMMAN
OSU OAI
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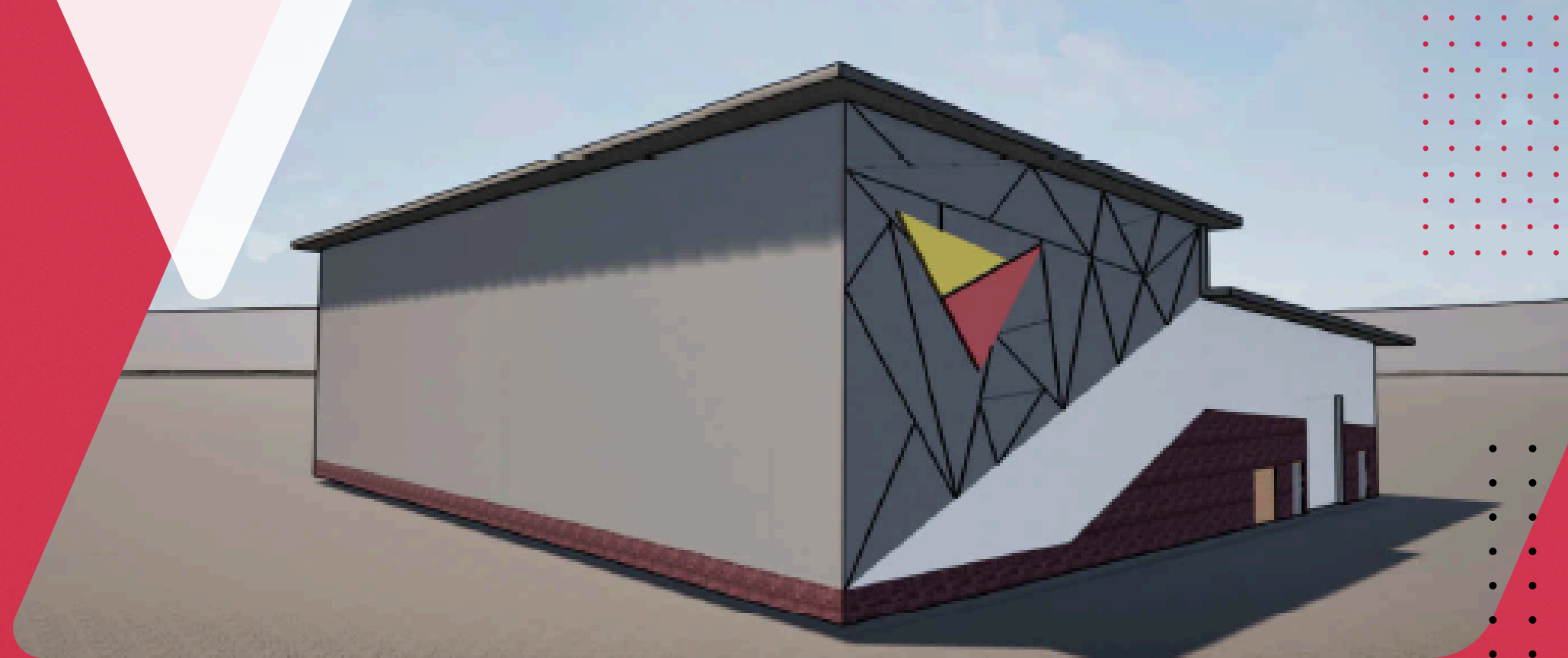
STATES AND COUNTRIES REPRESENTED INSIDE FISTA

PENNSYLVANIA (PA)
MASSACHUSETTS (MA)
ALABAMA (AL)
TEXAS (TX)
OKLAHOMA (OK)
MISSISSIPPI (MS)
VIRGINIA (VA)
CALIFORNIA (CA)
CONNECTICUT (CT)
OHIO (OH)
NORTH DAKOTA (ND)
OREGON (OR)
MARYLAND (MD)
COLORADO (CO)
MISSOURI (MO)
DELAWARE (DE)
DENMARK

4 PENDING LEASES



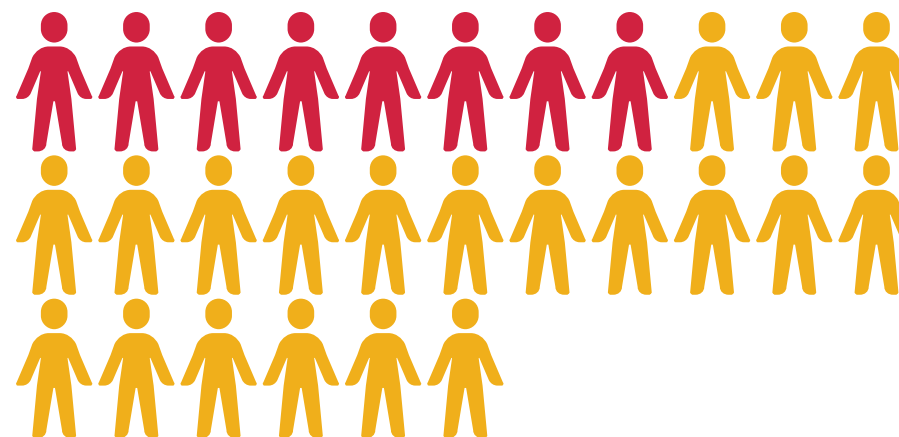
FISTA'S ECONOMIC ENGINE



45 EVENTS HOSTED **ON-SITE**,
INCLUDING 2025 FIRES SYMPOSIUM
AND C-UAS SYMPOSIUM.

\$98+ MILLION INVESTED

**IN THE LAST 24 MONTHS,
OUR PARTNERS GREW
FROM 8 TO 28.**



165+ ACTIVE JOBS WITHIN THE PARK
\$19+ MILLION ANNUAL PAYROLL



11,055
VISITORS IN
THE PAST YEAR

FROM
OVER 40
COUNTRIES

IGNITING FUTURES



2,718 STUDENTS
REACHED THROUGH FISTA-
BASED STEM PROGRAMMING

1,782 STUDENTS
REACHED THROUGH EXTERNAL
OUTREACH EVENTS

100+ TEACHERS
ENGAGED IN PROFESSIONAL
DEVELOPMENT AND FACILITY USE

This facility will be equipped with over **\$2.5 million** in advanced fabrication, machining, additive manufacturing equipment, and innovative space, including:

- **EBAM 53 by Sciaky**
Electron Beam Additive Manufacturing system for large-format metal printing
- **DMS Factory 500**
Multi-axis high-capacity CNC machining platform
- **DMS Flex 350**
Versatile CNC system for rapid prototyping and high-mix, low-volume production
- **HAAS UMC 1000SS**
High-speed 5-axis CNC milling center for precision components
- **Laguna SmartShop® M CNC Router**
Industrial-grade router for composite and polymer work



COMPLETED INFRASTRUCTURE



→ **FULL EXTERIOR REFURBISHMENT**
+ PARKING LOT DRAINAGE REPAIRS

→ **CONFERENCE CENTERS**
THAT TRIPLED OUR CONVENTION SPACE

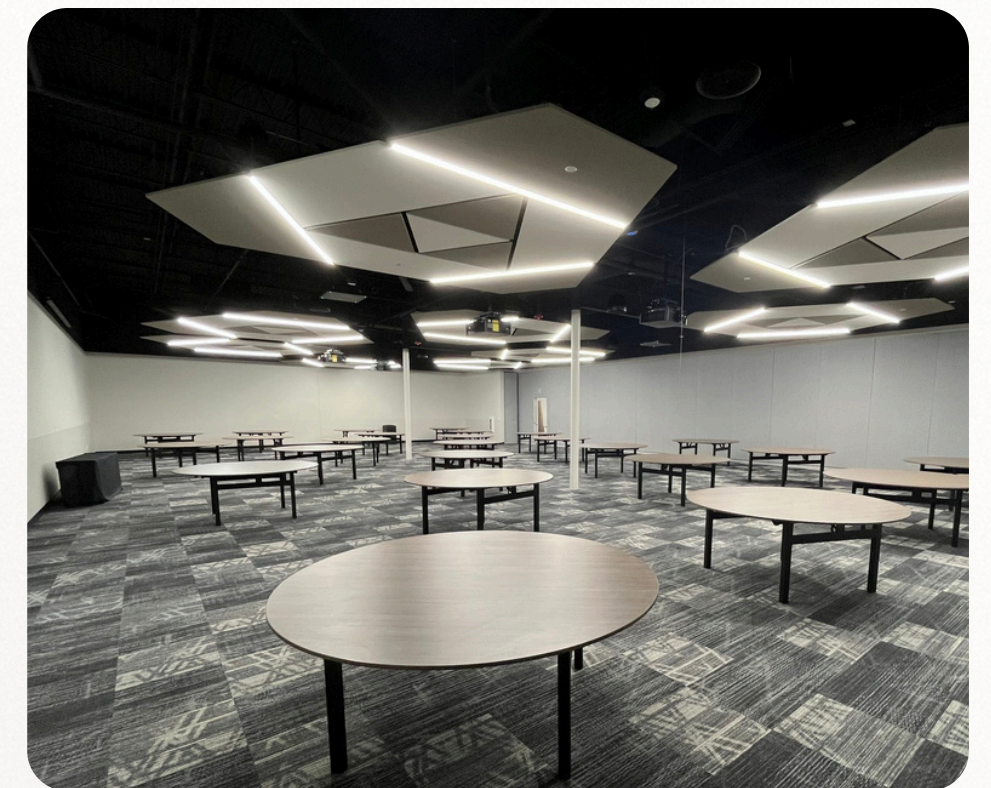
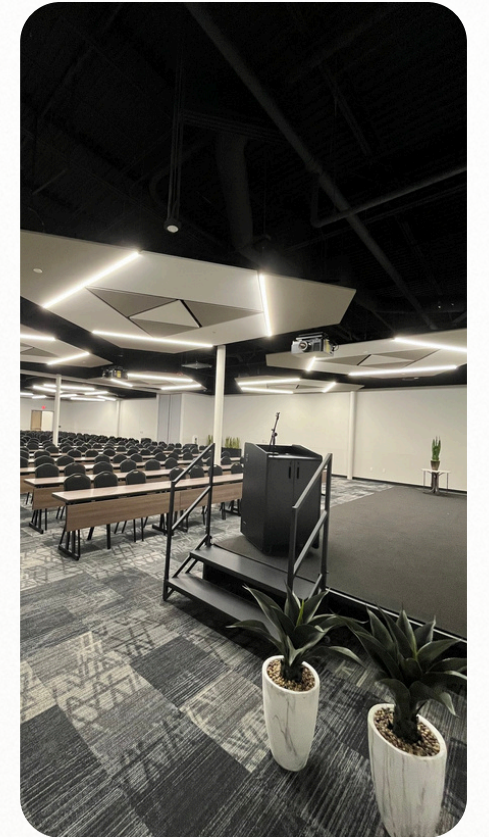
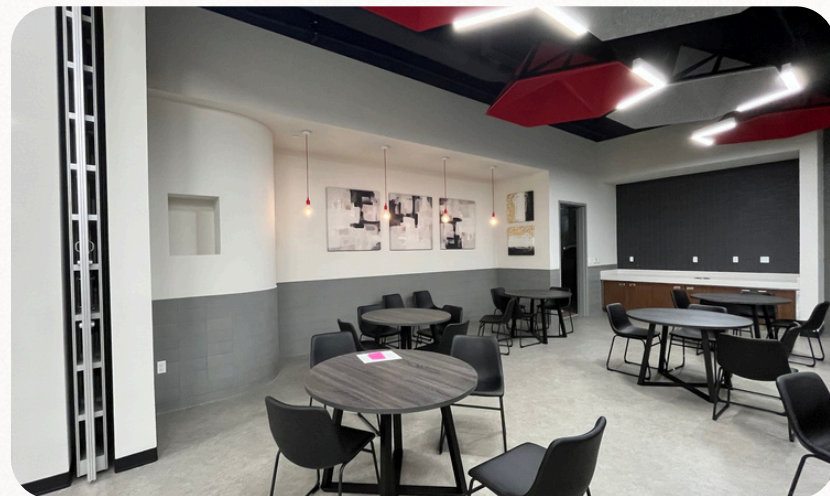
→ **CAFÉ + KITCHEN,**
BREAKROOMS, RESTROOMS

→ **SECURITY UPGRADES** FOR THE
SAFETY OF GUESTS, TENANTS, AND STAFF

→ **CUSTOM-BUILT** LIGHT MANUFACTURING SPACE

→ 5 CUSTOM BUILD-TO-SUIT SUITES

→ 19 **PREFAB** TENANT SUITES



ON THE HORIZON



STEM Lab
27,000 SQ FT STEM LAB
AND MAKERSPACE WITH
FULL PROTOTYPING LAB

Anechoic Chambers
3 AND 10-METER
CUSTOM-BUILT
ANECHOIC CHAMBERS


FIREHAWK
AEROSPACE
BREAKING GROUND ON A
320-ACRE PRODUCTION
AND TESTING FACILITY,
BRINGING **100+** NEW JOBS
ON DAY 1 TO LAWTON

**(Potential)
Partner Expansion**
FISTA IS WORKING WITH A
PARTNER TO EVALUATE AND
CONDUCT SITE SELECTION FOR
A **250K-500K SQ FT** ADVANCED
MANUFACTURING FACILITY



CURRENT PARTNERS



ANDURIL

EPIRUS



by Honeywell



CAMGIAN



Raytheon
An RTX Business



MYDEFENCE
COUNTER DRONE TECHNOLOGY



SBIR Advisors

ACS



KNOWMADICS



OKLAHOMA AEROSPACE &
DEFENSE INNOVATION INSTITUTE



leidos



picogrid



Tailored Training. Tailored Solutions.



NORTHROP
GRUMMAN



OKLAHOMA
AEROSPACE INSTITUTE
FOR RESEARCH AND EDUCATION



ANPC



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**Thank you for your
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Together, we are expanding opportunities, strengthening our impact, and positioning Lawton-Fort Sill as a national leader in innovation, defense technology, and economic development. This progress is a shared achievement—and we are honored to help shape the future of our community alongside you.

