# Texas State University CIEDAR Projects & Labs



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MEMBER THE TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

## **Texas State University**

- 4th largest university in Texas, 1,800 faculty, 40,000 students, over 5,100 acres of land housing two campuses and multiple research labs.
- 50% of our students are ethnic minorities;
  - o 10-year Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI), 35% Hispanic population.







## **TXST CIEDAR Locations**

 Round Rock Campus – 100 acres •San Marcos Campus – 500 acres STAR Park – 100 acres Freeman Ranch – 4,200 acres Muller Ranch – 160 acres ALERRT Center – 65 acres Grand Total 5,125 acres

# **TXST CIEDAR Vision**

- Connected Infrastructure for Education, Demonstration, and Applied Research (CIEDAR).
- The creation of fourteen (14) living labs in 1,000 acres with a focus on 9 verticals in partnership with industry to accelerate *digitalization, decentralization, and decarbonization* of industry.

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## **TXST CIEDAR Mission**

- The study of technologies with application to the lifecycle monitoring of infrastructure assets.
  - $_{\odot}$  Validation of existing technologies
  - Evaluation of emerging technologies
  - Development of new technologies
- The multidisciplinary study of technologies with application to infrastructure.
  - project teams may include engineering (civil electrical, industrial, manufacturing, mechanical), physics, chemistry, geography, mathematics, computer science, business, design, biology, psychology, communications and many others.



## **TXST CIEDAR Key Benefits**

- Each lab is a R&D marketplace of solutions solving real life problems.
- Our faculty and students deliver world-class solutions at a 50% less in labor cost. All Intellectual Property licensing have been pre-set at super affordable rates.
- Buyers and Sellers get to work together quickly and efficiently to find practical and affordable answers to pressing challenges.
- Deploying the solutions within TXST real state grounds and/or at any of the Cities and Utilities members.

## **TXST CIEDAR Smart Living Labs**

 CIEDAR is exploring partnerships with industry to develop <u>14</u> smart living labs in 9 sectors populated by its expert faculty and students:

**Connected Infrastructure, Education, Demonstration, and Applied Research** 



Sensors (wearables, printable, embedded, nano, micro, waterproof, ingestible, others)

Data / Software (AI / ML, Blockchain, Databases, Cloud, Cybersecurity, Autonomous X)

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## **TXST CIEDAR Members**



Planning to onboard another 20 new members in the coming months. Cities, Utilities, Enterprises.

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## **TXST CIEDAR Industry Advisory Board**



**Dave Anderson** President & CEO





**Richard Soley Executive Director** 





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**Curtis Rodgers** Principal



### **Current and Potential Member Relationships**



## **TXST CIEDAR Key Projects**

- Stand Up Smart Networks Lab at STAR Park OPEN
  - Private LTE/5G 900 MHz licensed research network testbed buildout reaching all facilities.
  - Wirepas 900 MHz unlicensed research network testbed buildout reaching all facilities.
  - o LoRAWAN 900 MHz / 2.4 GHz unlicensed research network testbed buildout reaching all facilities.
  - Wi-SUN 900 MHz unlicensed research network testbed buildout reaching all facilities.
  - Wi-Fi 6 / 4G / 5G on our Smart Street Lights across our Smart City Lab.
  - CBRS 3.55 3.7 GHz research network testbed buildout reaching all facilities.
  - o 10/100 Gbps fiber research network testbed buildout reaching all facilities.
- <u>Smart Cities Lab</u> at STAR Park- Smart LED / Solar Powered / Energy Storage Street Lights with Wi-Fi / 4G / 5G cells and Optical, Noise, Air Quality, Humidity, Temperature, and Flood sensors - OPEN
- NOC/SOC Training Lab at STAR Park (173) OPEN
- Smart Building & Infrastructure Lab at STAR Park OPEN
- <u>Sensors Lab</u> Opens in Q1
- <u>Big Data and Software Lab</u> Opens in Q1
- Smart Commercialization Lab Opens in Q4
- 64 MW and 160-acres Solar PV Farm testbed and <u>Smart Energy & Utilities Lab</u> 15, 000 sq ft at Muller Ranch – RFP in Q1 2023
- Smart Mobility Lab at Freeman Ranch, SMTX Airport, and HWY I35 and 130 Planning
  - o 500-acre smart mobility track testbed buildout
  - 100 miles round trip CAV Shuttle System from RRTX <-> SMTX
  - o Drone Power Line and tower Inspection testbed buildout by Q3 2022 at SMTX Airport
  - o Drone Commercial Packages Delivery testbed buildout by Q3 2022 at SMTX Airport
  - o Drone People Transport testbed buildout by Q3 2022 at SMTX Airport
  - VTOL testing and VTOL Pod development and testing at SMTX Airport
- Workforce Housing competition followed by testbed and Smart Homes Labs at STAR Park Planning
- Smart public safety testbed + Smart XReality Lab at ALERRT Center Planning

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## **Smart Cities Lab**

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### Smart Buildings & Infrastructure Lab

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#### **Advanced Prototyping Lab**

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#### **Smart Homes Lab**

1,000 square feet, 2 bedroom, 1 or 2 bath, net zero energy, net zero water, design and build cost at or less than \$100 per square foot. 3 winners build at STAR Park models. Deploy region wide with local developers.

Bedroom Smart books interact with the

house's 3D and virtual reality system, bringing to life what you read.

#### Kitchen

Smart surfaces identify what's on them and have the ability to react accordingly - keeping coffee cups warm and iced-tea cold. A ferigerators will advise on recipes based on whats in stock and creates personal diets.

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## **Smart Energy Lab**

Solar PV, fuel cells, energy storage, EV charging, V2G/V2X, tracking systems, energy management systems (VVO/DRMS/DERMS/VPP), metering, inverters, power electronic components, trading systems, blockchain, AI/ML/Analytics, drones for monitoring, drone recharging, and green hydrogen.

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## **Smart Utilities Lab**

Digital Substation, Digital Energy Control Room, Digital Switch yard, Smart grid management (Sub / Transformers / Distribution-Wires, meters, DCS / GMS, OMS / DMS / ADMS, and SCADA / EMS), energy management systems (V2G / CVR / VVO / DR / DER / VPP), control systems (CVR, FDIR, FLISR, Power Factor, Harmonics, Modulation, Power Electronics), Transformers, Reclosures, Switches, Feeders, Tap Changers, Bushings, HV Wires, MV Wires, LV Wires, Cap Banks, energy storage, EV charging, metering, trading systems, blockchain, AI / ML / Analytics, communications networks, cybersecurity.

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#### **Smart Water & Wastewater Lab**

Water Treatment (Surface Water and Groundwater), Wastewater Treatment, Brackish Water Desalination, Potable and Non-potable Water Reuse, SCADA, Data Analysis and Process Optimization, Source Water, Lake and Reservoir Management, Water Collection and Distribution System, Centralized and Decentralized Systems, Stormwater Management, Rainwater Harvesting, Conservation, Safety, AMI, Pre-Pay, Leak Detection, Master Planning, Smart Pumping, Water Quality, Emerging Contaminants and Advanced Treatment, and Water Management NOC (Video Wall).

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#### **Smart CAV Lab**

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#### New testing scenarios.

The new testing environments and scenarios will vary significantly from the traditional way of testing.

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#### A shift towards new testing scenarios

In testing of CAV (Connected Autonomous Vehicles) there will be a shift towards new test scenarios. At TILKE we have analyzed these new requirements and come to the following conclusion:

- Simulation in complex urban environments will be one of the most important testing fields.
- Laboratories and testing in the virtual (digital) environment will become key.
- Highway simulation (ramp on, ramp off) will become an important test scenario.
- Traditional testing (NVH Durability, Braking) will remain important.
- Active emergency, L.O.S. (loss of signal), V2X and V2V communication are new testing requirements.
- High speed and dynamic testing become less important.

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## 100 miles RR <-> SM CAV Lab

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#### INTELLIGENT AND AUTONOMOUS INFRASTRUCTURE

INTELLIGENT INFRASTRUCTURE & AVIGATION EASEMENTS FOR ADVANCED SERVICES

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## Smart DRONE/VTOL Lab

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and smart buildings.

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## **Smart Networks Lab**

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## **Big Data and Software Lab**

AI/ML	Blockchain	Databases	
Embedded Systems	Cloud Computing	Mobile Computing	
Cybersecurity	Autonomous Controls	Voice Controls	
UX platforms	UI platforms	Programming Languages	
Social Media	AR/VR/XR	Digital Twins	
GIS, Location Services	Written Equations	Visualization	
Control Systems	Energy Management Systems		

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## **Smart Sensors Lab**

Pressure	Temperature	Force
Vibration	Motion	Light
Ultrasonic	Smoke	Smell
Color	Gas	Alcohol
CO2	Fluid	Altitude
Humidity	Air Quality	Wearables
Embedded	Nano / Micro	Gesture
Voice	Water Proof	Ingestible
Printable	Location	AI/ML

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#### **NOC/SOC Training Lab**

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#### **Smart Commercialization Lab**

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Problem, Solution, Value Proposition, Competitive Advantage, Market Opportunity, & Size, Business Models, Supply Chain, Partnerships, Proprietary Protections, Go-To-Market Strategy, Implementation Plan, Warranty and Services, Customer Lifecycle Management. 2

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