



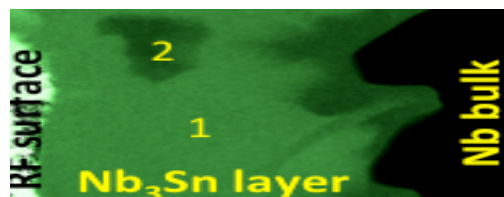
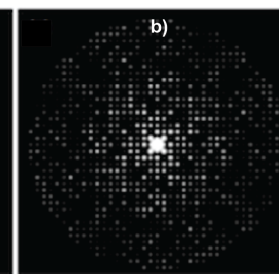
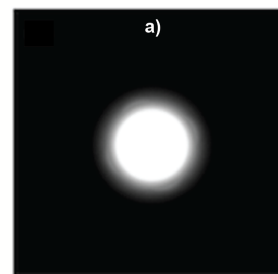
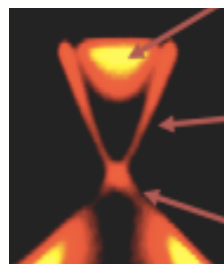
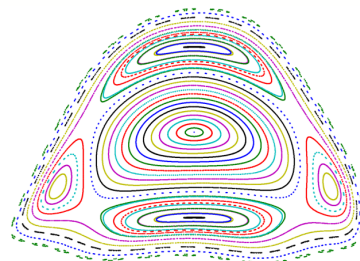
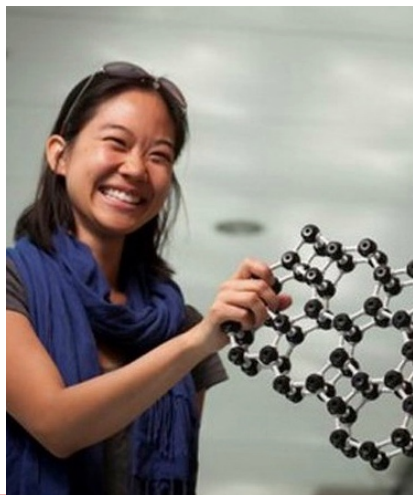
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A National Science Foundation Science & Technology Center



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# Center Overview

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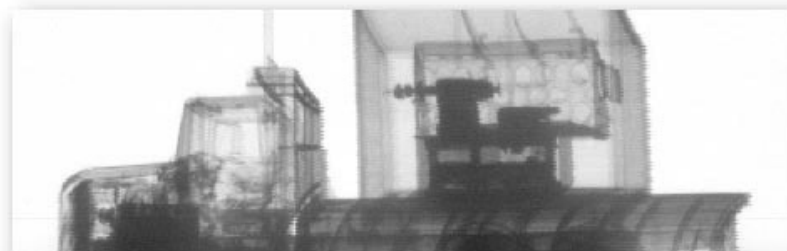


# Why accelerators?



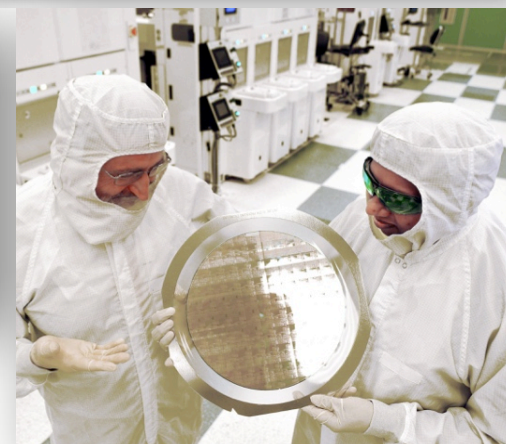
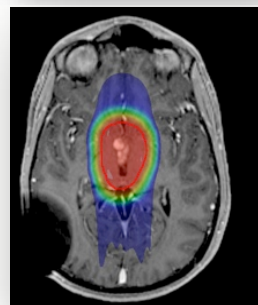
- Industry

- Food & product safety
- Contraband detection
- Polymer cross-linking, eg tires
- Semiconductor fabrication



- Medicine

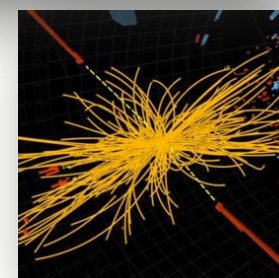
- Medical isotope production
- Tumor treatment



~30,000 industrial and medical accelerators are in use,  
with annual sales of \$3.5 B and 10% growth per year.

- Research

- X ray sources and colliders for nuclear & particle physics
- Electron microscopes



Since 1943, a Nobel Prize in **Physics** has been awarded to  
research benefiting from accelerators every 3 years.

Since 1997, the same has been true of **Chemistry**.





# Center for Bright Beams - CBB



An NSF Science and Technology Center

## Center Vision:

Revolutionize the brilliance of beams available to science, medicine and industry.

## Center Mission:

Transform the reach of electron beams by increasing brightness x100 and reducing the cost and size of key technologies.

Transfer the best of these technologies to national labs and industry.

Prepare a diverse generation of students for a broad set of career paths.



LOW BRIGHTNESS  
High emittance

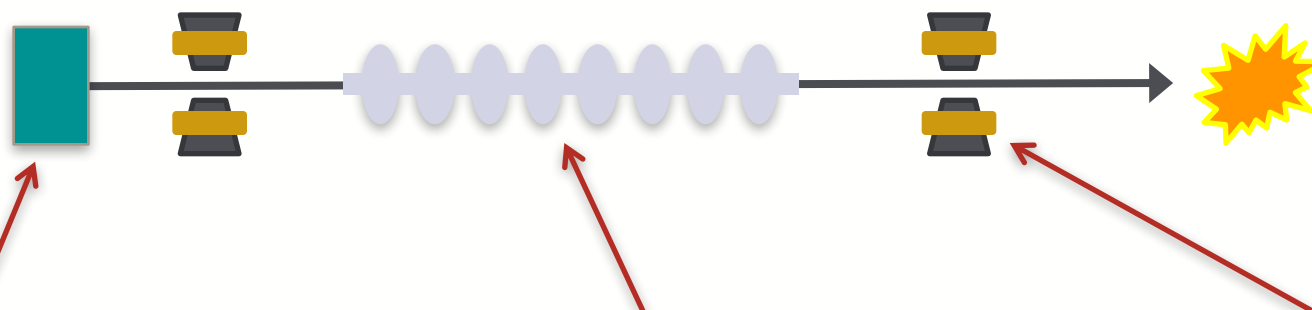


HIGH BRIGHTNESS  
Low emittance

Emittance =  
Size x angular spread



# CBB Research Themes



## Beam Production

Methods for x100 brighter photocathodes

## Beam Acceleration

Methods for superconducting RF accelerating cavities with x10 lower losses and x2 higher gradient

## Beam Transport and Storage

Methods for beam transport that preserve x10 brighter beams

**Integration** of these methods in order to optimize high performance accelerator systems.

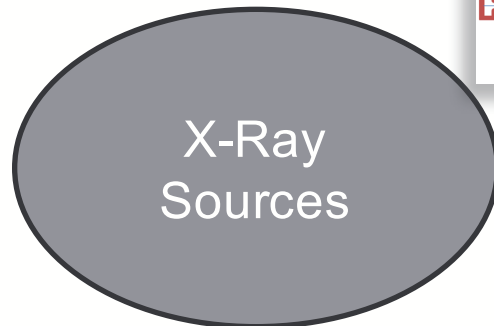
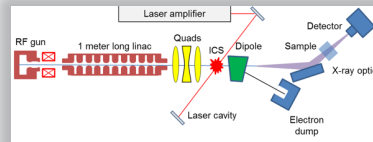


# Impact of Brighter Beams

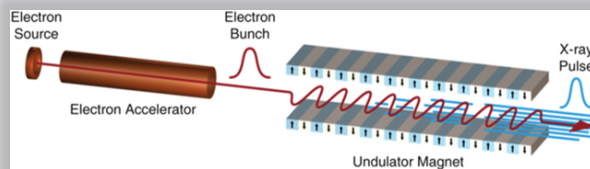


## Inverse Compton Scattering

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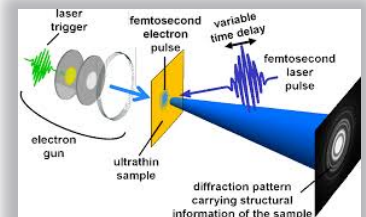
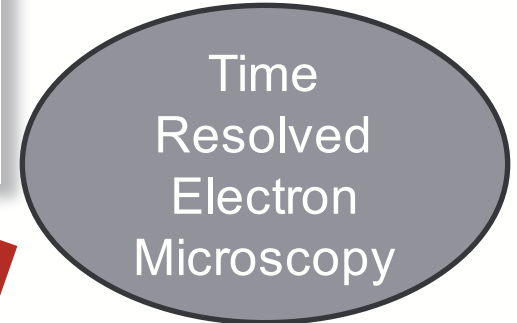
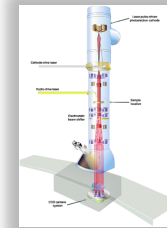
C. Pellegrini *et al.* Rev. Mod. Phys. 88 015006 (2015)



## X-FELs

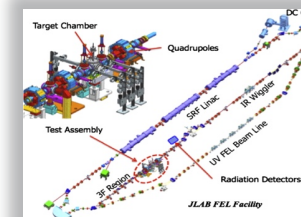
## Dynamic Transmission Electron Microscope (DTEM)

Armstrong *et al.* Ultramicroscopy, 4, 356 (2007)



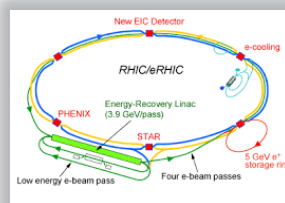
## Ultrafast electron diffraction

Tschalär *et al.* NIMA, 729, 69 (2013)

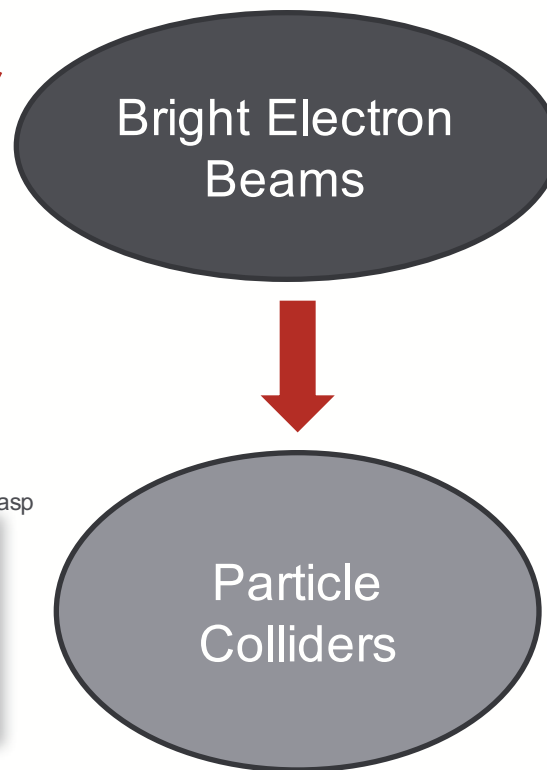


## Dark Photon searches

<https://www.bnl.gov/rhic/news/081407/story1.asp>



## Electron-ion collider







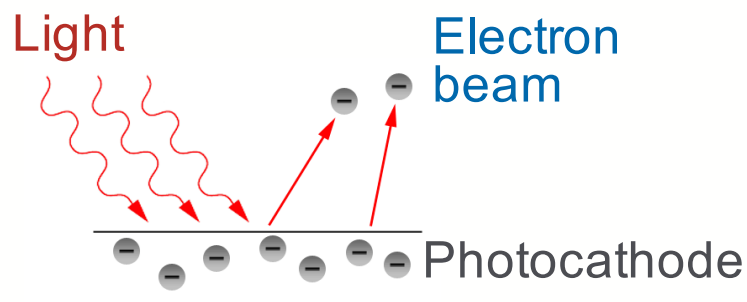
# Theme: Beam production



## Goal:

Methods for x100 brighter electron beams through better photocathodes.

For brighter beams for X-ray sources, colliders and electron imaging.



## Areas of investigation:

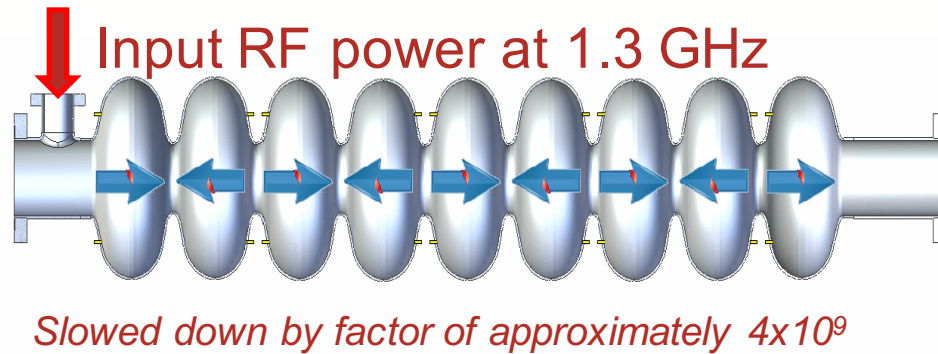
- Band structure, phonon scattering
- Ultrafast heating
- Surface roughness
- Multiphoton emission
- Tip arrays (eventually)

## Sample discoveries:

- Two-photon emission dominates in copper photocathodes at the emission threshold for high laser fluence, and results in high transverse energy.
- Surface roughness drives transverse energy for alkali antimonide photocathodes.



# Theme: Beam acceleration



**Goals:** Methods for  
**x10 lower power losses.**

For lower costs, simpler  
refrigeration and wider access to  
high-power beams.

**x2 accelerating gradient**

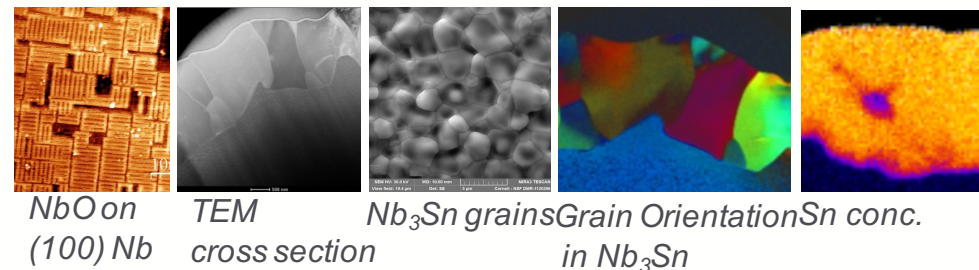
Compound superconductors  
promise cheaper, more compact  
acceleration.

## Areas of investigation:

- Doping effects in niobium
- Vortex nucleation & flux trapping
- Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn growth, grain orientation and superconducting properties

## Sample discoveries:

- The field in Nb<sub>3</sub>Sn cavities is limited by tin-depleted pockets
- At high fields, viscous losses from trapped flux drive heating in niobium.





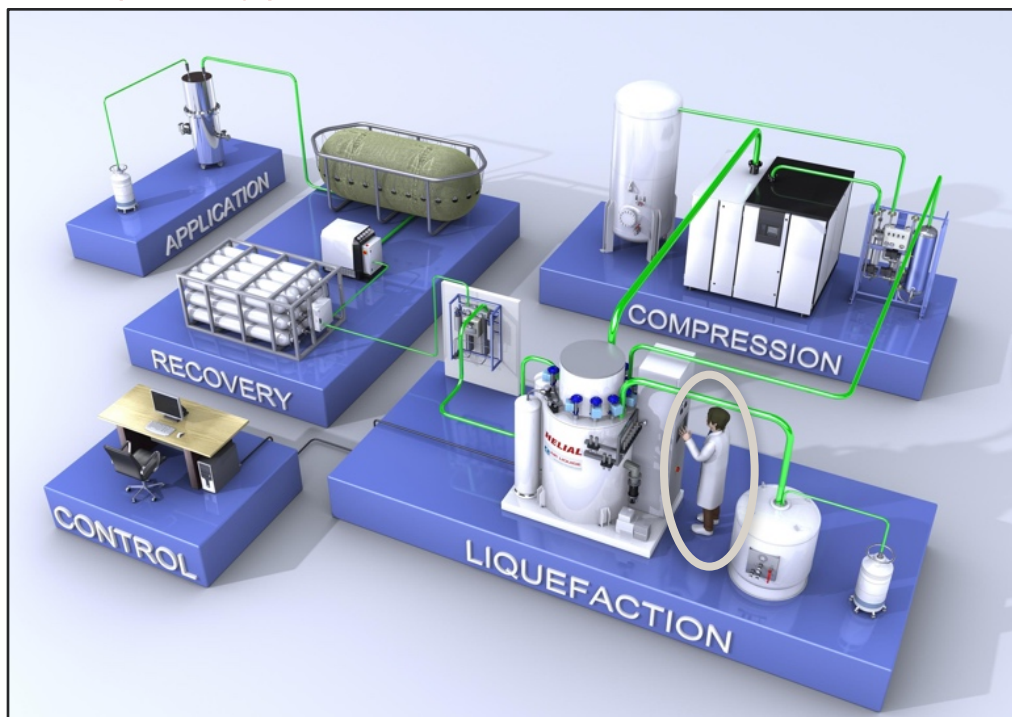
# Impact for SRF operations



Superconducting RF refrigeration systems, for one cavity.

2K (Today)

Cost: ~\$1M



4.2K

Cost: \$50k



4.2K operation will make Superconducting RF vastly more accessible, enabling widespread use of high power beams in science and industry.





# Theme: Beam transport and storage



**Goal:** Methods for beam transport that **preserve the quality of**

**x100 brighter beams** in linear accelerators and electron microscopes and

**x10 brighter beams in storage rings.**

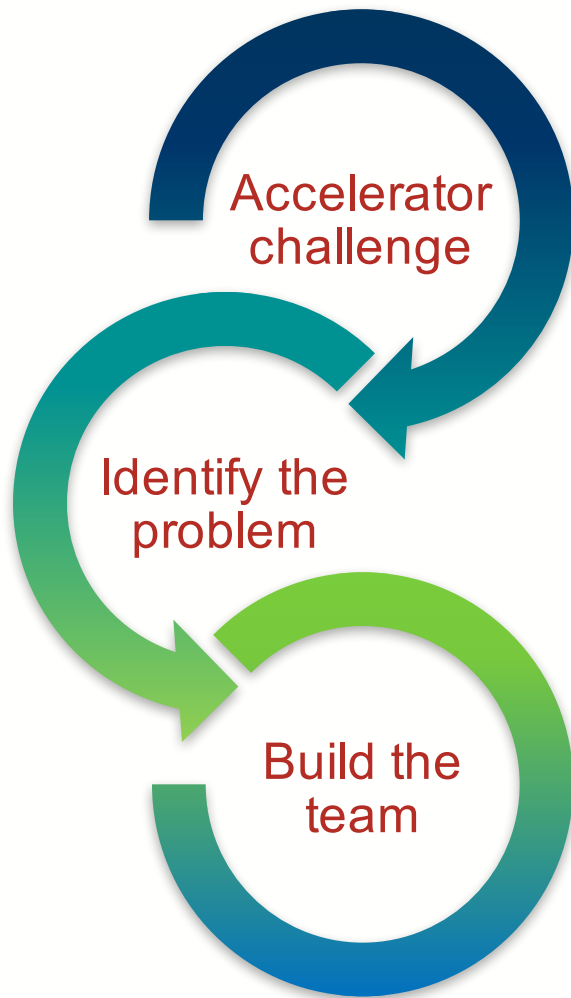
For better, cheaper beam control.

## Areas of investigation:

- Emittance conservation of 100x brighter sources to the target.
- Real-time tuning of aberration correction in electron microscopes
- Nonlinearity optimization in storage rings
- Instability suppression via increased tune spread

## Sample discoveries:

- Electron microscope tuning can be described with a sloppy model, reducing the number of tuning parameters from  $>100$  to  $\sim 10$ .
- A new metric can identify sources of emittance dilution in UED setups.



- Accelerator science
- Surface chemistry
- Nonlinear dynamics
- Condensed matter physics
- Materials science
- Ultrafast electron microscopy
- Elementary particle physics

**CBB success depends on teamwork.**

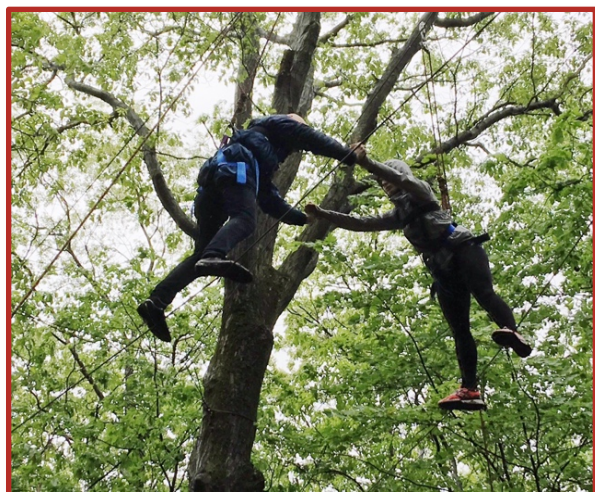


# Future Workforce



## Grad student training

- Individual Development Plans
- Communications: Oral and written
- Mentoring training for all
- Entrepreneurship workshops
- Internships
- Improv workshop on teamwork
- Ethics education
- Implicit bias diagnostics



## Building the STEM pipeline.

### Science needs smart people.

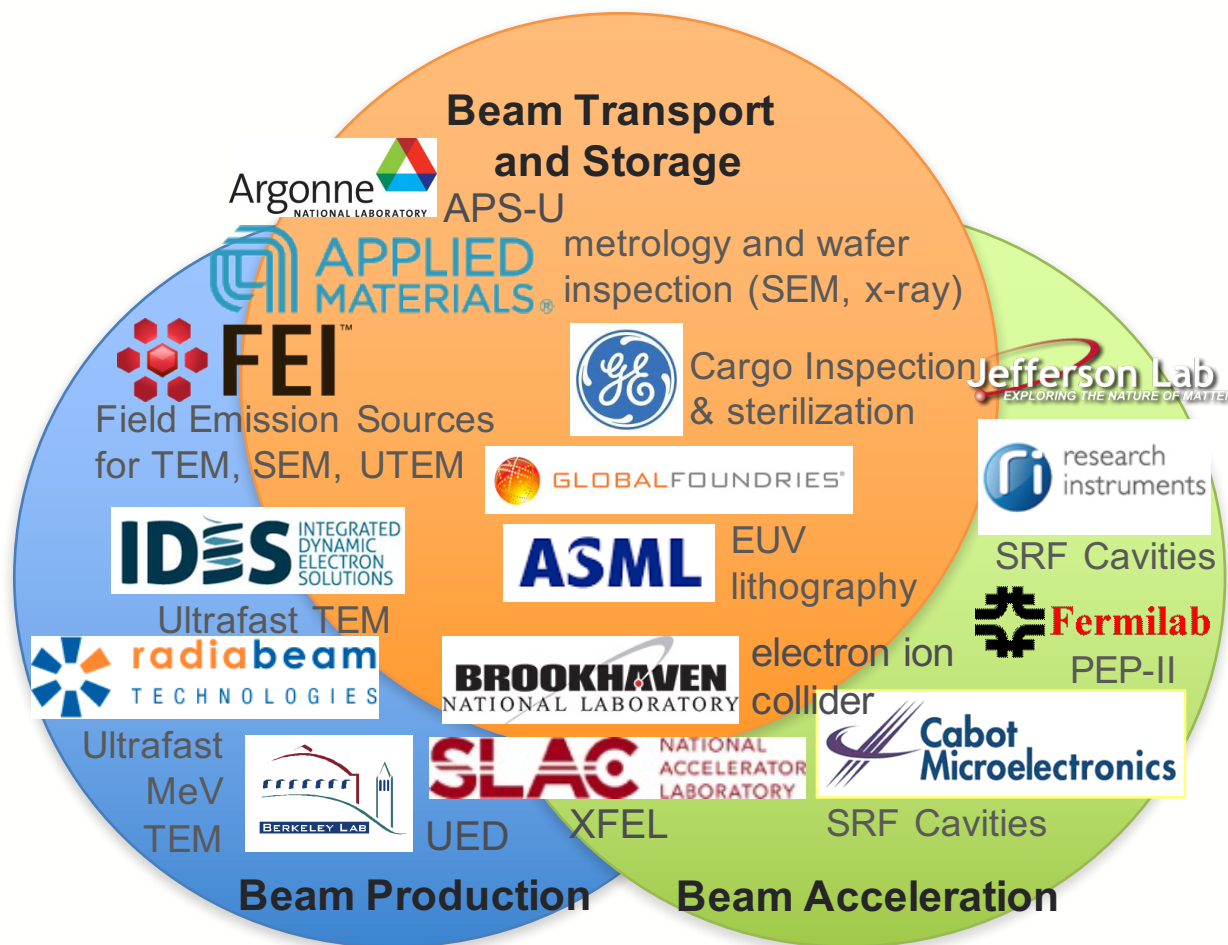
- Close partnership with the Atlanta Consortium of minority-serving institutions
- Research Experience for Undergraduates from underrepresented groups
- *STEP UP!* and *Expanding Your Horizons* for middle school students and teachers.



# Knowledge Transfer



- Transfer CBB approaches into new accelerators and commercial products.
- Prepare students for a broad range of career paths.





# Get involved

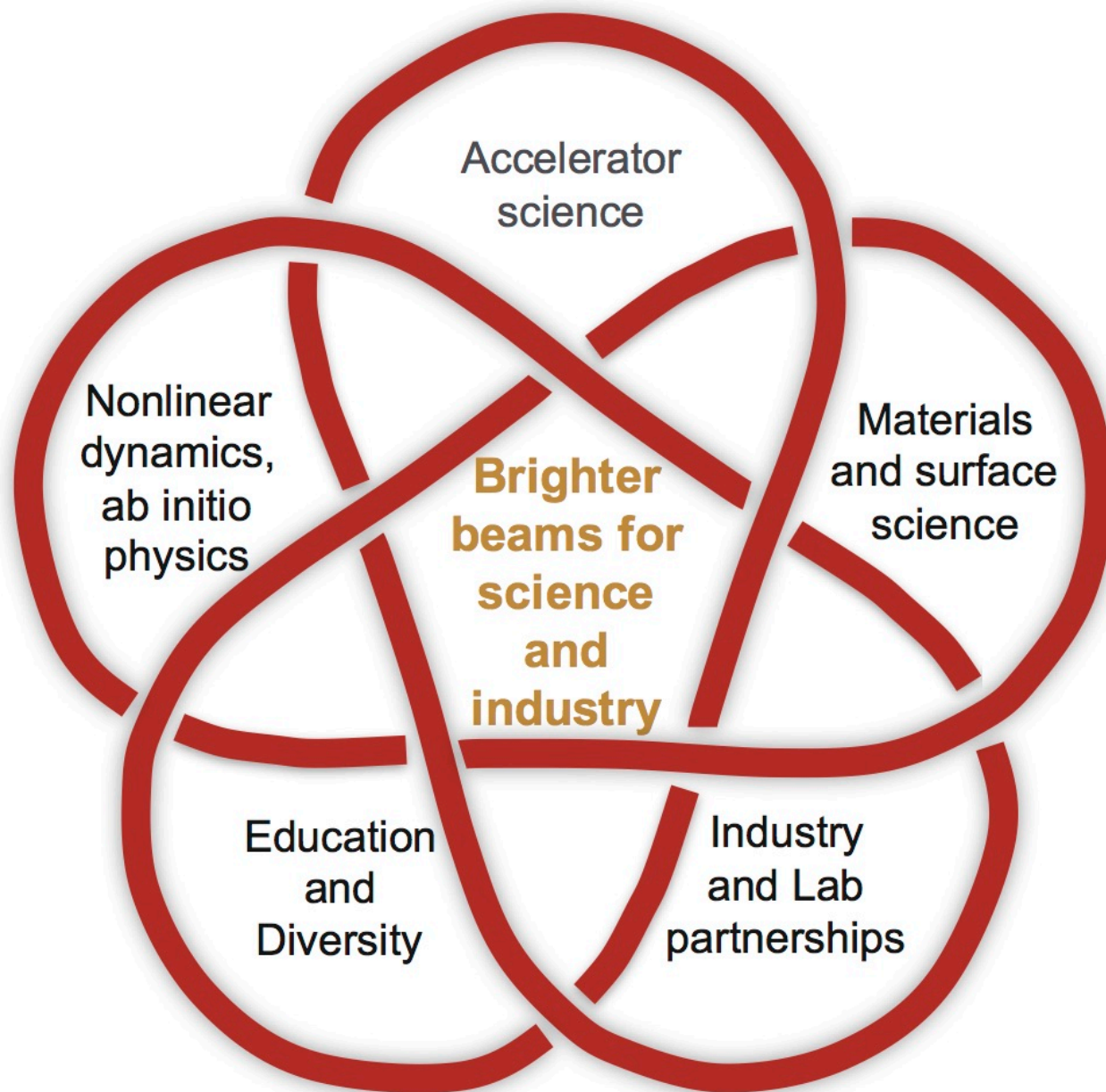


- See an activity relevant to your lab or company?  
Tell us. We're eager to collaborate or transfer our know-how.
- Interested in connecting with our students and postdocs?  
Become a career mentor or offer an internship opportunity. Or spend a day with us, and tell us about your work and career.





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Questions?