



Innovation in

- ❑ Crystal Jordan attends Metro High School, a unique school in Columbus, Ohio that emphasizes an education in math, science, and technology. Battelle, The Ohio State University, and the Coalition of Essential Schools National provided significant financial support so the school could first open its doors in 2006.

Community and Education

Nearly 80 years ago, Battelle was incorporated as a charitable trust through the Will of Gordon Battelle; and we continue to sustain his legacy through our mission: to translate scientific discovery into innovative solutions for the benefit of our fellow citizens, and to be a significant benefactor for charitable activities—especially education.

20 Percent of Battelle Profits Earmarked for Community Service

Community service is a value embedded deep in Battelle's corporate culture. As a charitable trust, we share the income from our global businesses, lab operations, and commercial ventures with our communities. Battelle designates at least one-fifth of our net operating profit for charitable giving, which supports education, civic needs, the arts, and health and human services. In 2007, Battelle contributed \$16 million to the communities where our staff live and work.

Investing in the Next Generation of Scientists

About two-thirds of our philanthropic dollars are earmarked annually for education. We view our efforts toward shaping the future of education, from early childhood through college, as helping to ensure the competitiveness and, ultimately, the prosperity of our nation. That's why we support science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) education—from mentoring in the classroom to influencing education policy.

- ➔ In January 2007, Battelle committed \$1 million to the National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE) and also co-sponsored NSBE's VIP Banquet during NSBE's national convention in Columbus, Ohio. Dozens of Battelle staff participated in the convention, from representing Battelle at a career fair to serving as volunteers at student robotics, rocketry and Try-Math-A-Lon competitions. Battelle strongly supports NSBE and what it stands for: providing educational opportunities for young African Americans, making an impact on the fields of science and technology, and encouraging leadership in training and activities for all young people. In the photo at right, several Battelle staff and NSBE members take a moment to celebrate Battelle's charitable contribution.

Partnering to Better Others' Lives

Collaboration is another core Battelle value. As a catalyst for sustainable change, Battelle has partnered with organizations like The Ohio State University, the Foundation for the National Institutes of Health, Goodwill, Habitat for Humanity, the American Red Cross, and United Way on education, women's health, and many other initiatives aimed at improving our quality of life.

Responding to the Call for Action

Battelle's commitment to community service isn't only organizational—it's individual. In 2007, nearly 1,000 Team Battelle staff volunteers donated almost 7,000 hours of their time to more than 50 projects for non-profit organizations like Big Brothers Big Sisters and Junior Achievement, among many others.

Contributing, catalyzing, and collaborating—this is how we care for our communities, and this is how we characterize our corporate citizenship.



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Kofi Korsah, a researcher at Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL), volunteers as a classroom mentor helping Oak Ridge High School students with their science projects. UT-Battelle, which manages ORNL for the Department of Energy, is among the region's leading corporate supporters of science education.



In October 2007, Battelle pledged a second \$1 million gift to the Hanford Reach Interpretive Center in Richland, Washington to fund educational exhibits and construction of the museum. When completed, the 61,000-square-foot facility will house exhibits, gardens, a theatre, and educational programs for adults and children that showcase the natural and cultural history of the Columbia River and greater Columbia Basin.



Idaho National Laboratory partnered with the Museum of Idaho on the INL Science and Engineering Expo. The Expo, which plays a prominent role in the development portion of the Governor of Idaho's Science and Technology Plan, exposes students and their teachers and parents to a diverse range of potential careers in science, technology, engineering, and math.



Brookhaven National Laboratory initiated the Open Space Stewardship Program, a school, community, and government partnership that provides an opportunity for students from kindergarten through college to participate in land stewardship through environmental research projects in their neighborhoods and classrooms.

