

PROFILE

Battelle began operations in 1929, was established by the Will of Gordon Battelle, and serves as a memorial to his family, who were leaders in the early days of America's steel industry. Today Battelle is a global enterprise specializing in science and technology discovery and application, commercialization of technology, and management of laboratories for customers. Founded and headquartered in Columbus, Ohio, Battelle:

- Is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) charitable trust formed in 1925;
- Generates about \$4 billion in research and development activity annually;
- Helps oversee more than 20,000 employees worldwide;
- Is involved with hundreds of projects for about 1,100 government and industrial clients each year;
- Helps develop between 50 and 100 patented inventions annually; and
- Returns a minimum of 20 percent of its net income to the communities in which it operates and, in addition to education, directs its philanthropic distributions toward programs in human services, the arts and sciences, and economic development.

Battelle is organized into several distinct business segments:

Battelle Global Businesses. Battelle translates science and technology into products, systems, and services and focuses on “signature” areas of energy technology, national security, and health and life sciences.

Battelle Ventures. A venture fund financed by, but independent of, Battelle that helps move technology into the marketplace by providing seed and early-stage capital for technology companies.

Laboratory Management. Battelle manages or co-manages six national laboratories for the U.S. Department of Energy and also manages the nation's premier biological threat characterization and bioforensic analysis research facility for the U.S. Department of Homeland Security:

- *Brookhaven National Laboratory* (managed by Brookhaven Science Associates, LLC, composed of Battelle and Stony Brook University);
- *Idaho National Laboratory* (managed by Battelle Energy Alliance, LLC, of which Battelle is the sole member, and a team consisting of BWX Technologies, Inc. [BWXT], Washington Group International, Electric Power Research Institute, and an Alliance of University Collaborators led by the Massachusetts Institute of Technology);
- *Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory* (managed by Lawrence Livermore National Security, LLC, which includes the University of California, Bechtel National, BWXT, and Washington Group International);
- *National Biodefense Analysis & Countermeasures Center* (managed by Battelle National Biodefense Institute, a Battelle limited liability company);
- *National Renewable Energy Laboratory* (co-managed by Battelle and Midwest Research Institute);
- *Oak Ridge National Laboratory* (managed by UT-Battelle, LLC, composed of the University of Tennessee and Battelle); and
- *Pacific Northwest National Laboratory* (managed by Battelle).

Education. The objective of “...improving the education of men and women to better prepare them for employment” has been included in Battelle's “Mission and Core Purposes” since its inception in 1929. Toward that end, Battelle actively supports educational initiatives in Ohio and across the United States that measure student achievement, assist with professional development for teachers, and promote inquiry-based learning, especially in the science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) disciplines.

In addition to the national laboratories, Battelle operates major technology centers in Columbus, Ohio and Aberdeen, Maryland. Specialized facilities, regional centers, and offices are located in more than 130 cities worldwide.