

A SSEBE Welcome



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ASU's design aspirations

Leverage Our Place

Transform Society

Value Entrepreneurship

Conduct Use-Inspired Research

Enable Student Success

Fuse Intellectual Disciplines

Be Socially Embedded

Engage Globally

#1 in innovation

Four ~~Two~~ years in row, U.S. News and World Report





**We build engineers
and inspire innovators.**

OUR TRANSDISCIPLINARY PARTNERS AT ASU

- School of Arts, Media and Engineering
Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts
- School of Earth and Space Exploration
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
- The Biodesign Institute
College of Integrative Sciences and Arts
- Global Security Initiative
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Sustainable
Engineering
and the Built
Environment**

Ram Pendyala,
Interim Director

**The
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Ann McKenna, Director

918 students
759 undergraduate
159 graduate

6,735 students
5,276 undergraduate
1,459 graduate

3,324 students
2,340 undergraduate
984 graduate

3,820 students
3,154 undergraduate
666 graduate

1,743 students
1,321 undergraduate
422 graduate

5,454 students
5,088 undergraduate
366 graduate

Biomedical Engineering
Biological Design

Computer Engineering
Computer Science
Computer Systems
Engineering
Engineering Management
Industrial Engineering
Informatics
Robotics
Software Engineering

Electrical Engineering
Computer Engineering
Robotics

Aerospace Engineering
Chemical Engineering
Materials Science and
Engineering
Mechanical Engineering
Robotics
Solar Energy Engineering
and Commercialization

Civil Engineering
Construction Engineering
Construction Management
Environmental Engineering
Sustainable Engineering

Aviation programs
Engineering programs
Environmental and Resource
Management
Global Technology and
Entrepreneurship
Graphic Information
Technology
Human Systems Engineering
Information Technology
Robotics
Management of Technology
User Experience

Fall 2018 Enrollment
(estimated)

25 undergraduate programs • 41 graduate programs • 2 campuses+online

FSE Progress since 2009

Investment fuels growth and success

Graduation rates have doubled over the last six years. Freshman retention rate increased from 85% to 90% in the same time frame.

One in five ASU students is enrolled in the Ira A. Fulton Schools of Engineering.

Total enrollment

6,407

Fall 2009

22,367

Fall 2018 est.

Undergraduates

4,253

Fall 2009

17,940

Fall 2018 est.

Graduates

2,154

Fall 2009

4,427

Fall 2018 est.

Degrees granted

1,391

2008-2009

4,197

2017-2018

Research expenditures

\$73M

FY2009

\$104M

FY2018

T/TT faculty

214

Fall 2010

350

Fall 2018

SSEBE Progress since 2009

Total enrollment

1,091

Fall 2009

1,734

Fall 2018 est.

Undergraduates

886

Fall 2009

1,321

Fall 2018 est.

Graduates

206

Fall 2009

422

Fall 2018 est.

Degrees granted

205

2009-2010

440

2017-2018

Research Expenditures

\$7.4M

FY 2009

\$18.2M

FY 2018

T/TT faculty

30

Fall 2009

52

Fall 2018

use-inspired research

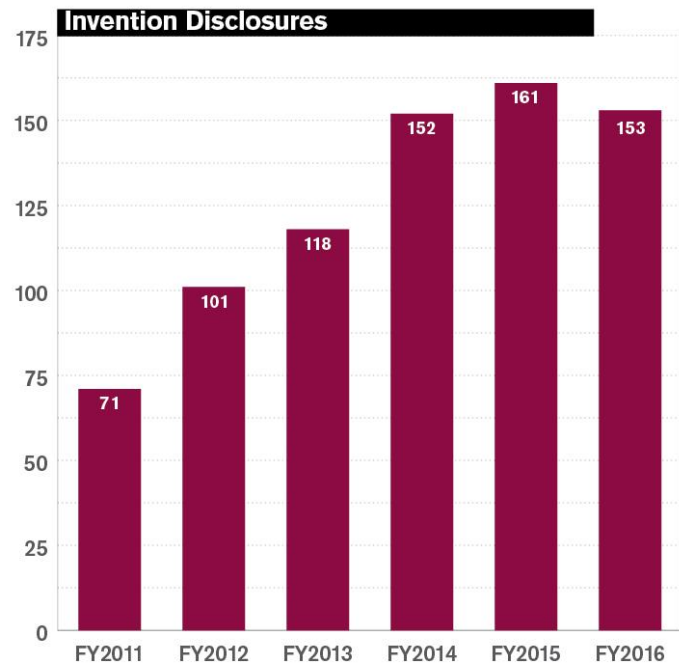


\$98.3M
research awards

\$99.4M ^{FY2016}
research expenditures

1,000+
students conducting
research

7 startups
26 patents
22 major
agreements



New facilities 3-D Print Lab, New Tutoring Center, Generator Labs, College Avenue Commons, New residential community under construction

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built environment**



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construction**

civil, **environmental
and sustainable
engineering**

**construction
engineering**

**environmental
engineering**

Ranking of programs in US

US News and World Report

civil engineering (UG=24; Grad=30)

construction management (top 3)

construction engineering (top 5)

environmental engineering (Grad=13)

data snapshot

enrollment

1702

total enrollment

1285

undergraduate students

417

graduate students

278 M.S./139 Ph.D.

faculty

47

tenured and tenure-track faculty

6 lecturers

8 research faculty

3 professor of practice

student profile

25/1157 ACT/SAT

11% Barrett Honors students

21% female

22% international

31% underrepresented minority

69 Accelerated Bachelor's plus Master's Program students (4+1)

Scholars: Udall, Fulbright, Eisenhower

Global Engagement

Engineers Without Borders, Bridges to Prosperity, US/Mexico Border Water Training Program

22% of FTF first generation



our vision

To be an acknowledged, world-wide innovator in producing leaders, pioneering solutions, and new knowledge for the betterment of human-kind.

We will be the leading source of Civil, Sustainable, Environmental and Construction engineers and managers in the U.S. Southwest.



our mission

To educate students and develop new knowledge and understanding in order to advance engineering and construction processes to achieve sustainability in the built environment.

We do this by focusing on five thematic thrust areas:

- Sustainability
- Energy
- Health
- Security
- Education

Acting locally, thinking globally

Evvan Morton has spent the past four summers in Belize creating a sustainable waste management system and working with local school teachers.



Award Winning Faculty

Bruce Rittmann wins 2018 Stockholm Water Prize for pioneering wastewater treatment



Sam T. Ariaratnam inducted into the Canadian Academy of Engineering as Fellow



NSF Engineering Research Centers (SSEBE)

- Ed Kavazanjian and his team, leading a project entitled: **“NSF Engineering Research Center for *Bio-Mediated and Bio-Inspired Geotechnics*”**
 - \$18.5 million over five years
 - Partners: ASU, UC-Davis, NMSU, Ga Tech
 - <https://engineering.asu.edu/cbbg/>
- Paul Westerhoff and his team, subcontracting with a Rice-led initiative entitled: **“NSF Engineering Research Center for *Off-Grid Nanotechnology Enabled Water Treatment (NEWT)*”**
 - ~\$3.2 million over five years
 - Partners: Rice, ASU, Yale, UTEP
 - <http://www.newtcenter.org>

Examples of Centers in SSEBE - a Wide Variety of Engineering Research Activities

- Ram Pendyala and his team lead the **USDOT Tier 1 Transportation Center “Teaching Old Models New Tricks (TOMNET)”**
 - Partners: ASU, Georgia Tech, U of Washington, Univ of South Florida
 - <https://www.tomnet-utc.org/>
- Kamil Kaloush and his team lead the **“National Center of Excellence on SMART Materials for Urban Climate and Energy”**
 - Impact: Technology, Material, Business and Policy Innovations
 - <https://ncesmart.asu.edu/>
- Rolf Halden and his team lead **“ASU’s Biodesign Center for Environmental Health Engineering”**
 - Impact: Ban Triclocarbon and Triclosan



Welcome to TOMNET

Some Insights on Traveler Behavior and Values



<http://tomnet-utc.org>

<http://mobilityanalytics.org>

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What is TOMNET?

- US Department of Transportation sponsored research center (2016-2022)
- Funding provided for five years (\$7 million with \$3.5 million cost share)
- First University Transportation Center (UTC) led by a university in Arizona
- First University Transportation Center (UTC) dedicated to *travel behavior* research
 - Data collection, assembly, and curation
 - Research and publications
 - TOMNET Scholar initiative
 - Training and technology transfer – partnerships with agencies and industry
 - Education and workforce development



TOMNET Mission

- Identify the most promising approaches for integrating attitudes, values, and perception variables in **regional transportation planning and forecasting models**
- Enhance behavioral realism in travel demand models, recognizing **heterogeneity** in the population
- Exploration of various **machine learning and statistical data fusion approaches**, involving application topics such as
 - Vehicle ownership and use
 - Adoption of autonomous vehicles and ride-hailing services
 - Safety
 - Resilience
 - Active transportation and built environment choices
 - Pricing policies
 - Long distance travel

Workforce Development: High School Students Summer Activity at ASU

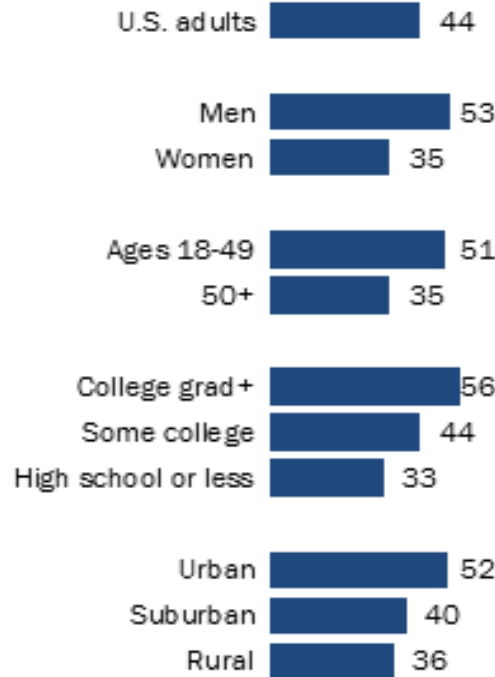


“Just over **half** of Americans **would not** want to ride in a driverless vehicle if given the opportunity; a **lack of confidence/trust in robotic decision-making** and general safety concerns lead their list of worries”

Sources:
<http://www.pewinternet.org/2017/10/04/americans-attitudes-toward-driverless-vehicles/>

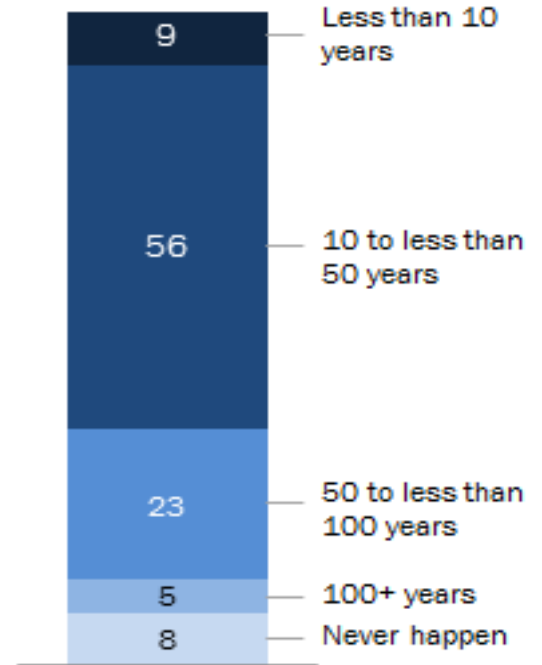
Certain groups more interested in riding in a driverless vehicle

% of U.S. adults who say they would want to ride in a driverless car if given the opportunity



Roughly two-thirds of Americans expect most cars to be driverless in next half century

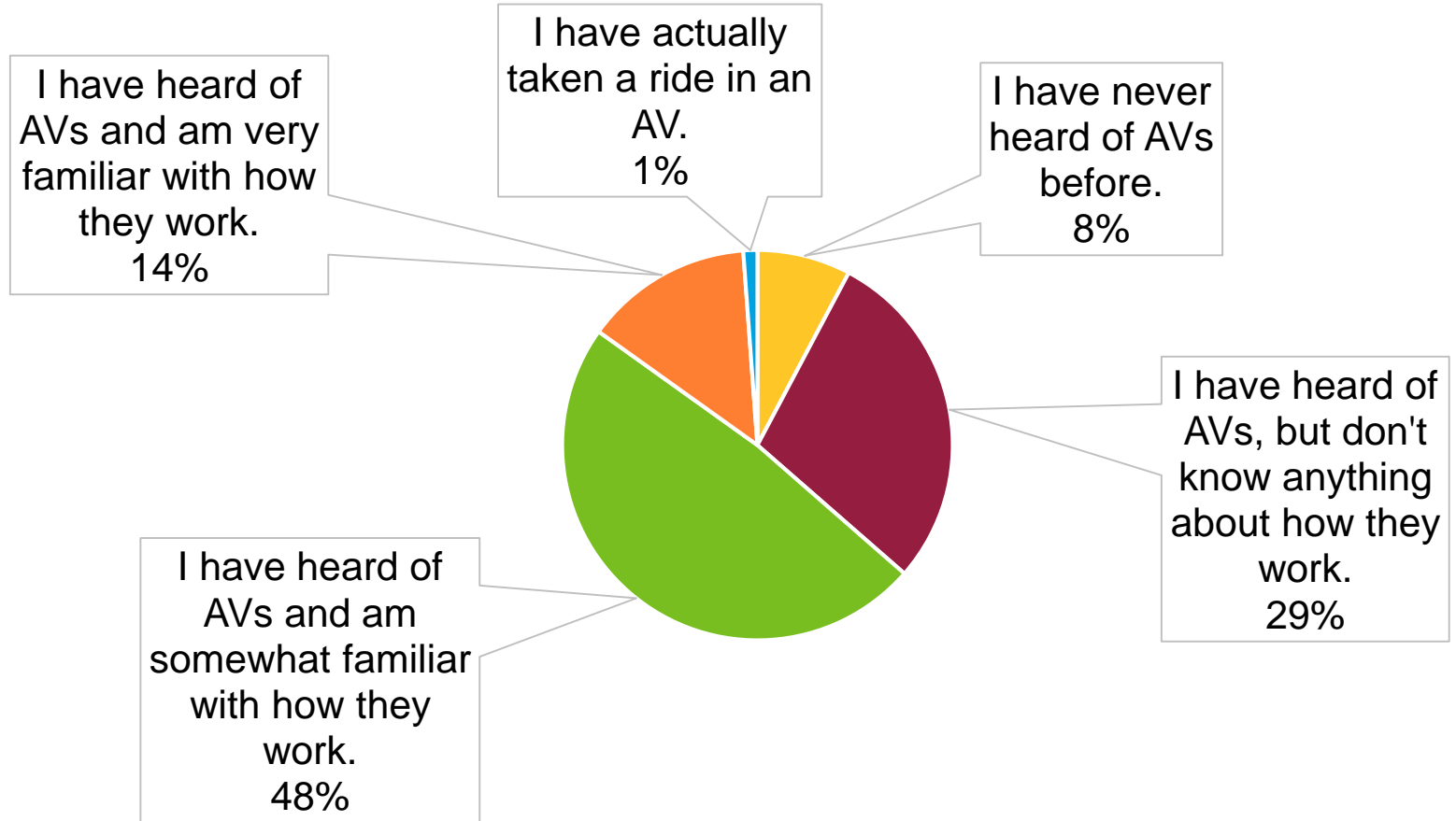
% of U.S. adults who say it will take ___ for most vehicles on the road to be driverless

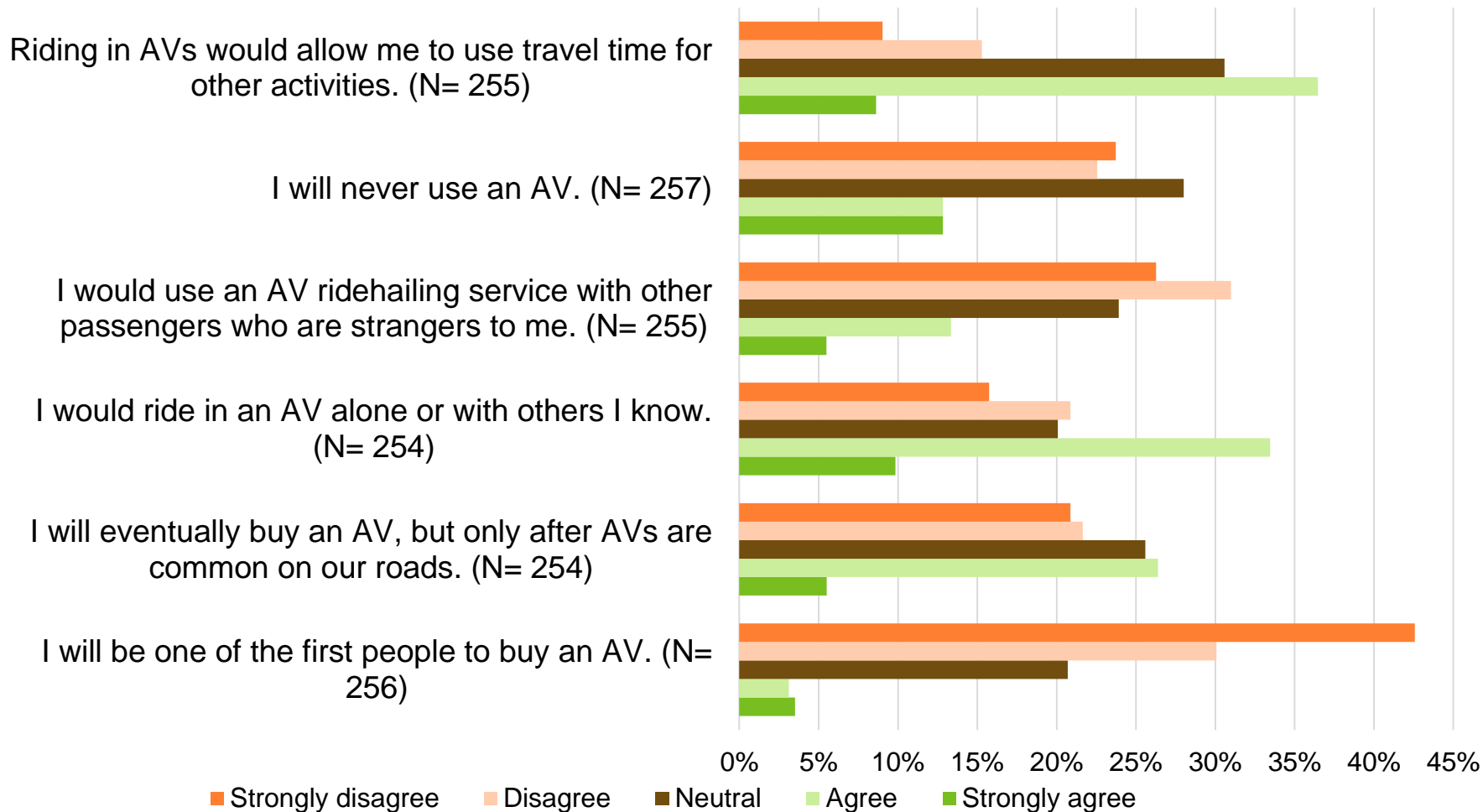


Pilot Survey Underway

- Detailed survey on ride-hailing services and autonomous vehicles
 - 2500 paper surveys mailed out
 - Can return via mail
 - Can go online to complete survey
 - 3500 e-mail addresses received invitation to participate
 - Can click on link to complete survey
 - Received 260 responses to date

Familiarity with AVs (N=258)





Oceans: How One Life Powered by ASU Can Change the World

A photograph of two men sitting on a boat deck, facing each other and smiling. The man on the left is wearing a green jacket and khaki pants. The man on the right is shirtless, has a beard, and is wearing black pants with 'FOX' written on the leg. They are on a boat with a white deck and metal railings. The ocean is visible in the background. A yellow banner with a blue URL is overlaid on the image.

<https://youtu.be/ILA5lvzv84A>

The key to fighting autism might lie not in the mind, but in the gut

Microbiota Transfer Therapy Schedule (under medical supervision)

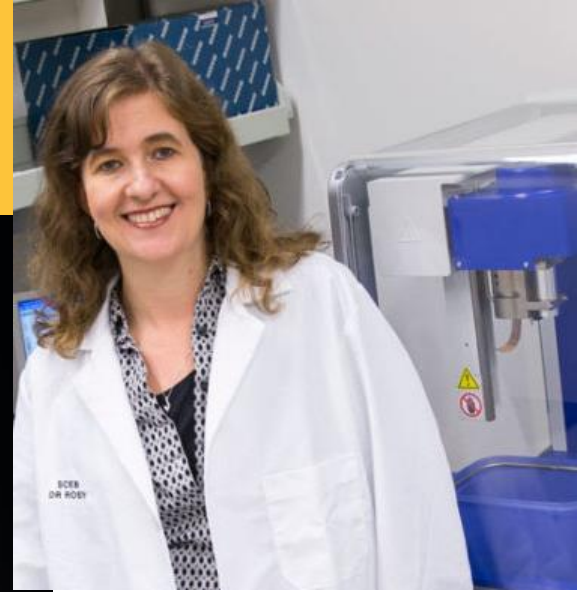
Vancomycin + bowel cleanse [2 weeks],
fecal microbiota transplant [8 weeks],
and post-treatment [8 weeks]

~80% reduction of GI
symptoms (constipation,
diarrhea, abdominal pain)
and ASD symptoms
improved significantly

Microbiota Transfer Therapy Improves
gastrointestinal (GI) and Autism
Spectrum Disorders (ASD) symptoms

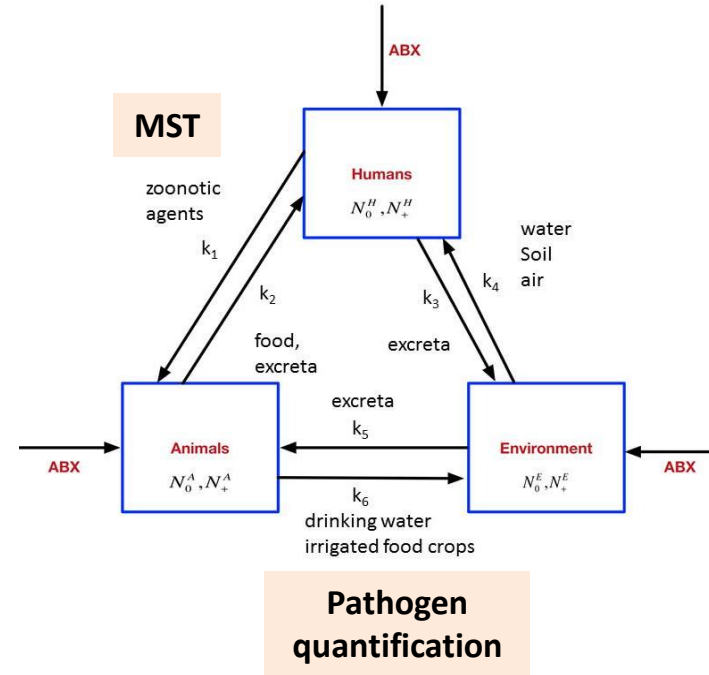
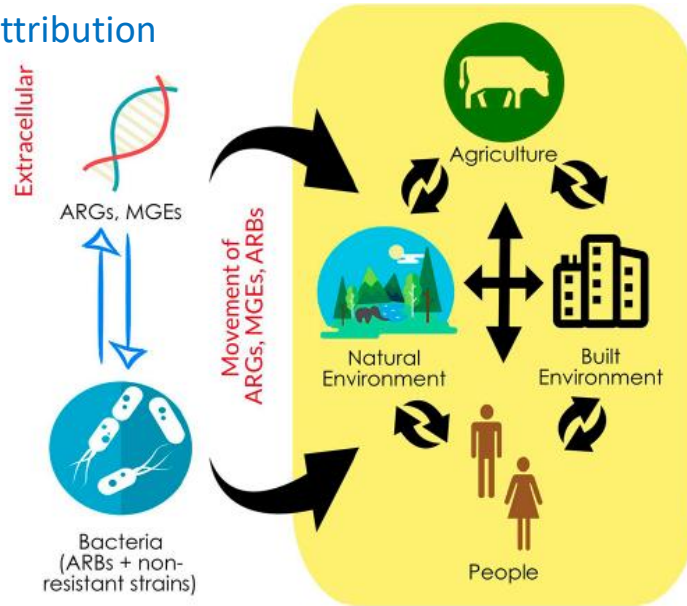
A recent study by ASU Biodesign researchers Rosa Krajmalnik-Brown, Dae-Wook Kang, and James Adams [Engineering] evaluated the impact of Microbiota Transfer Therapy [MTT] on gut microbiota composition and gastrointestinal [GI] and Autism Spectrum Disorders [ASD] symptoms of 18 ASD-diagnosed children. Material used for the transfer was screened for infectious diseases and highly purified.

This novel therapy appears to be a promising approach to alter the gut microbiome and virome and improve GI and behavioral symptoms of ASD.



Advancing Human Health by Mitigating Effects of Antibiotic Resistance

- Risk prediction
- Treatment assessment
- Source attribution



Vikesland et al. 2017



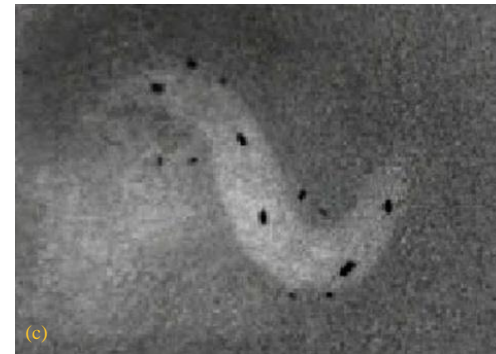
Bioinspired Self-boring Robots



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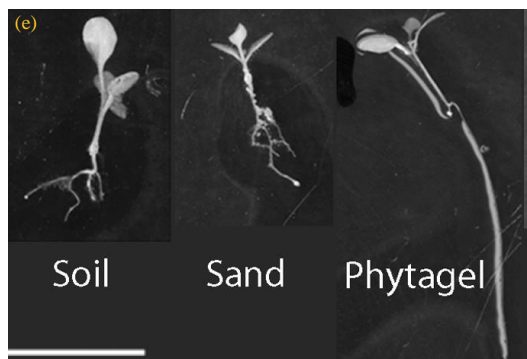
(b) Dwight Kuhn



(c)



(d)



(e)

Soil

Sand

Phytigel



(f)

(a) *Nereis virens*, a Polychaeta, burrows in gelatin using fracturing (Dorgan et al. 2006); (b) earthworm uses peristaltic movements when burrowing (Kuhn, 2016); (c) a sandfish swims in sand (Goldman 2014); (d) a bean clam, *Donax gouldi*, is burying itself into sand (Anderson 2016). (e) Root grows in transparent soil (Downie et al. 2012); (f) An awn of the seed of *Pelargonium carnosum* unwinds and digs into the ground (Jung et al. 2017)

Features: motile, changing shape, multidirectional, high efficiency

Bioinspired Self-boring Robots

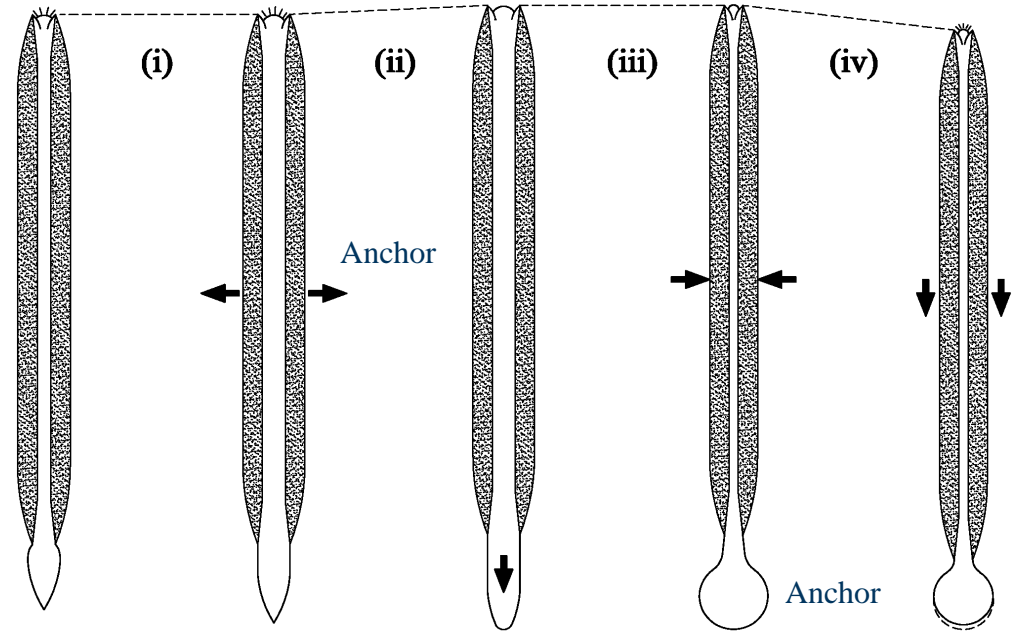


A burrowing razor clam

<https://www.francoischaron.com/connaissiezvous-ce-surprenant-mollusque/-/neTCIgC0y8/>



<http://www.wildsingapore.com/wildfacts/mollusca/bivalvia/solenidae/solenidae.htm>



- ✓ Fast (~1cm/s)
- ✓ Deep (up to 70 cm)
- ✓ Maximum body drag (~10N)
- ✓ Efficient (~0.21J/cm) (Winter 2016)

- ✓ Simple Structure: foot and shell
- ✓ Rhythmic and coordinated movement

Entrepreneurship and Innovation

#3 Licenses and options

Behind only Purdue and Carnegie Mellon

#4 IP disclosures

Behind only Carnegie Mellon, Caltech and Purdue

#4 Startups

Behind only Purdue, Carnegie Mellon and Stanford

Comparative data per \$10 million in research expenditures, based on the Association of University Technology Managers annual report of top national engineering schools.

Academy of Alumni



Stephen Basila
77 BS, Construction,
Arizona State University

Mr. Basila has over 39 years of heavy civil infrastructure construction experience. He is the AGC Arizona Chapter Chairman and Lifetime Director. Mr. Basila is the Owner and Manager of Infrastructure Mavens LLC which provides executive management support and advisory services to support transportation infrastructure. He served as a Faculty Associate for seven years at Del E. Webb School of Construction.



Kent Dibble, P.E.
75 BS, Construction
Engineering, Arizona State
University

Mr. Dibble serves as President of Dibble Engineering, an engineering firm that has served clients for 54 years. Mr. Dibble is a founding member of Friends of Civil Engineering at ASU and is on the Steering Committee. Recognized for his commitment and service to the industry he was presented with the AzSCE's John C. Park Outstanding Civil Engineer Award in 2016.



Michael Fann
80 BS, Construction,
Arizona State University

Mr. Fann is the President of Fann Contracting, a heavy construction contractor company established in 1960. Mr. Fann is a respected leader in the Prescott, AZ community for his impact and philanthropic efforts. The company has received many awards such as the National Asphalt Pavement Association (NAPA) for Quality in Construction Award for excellence in construction of an asphalt pavement.



**Enamul Hoque, P.E.,
D.GE., F. ASCE**
85 MS, Civil Engineering,
Arizona State University

Mr. Hoque has over 40 years civil engineering experience in three continents. In 1997, he started Hoque & Associates, Inc. and provides innovative and cost-effective engineering and sustainable solutions to Arizona's projects. Mr. Hoque is a recipient of numerous awards including the Distinguished Achievement Award from the Ira Fulton College of Engineering at ASU and also served as Adjunct Faculty, School of Construction.



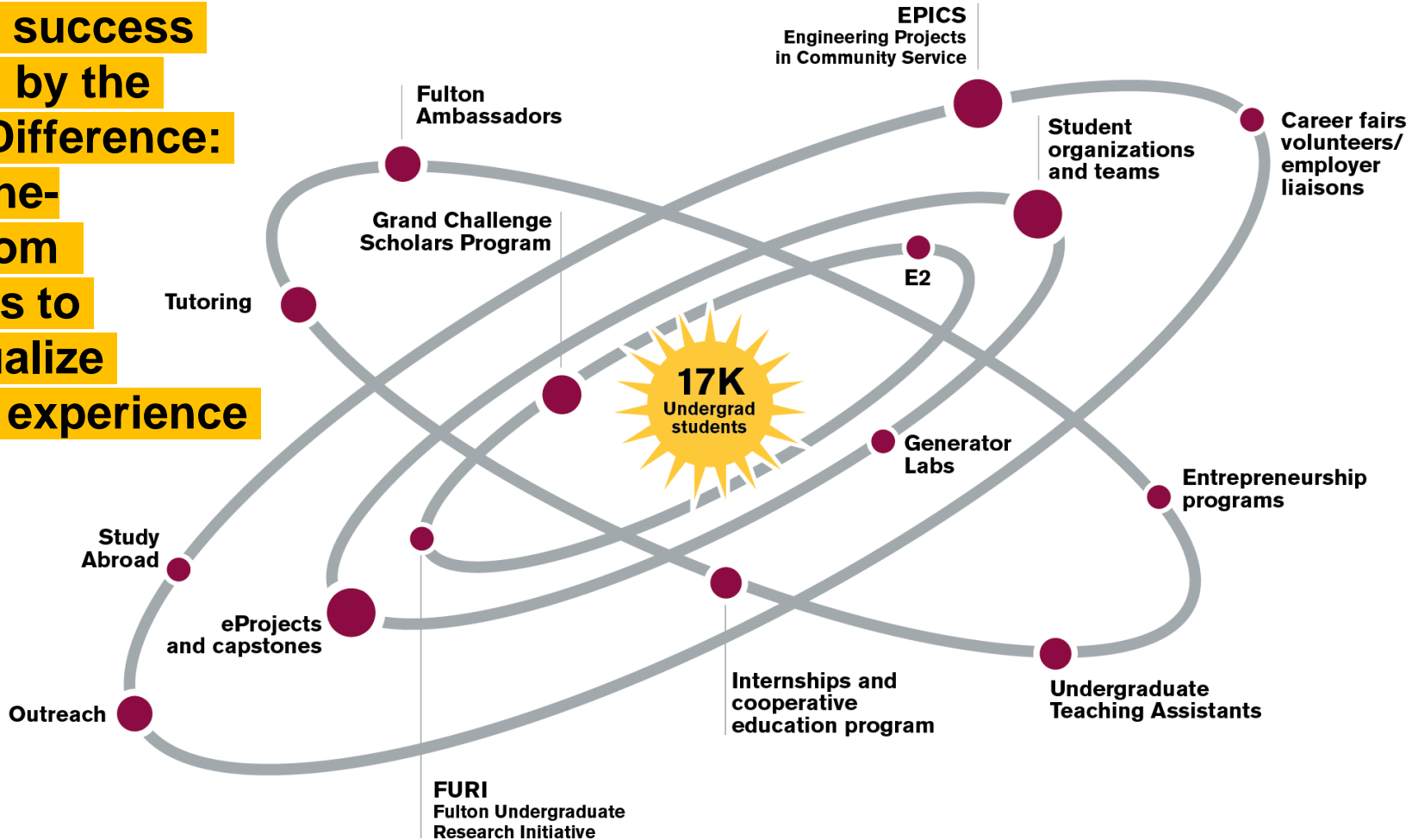
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