ABOUT APL

A UNIVERSITY AFFILIATED RESEARCH CENTER

WHO WE ARE

The Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory (APL) is a research division of JHU that provides solutions to complex national security and scientific challenges with technical expertise and prototyping, research and development, and analysis. Since our founding in 1942 to aid a country at war, we have focused on applying cutting-edge research in a wide range of scientific and technological fields. Today, we seek to create defining innovations that secure our nation's preeminence in the 21st century.

APL AS A UARC

University affiliated research centers (UARCs) are research organizations associated with a higher education institution that are established to provide or maintain essential engineering, research, and/or development capabilities through a long-term, strategic relationship with the Department of Defense (DoD). Each UARC has a primary sponsor and a primary contract that define the limits of competition. APL's UARC sponsor is the U.S. Navy. However, the Lab provides expertise and research on a wide variety of programs for an array of sponsors across the entire government.

OUR VALUE

- Established during World War II, we've seen our nation through evolving conflicts and threats, building highimpact collaborations through partnerships and creating critical contributions to critical challenges.
- We have deep experience bringing together experts and technology solutions across industry, government and the technical research community.
- We adhere to strict noncompete policies based on our status as a UARC and partnership with the DoD. This noncompetitive approach allows us to focus on the work and best apply our expertise for impact.
- We are focused on technical excellence, quick-response capabilities, impact, efficiencies, operational experience, objectivity and delivering bold new capabilities for the warfighter and the nation.
- In addition to our world-class research and development and analytical science capabilities, we prioritize creating innovative technical solutions as we aim to secure our nation's preeminence in technology and defense.





OUR SPONSORS

We perform sponsored work for a variety of government agencies, including the DoD, NASA and the Intelligence Community.

APPLIED EXPERTISE

In addition to our sponsored work, APL also maintains an extensive and robust internal research and development program that provides seed funding for exploration of innovative ideas and concepts to address the future challenges facing the nation.

OUR WORK

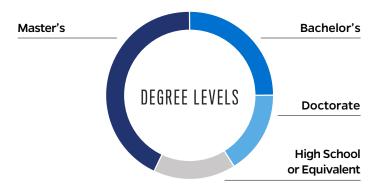
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OUR CORE COMPETENCIES

Each UARC is assigned core competencies that it must maintain in support of the DoD. At APL, our core competencies are:

