



# FREDERICTON NEW BRUNSWICK

## Staying Ahead of the Curve

One of North America's most digitally advanced cities and twice named one of the world's most intelligent communities, Fredericton's track record for fostering successful ICT start-ups, attracting global ICT leaders and helping home-grown businesses succeed is internationally recognized. The region's ICT-driven economy is home to renowned researchers, globally recognized research institutes, acclaimed educational institutions, and game changing spin-offs from UNB's plethora of cutting-edge research projects. Today a Canadian leader in cybersecurity, big data, biotechnology, GPS signalling and avionics, Fredericton remains focused on building internationally recognized ICT capacity and a pool of talent with the right skills to excel in emerging technologies.

Home to  
**70%** of  
NB's ICT  
Industry

**Lowest**  
cost gigabit  
connectivity

**Knowledge Park**  
30 knowledge  
companies. 800  
employees.

Fredericton's Q1  
Labs & Radian6:  
Canada's Two  
**Biggest Exit  
Deals** in 2011

### Cyber Security International Leadership

UNB Fredericton is home to:

- Canada's largest network security lab
- Canadian Institute for Cyber Security
- Cyber Security Centre of Excellence
- Two Security Research Chairs

### Siemens "Smart" Choice

Siemens, an international technology leader, chose Fredericton's Living Lab product development environment to build its smart grid model, establish its world leading pioneering Smart Grid Centre of Competence and, its Smart Grid Innovation Network (SGIN). Siemens is also partnering with UNB to conduct leading edge smart grid related research with real world applicability.

### Your Location Advantage

- Among top ten lowest cost locations in Canada and US (KPMG 2014)
- Canada's lowest-cost gigabit connectivity
- 60+ research organizations and chairs
- Canada's 4th highest university-educated labour force
- Talent pipeline fed by approximately 400 Computer Science and Engineering graduates/year
- Provincial capital offering ready access to key decision makers

### What We Do For You

- One stop shop for support & services
- Quality building and facility options
- Recruiting and training help
- Pro bono start-up office space
- Financial incentives and innovation funding
- Growing pool of investment funds
- Program accelerating commercialization
- Support during growth and expansion

## Regional Opportunities & Highlights



### Cyber Security

- **UNB:** International Leader
- Graduates ensure **Cybersecurity Talent Pool**
- **IBM /UNB Partnership** resulted in \$4M in funding
- **Canada's largest** network security lab



### Big Data

- **NB+:** Improving NBers' products and services through **Big Data**
- UNB home to **NB-IRD**
- **Over \$16.8 M invested** in Digital Infrastructure and Big Data research at UNB in last 5 years
- **Cisco Chair for Big Data** discovering meaningful patterns from internet-of-things (IoT) data

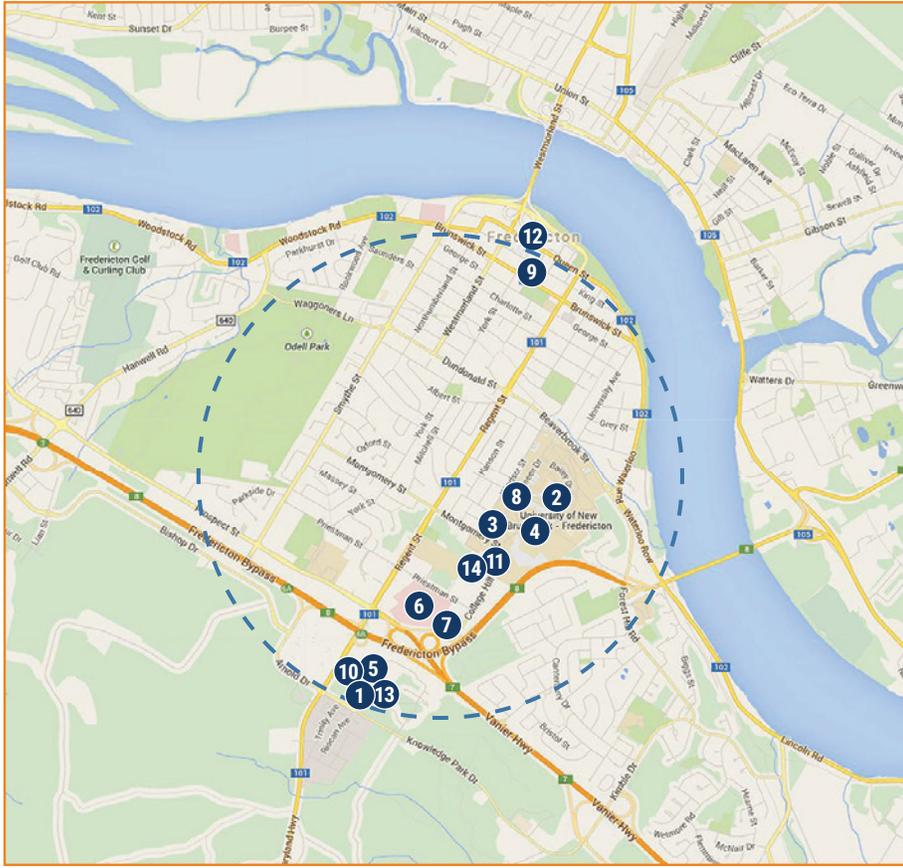


### Geomatics, GPS, Avionics, Space

- **UNB/NASA Partnership** tackling GPS signal distortion
- UNB: one of world's largest group of experts in **Planetary Geology and Impact Cratering**
- Development of **Remote Sensing Technologies** that can be controlled from space
- **Unmanned Vehicle Advances** applicable in multiple industries
- **Mobile Technology Innovation** supported by world-leading GPS expertise



# Fredericton's Innovation District



--- Innovation District (2km radius)

## UNB Fredericton conducts 75 per cent of all funded research in New Brunswick

70% of NB's Knowledge Industry

60+ Research Organizations and Chairs

- 1 Knowledge Park & Planet Hatch
- 2 University of New Brunswick
- 3 St. Thomas University
- 4 New Brunswick Community College
- 5 New Brunswick Health Research Foundation
- 6 Dr. Everett Chalmers Hospital
- 7 Stan Cassidy Centre for Rehabilitation
- 8 National Research Council (NRC)
- 9 New Brunswick Innovation Foundation (NBIF)
- 10 Hugh John Flemming Forestry Centre
- 11 Research and Productivity Council (RPC)
- 12 E-Novations (goFred)
- 13 Ignite Fredericton
- 14 BioNB

## Innovation is in Our DNA

A sampling of innovative start-ups:



Unlocking application-specific solutions through **Data from the Factory Floor**



Preventing online fraud through dynamic behavioural signatures combined with **Botnet Security Intelligence**



Reducing overall **Power Consumption** and shifting usage to different times of the day



**Anti-static Packaging** for the electronics industry



Increasing **Efficiencies in Packaging Lines** by understanding the forces exerted on containers



Transforming the agriculture industry by **Optimizing Crop Production**



Helping industry understand and control **Microbiology in Water** and fluid processes



Modern, efficient **Event Management** task software.



Bringing **Relationship Intelligence** to CRM with data automation



Leveraging the latest in mobile technology to deliver an **Unparalleled Customer Experience**



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## Cutting Edge ICT Research

UNB's close knit community is a catalyst for research that is uniquely collaborative and multidisciplinary. Among ICT research highlights:

- Developing advanced data mining
  - Developing state-of-the art infrastructure for confidential record linkages
  - Advanced geomatics big data image processing
  - Internationally recognized cybersecurity advances
  - Enhancing GPS signalling by mitigating space and atmospheric events
- ...and much more



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