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Peter T. Paul Entrepreneurship Center (ECenter) Gains Three New Corporate Sponsors

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DURHAM, NH - The University of New Hampshire's Peter T. Paul Entrepreneurship Center (ECenter) announced today recently announced the addition of three new corporate sponsors: Goddard Technologies Inc., Que Acoustics, and Pierce Atwood LLP.

Bringing the total number of corporate sponsors to six, their support will help promote the ECenter's mission of continuing to build the positive and supportive ideas, innovation, and entrepreneurial culture at UNH, for all students, faculty, staff, researchers, and alumni. The ECenter is honored these companies share its passion.

Goddard Technologies, Inc., based in Beverly, Massachusetts, is a leader in product design and engineering in the greater Boston area. Their success is driven by an interdisciplinary development process that combines extensive and diverse engineering experience with manufacturable and creative industrial design solutions. Goddard's unique approach to product development motivates them to provide technical precision while providing new and unique user experiences.

Que Acoustics is a New Hampshire-based company that offers Bluetooth audio products such as earphones, headphones, and accessories. Que products are designed to appeal to consumers who want to move from high-end wired products to wireless. With a passion for audio quality, they combine great sound with premium construction and advanced features to offer headphones that satisfy the most demanding listeners.

Pierce Atwood LLP is a full-service law firm. Their Catalyst Program provides today's growing companies with the skilled legal services they need to become the successful companies of tomorrow. Their team has experience assisting entrepreneurs and startups in the following key areas: corporate governance, employee benefits, intellectual property, mergers and acquisitions, litigation (including patent litigation), securities, and venture capital.

The ECenter, located in Madbury Commons, provides physical resources such as the Co-Working Zone, the student run Makerspace, and the ECenter Caffeinator Coffee Bar. Programs include a Speaker Series, bootcamps centered around idea creation, pitching, networking, marketing, and sales, a hackathon, and one-on-one coaching. Monetary support includes the \$25,000 i2 Passport Program, the \$10,500 Summer Seed Grant, the Paid Internship at Start-Ups Program, and the newly created \$5,000 Maurice Prize for Innovation.

For more information about all the ECenter has to offer, including our full program schedule, please visit our website at www.unh.edu/ecenter. You can follow us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube, and SnapChat at @UNHECenter.

About the Peter T. Paul Entrepreneurship Center

The Peter T. Paul Entrepreneurship Center (ECenter) in the UNHInnovation wing of Madbury Commons is intentionally independent of any one college on campus. We are here for all students, faculty, staff, researchers, and alumni. The ECenter's goal is to continue building the positive and supportive ideas/innovation/entrepreneurial culture. We create various opportunities for engagement through new co-curricular programming, as well as supporting existing academic, student, university, and independent initiatives.

We support any stage of idea and start-up development – from any discipline or industry, from technology, to social entrepreneurship, to consumer products/lifestyle, and everything in between! Like most university entrepreneurial centers, the ECenter's focus is not solely on helping to support the creation of start-up companies. We also focus on helping individuals and teams to understand the process to see problems and find a range of possible ideas and solutions. That learning experience is invaluable to everyone in any career.

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