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Nanotechnology Research, Education, Infrastructure, and Collaboration at Purdue University

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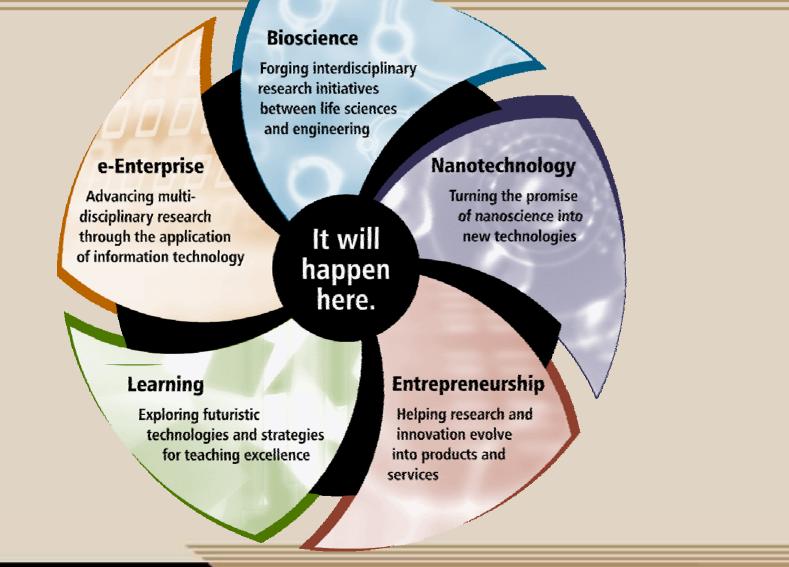
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Nanotechnology Focus Areas

- Molecular Electronics
- Micro- and Nano-Mechanical Systems
- Micro- and Nano-Biotechnology
- Sensors
- Nanoscale Metrology
- Computational Nanotechnology





Mission

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To address key challenges in moving the nanoscience to nanotechnology through:

- 1) **Research** that links computational scientists, experimentalists, and computer scientists in teams that address critical challenges.
- Education, directed at students and professionals, that teaches computational methods and that uses simulations to bring bring abstract concepts to life.
- 3) **Infrastructure** that delivers nanotechnology simulation *services* and that fosters education and collaboration.







- Developing new theory and approaches for multi-scale simulation
- Working closely with experimentalists
- Solving problems quickly, producing insight not numbers
- Computational demands
- Providing access to simulation tools and services
- Supporting and educating users



Major Grants

- NASA Institute for Nanoelectronics and Computing ≈ \$15M (5 years)
 - To lay a foundation for a new class of heterogeneous terascale systems with the intelligence, adaptability, and fault tolerance necessary for future NASA missions
- 21st Century Fund Support (contingent cost share \$2M)
 - To help Indiana companies and universities benefit from the research, expertise, and facilities of the INAC
- NSF Network for Computational Nanotechnology \$10.5M (5 years)
 - Conduct research that begins at the molecular level and ends at the system level and is tightly linked to experiment.
 - Deploy a cyberinfrastructure that facilitates collaborations and delivers simulation services.
 - Educate students and professionals.





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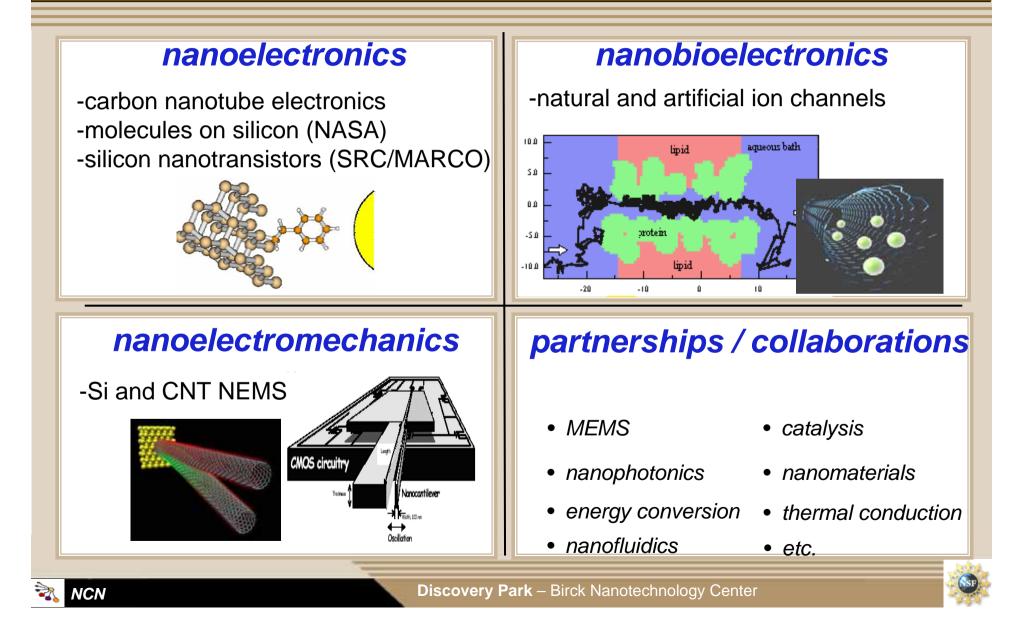


•Network for Computational Nanotechnology – NSF – Lundstrom

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-E-Enterprise Center	\$867,282
-Birck Nanotechnology Center	\$500,000
»Total	\$1,367,282
University Cost Sharing	
-ECE	\$195,894
–Mechanical Engineering	\$195,894
-Schools of Engineering	\$2,293,674
-School of Science	\$423,118
–CRI	\$322,425
–ITaP	\$1,129,385
–Provost	\$337,198
-Vice Provost for Research	\$346,750
»Total	\$5,244,338
Indiana 21st Century Cost Sharing	\$2,100,000
National Science Foundation	\$10,500,000
Total	\$19,211,620



Research



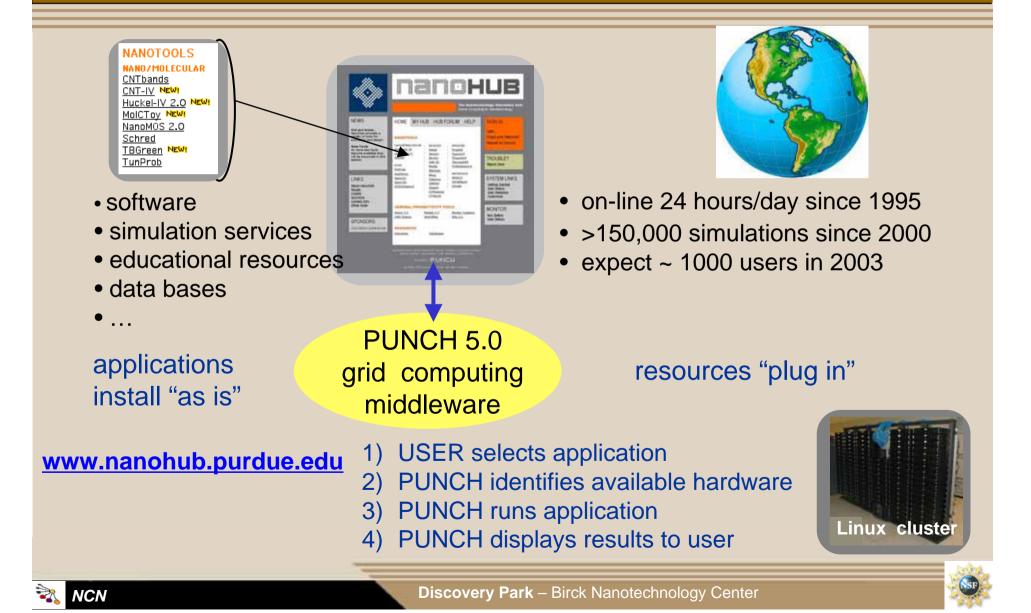
Research - Computational Problem-Solving

- High-performance computing with Matlab
- New algorithms and parallel implementations
- Grid computing
- Visualization
- Engaging computer scientists and applied mathematicians
- Education

Purdue's Computing Research Institute



nanoHUB: Interface between NCN and ITaP



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NSFNanoscale Modeling and Simulation Program

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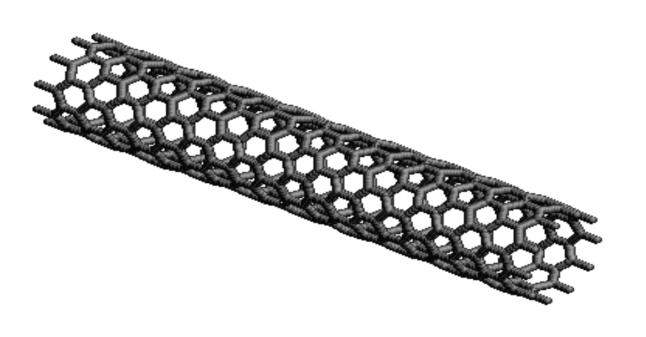
The Purdue Computational Electronics Research Group will be offering a two-day, hands-on, short course at the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, May 21-22!

<u>Details</u> and a <u>tentative</u> <u>agenda</u> are available.

Discussion Forums are here? Click the "Hub Forums" tab to read and post to discussion forums on NanoHub tools. You will need a separate forum account to post. For details, see the FAQ in the forums.

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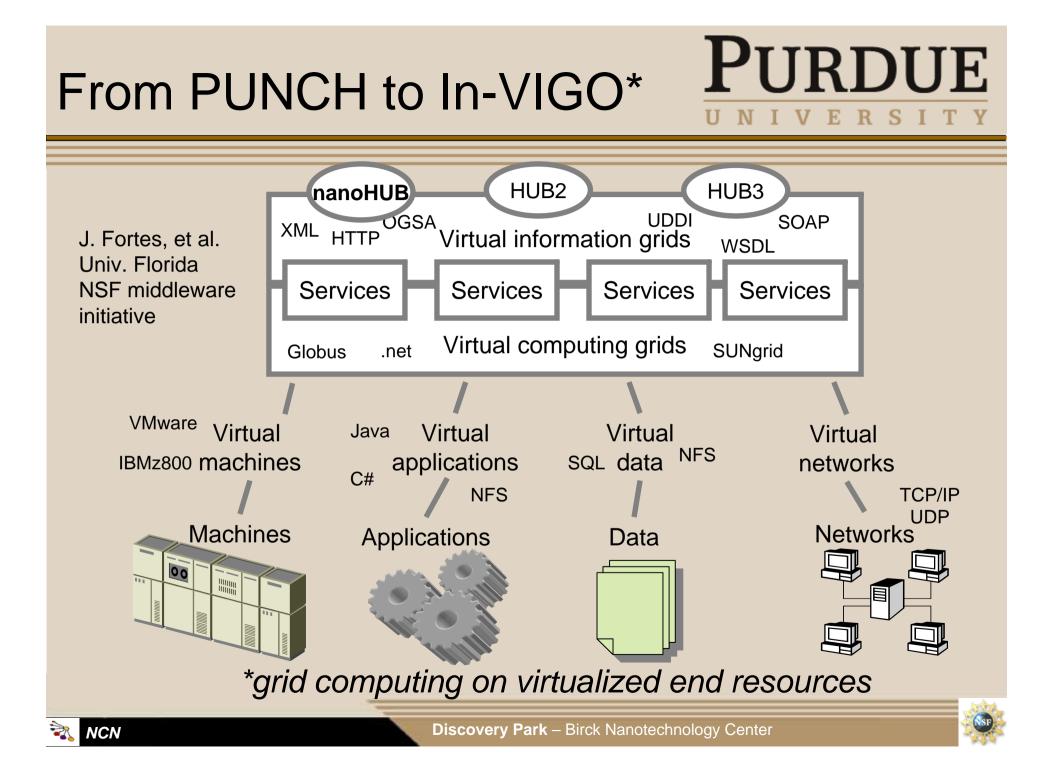
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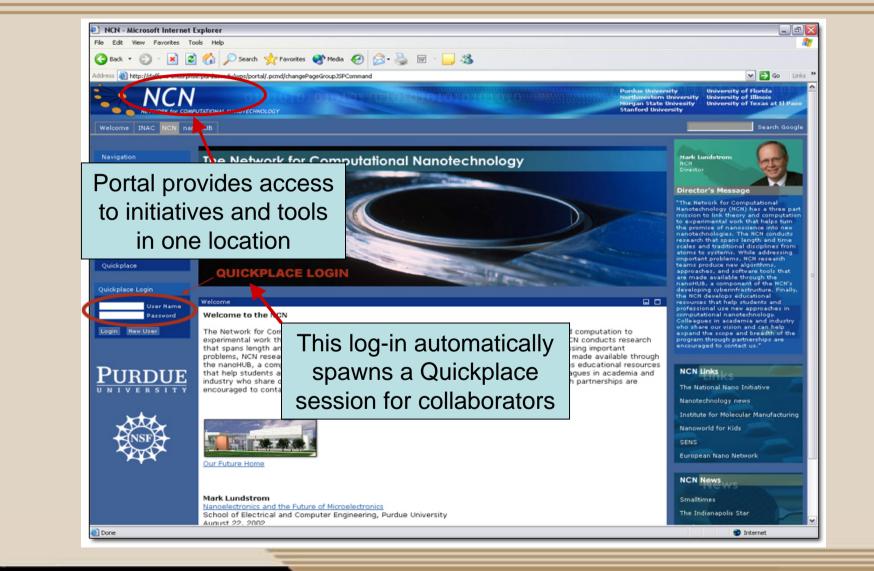
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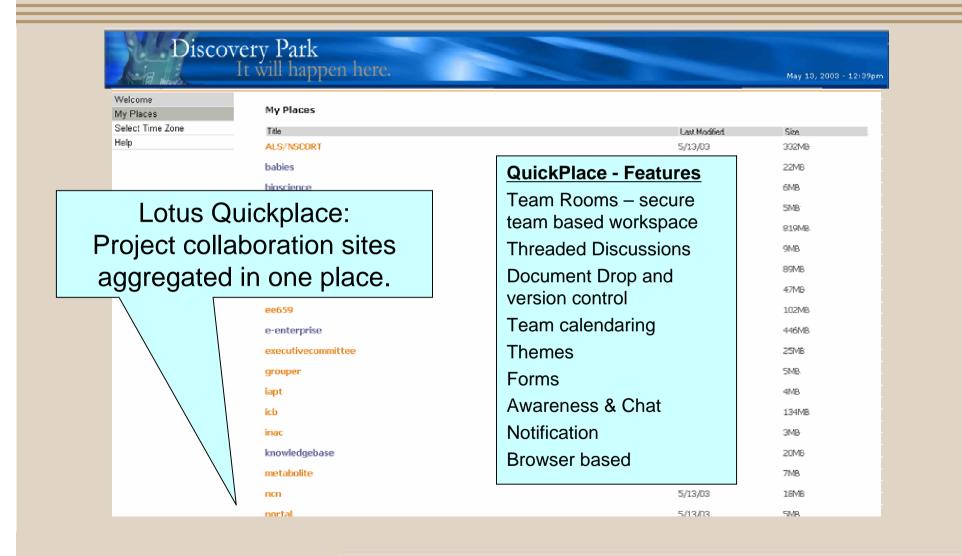
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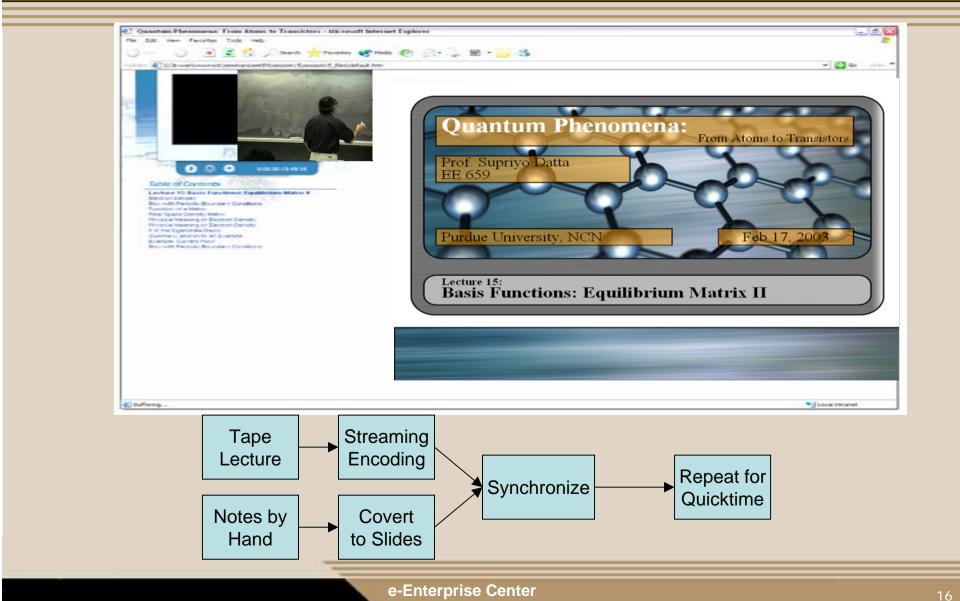


e-Enterprise Center

Web-based Collaboration Tools in Place



Online Course Materials



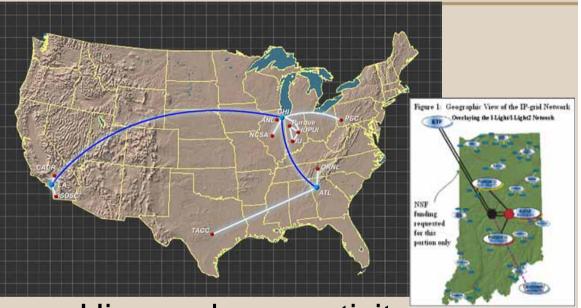
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Intrastate and National Network Connectivity

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I-Light

- Investment by State of Indiana to purchase optical fiber infrastructure
- Currently at 1-2 Gigabit/sec
- New Capabilities
 - Distributed Terascale
 - "I-Light 2"

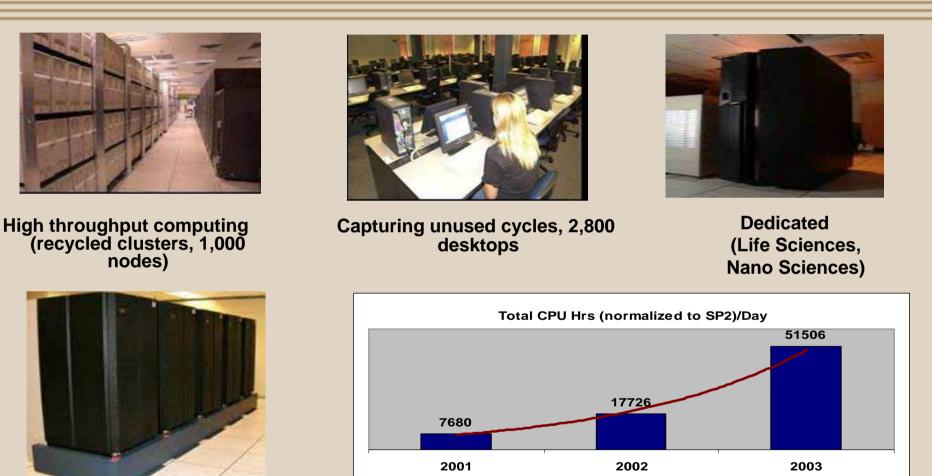
Hi-speed connectivity:

- Collectively provide on the order of 15 TFLOPS of computational capacity and nearly 1 Petabyte of rotating storage.
- Access to TG resources up to the percent of resources we put into the grid

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MPP & large memory

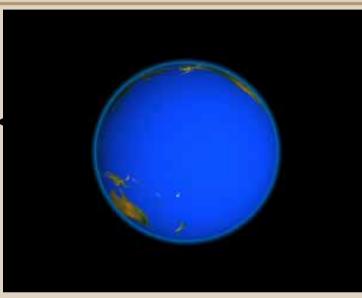
Capacity has been increased by a factor of seven HPC roadmap outlining capability goals is under development

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Purdue Terrestrial Observatory (PTO)

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Participating Departments Agronomy Ag. & Bio. Engineering Agriculture **Agricultural Economics Atmospheric Science** Chemistry **Civil Engineering Computer Science** Earth & Atmospheric Sciences Electrical & Computer Eng. Env. Science & Engr. Inst. Forestry & Natural Resources ITaP Management Nuclear Engineering



Real-Time Remote Sensing Data

Sample Applications: Precision Farming Homeland Security Disaster Intervention Forestry & Ecology Urban Planning Epidemiology Oceanography Industrial Development Geology & Mineralogy



Envision Center for Data Perceptualization

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- The Envision Center is administered and supported under the Office of the Vice President for Information Technology.
- Faculty driven initiative with initial funding from a \$900,000 NSF-MRI grant, Chris Hoffmann from CS was the PI.
- IBM and Intel donated hardware for the facility and a teaching lab in Computer Science to be used by all disciplines.
- Construction completed September 29?
 Ready for use by December 1?



Simulation of the Pentagon 9-11 event

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Cyberinfrastructure Technology Investments Relevant to NCN



- Indiana, Purdue University, Indiana University, ITaP and e-Enterprise are making significant, coordinated investments in advanced networking and middleware
 - I-Light and the IP-grid as a prototype of the NSF Extended Terascale Facility
 - Virtual Research Park
- Implementing the PUNCH concepts in an "industrial-strength" web services applications environment
 - » Applications in Climate Modeling, Systems Biology, and Agriculture
 - » Technology Transfer back to NCN as appropriate
- Data storage and retrieval technologies suited to support knowledge emergence
 - Catalysis Science, Bioinformatics, institutional databases

