

Tech Square The First Decade of Innovation



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of **Technology**

Georgia Tech Foundation



- 1995-1997 Charles R. Brown
- 1997-1999 Julian LeCraw Sr.
- 1999-2001 John C. Staton Jr.



- 2001-2003 H. Hammond
"Buck" Stith Jr.
- 2003-2005 Aaron J. "A. J." Land

Groundbreaking Sept. 6, 2001



Tech Square, 10th Anniversary



Grand Opening Oct 23, 2003



2007: Opening of 5th Street Bridge



Tailgating on 5th Street Bridge



Technology Square Groundbreaking



Bringing Plans to Life



Special Thanks to

- **Bob Thompson, former Chief Administrative Officer**
- **Steve Swant, EVP for Administration and Finance**
- **Department of Transportation**
- **City of Atlanta**
- **Metro Atlanta Chamber**
- **Midtown Alliance**
- **Georgia Department of Economic Development**
- **and many other organizations . . .**

Tech Square Today



Attracting National Attention

USA Today

Feb. 13, 2013

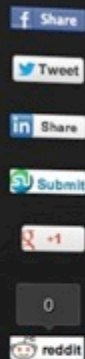
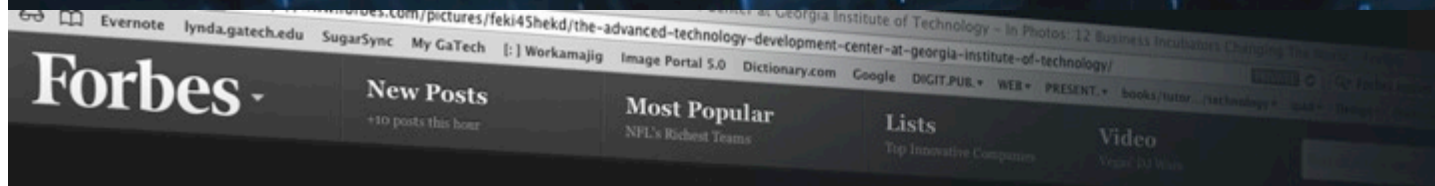
**Talking Tech — Atlanta is “Hotlanta”
for tech startups**

**The National Venture Capital
Association now ranks Atlanta as
the No. 12 city in the nation for
tech startups.**

**Helping us move toward the
Top 10 is EI²**



Atlanta's Startup Hub



12 Business Incubators Changing The World



The Advanced Technology Development Center at Georgia Institute of Technology

Atlanta, GA Since 1980 the center has launched more than 120 tech companies that have collectively raised more than \$1 billion in outside financing. The center is backed by a fund that will invest \$1 in a company for every \$3 of private capital, up to \$1 million. The companies here are heavy with Georgia Tech alumni, but that's not a requirement.

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named by Forbes

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**Home to 40
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**plus Georgia's Department
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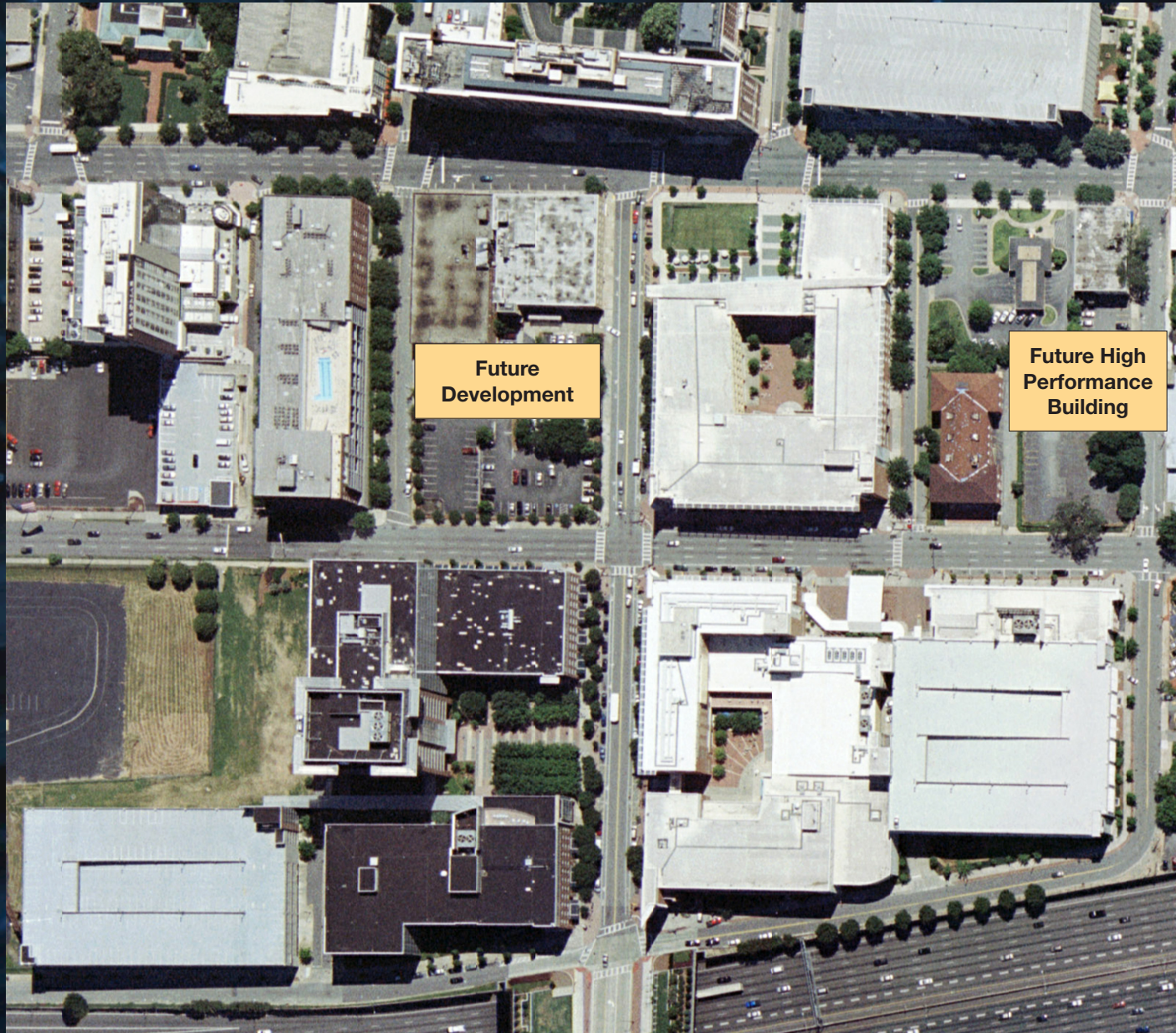
Environment for Innovation

VentureLab
Hypepotomus
NSF I-Corps

fostering tech
commercialization, new
businesses, and
economic development



Tech Square in the Future





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