



ORI@UT

Ideation Session

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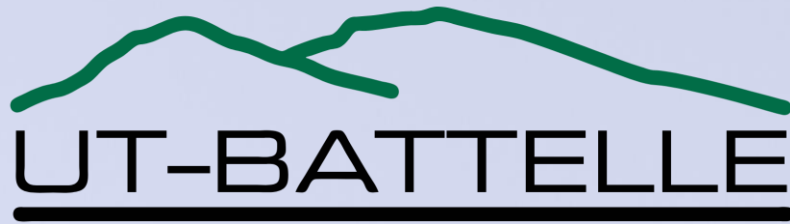
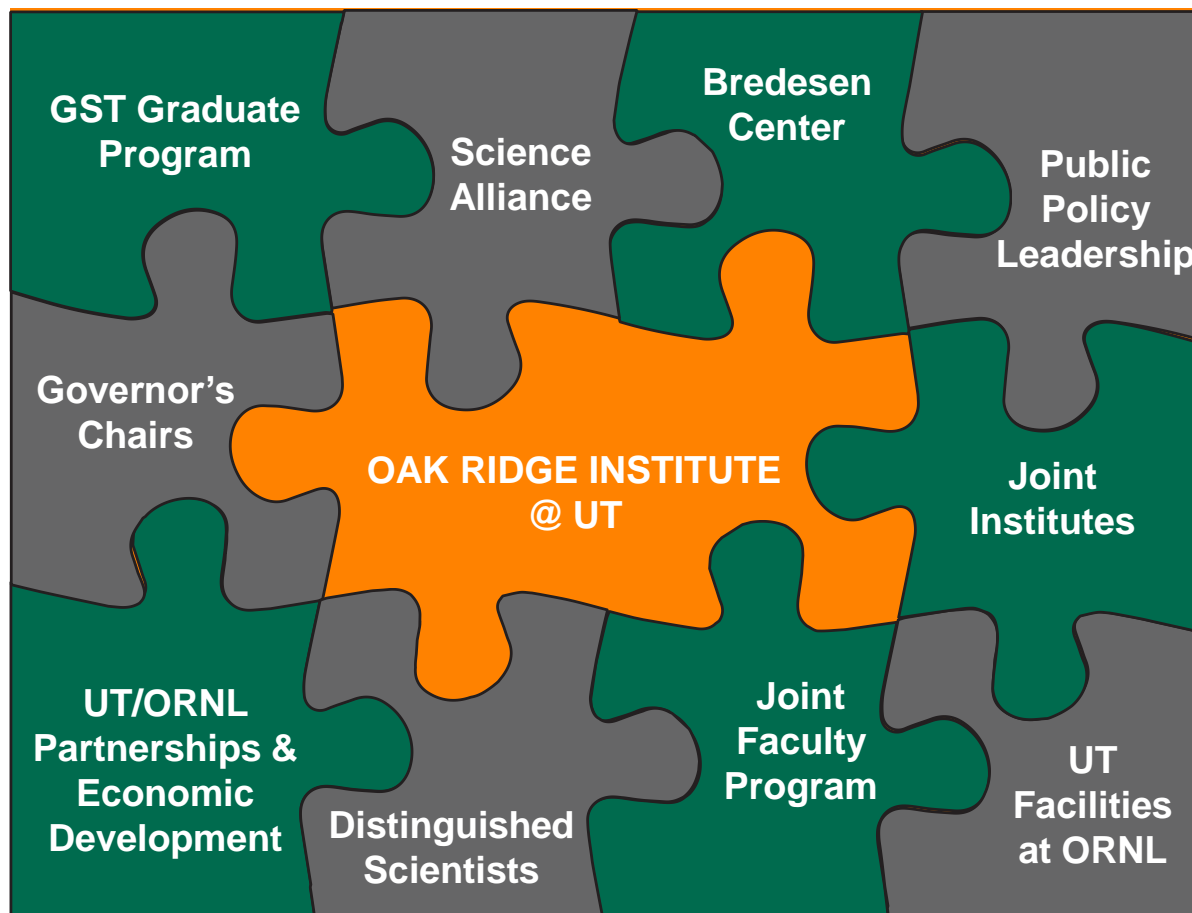


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Oak Ridge Institute @ UT

Requires ten-year commitment to become self-sustaining.

- Focused interdisciplinary problem-based science and engineering.
- Recruit 60 new researchers/faculty complemented by ORNL scientists.
- Grow joint PhD program to 500 students.
- Attract \$150++ million in new research funding annually.



Making Tennessee the “go to” destination for convergent research and talent development in areas of national need!

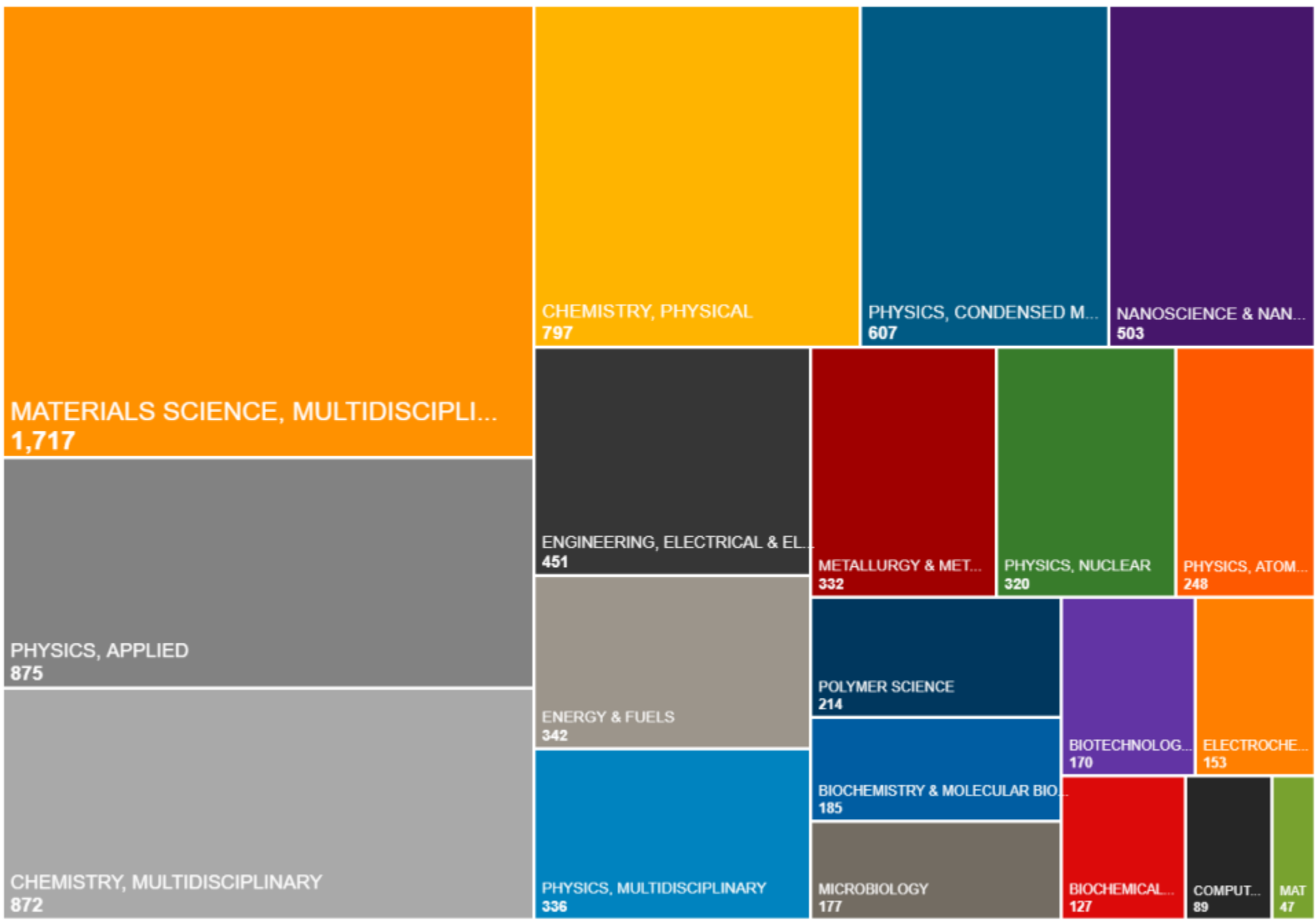
Overarching Goals

- Establish robust partnership platforms that promote industry engagement, entrepreneurship and technology implementation for economic and community development;
- Provide flexible mechanisms that promote discovery and innovation especially in, but not limited to, areas related to **data science and technology, advanced materials, and outcomes-based applications**;
- Build on existing joint programs to strategically integrate collaborative opportunities between UT and ORNL; and
- Offer an enriched interdisciplinary educational and research experience for students.



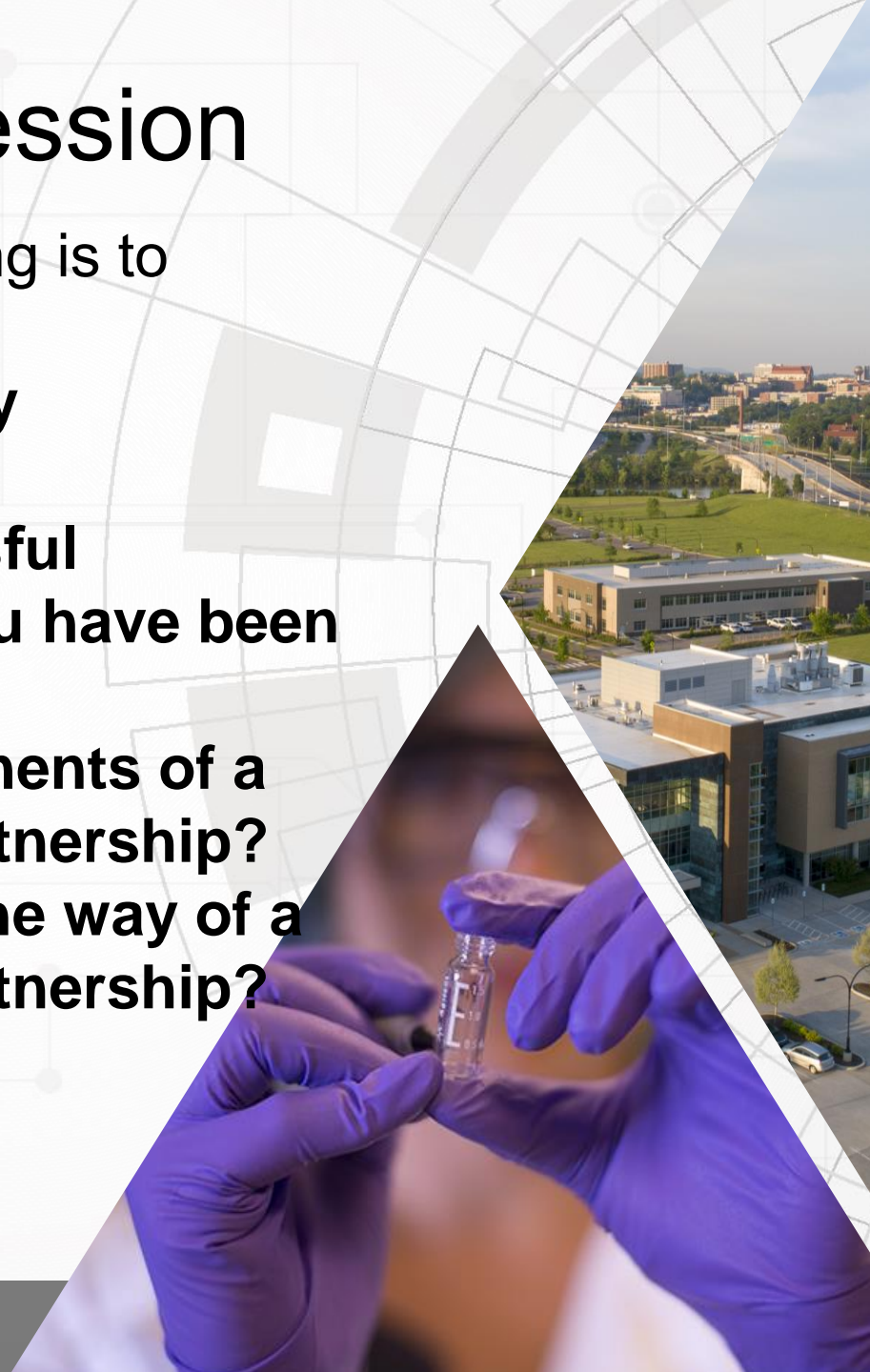
Current State of the Collaboration





Today's Ideation Session

- The purpose of today's meeting is to **generate ideas**
 - **Why UT and ORNL? Why Tennessee?**
 - **What's the most successful UT/ORNL partnership you have been part of?**
 - **What are the key components of a successful UT/ORNL partnership?**
 - **What challenges get in the way of a successful UT/ORNL partnership?**





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