

ADVANCED INDUSTRIES ACCELERATOR GRANT PROGRAM



In 2006, Colorado BioScience Association worked with the General Assembly to create the Bioscience Discovery Evaluation Grant Program (BDEGP). The goal: to advance new technologies from Colorado's research institutions into the marketplace. Based on its performance, the program evolved in 2013. Led by the Colorado Office of Economic Development and International Trade, it now funds the state's seven advanced industries as the Advanced Industries Accelerator Grant Program.

COLORADO'S RETURN ON INVESTMENT

The Advanced Industries Accelerator Grant Program is a critical source of non-dilutive funding for Colorado life sciences companies and organizations. It demonstrates a significant return on investment, delivering value back to the state in the form of company creation and high-paying jobs.

LIFE SCIENCES SUCCESS METRICS

500+

grants awarded

1,022

jobs created

81

new companies

\$1 billion

in follow-on capital

Program results for life sciences alone since inception in 2006.

GRANT PROGRAM IMPACT

Each Company Received a \$250,000 Early-Stage Capital & Retention Grant

ARPEGGIO BIOSCIENCES



Joey Azofeifa, Ph.D.
Founder & CEO

Supported development of cutting-edge drug evaluation platform.

LIGHTDECK DIAGNOSTICS



Chris Myatt, Ph.D.
CEO

Expedited work on infectious disease tests, led to COVID-19 tests. Formerly MBio Diagnostics.

PROOV



Amy Beckley, Ph.D.
Founder

Invested in branding and marketing to increase sales tenfold.

SECURISYN MEDICAL



Arthur Kanowitz, M.D., FACEP
Founder, Chairman & CMO

Funded limited market release and refined design for usability.

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