

Building Partnerships and Enabling Discovery

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ACCELERATING TO THE NAVY & MARINE CORPS AFTER NEXT



A Storied History









"...plan, foster and encourage scientific research in recognition of its paramount importance as related to... future naval power, and the preservation of national security...to obtain, coordinate and make available...world-wide scientific information"





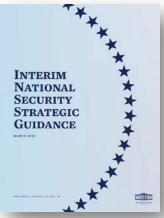
Mission and Vision

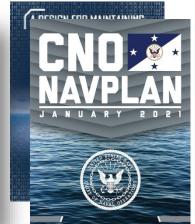
ONR Global Mission

To obtain, coordinate, and make available world-wide scientific information.

ONR Global Vision

To be the partner of choice for science and technology leaders.















The Naval Research Enterprise



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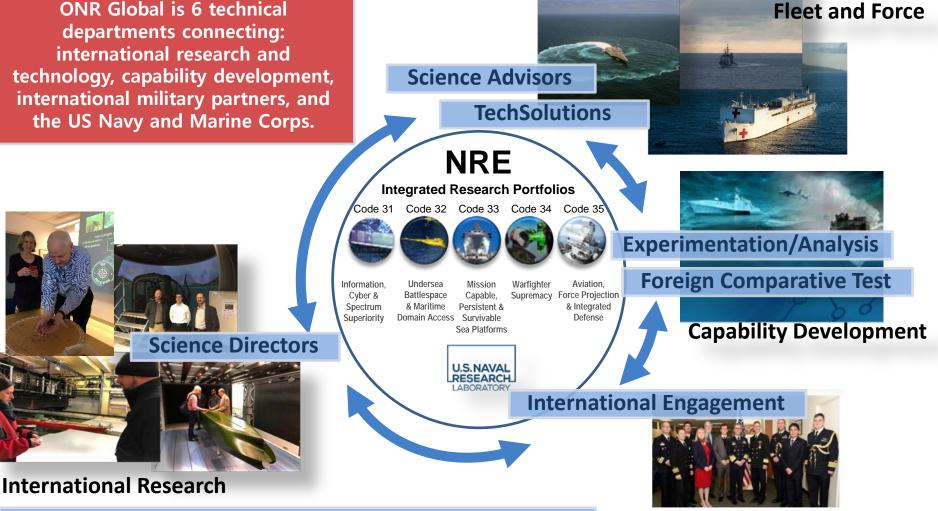
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ONR Global Connections

ONR Global is 6 technical departments connecting: international research and international military partners, and

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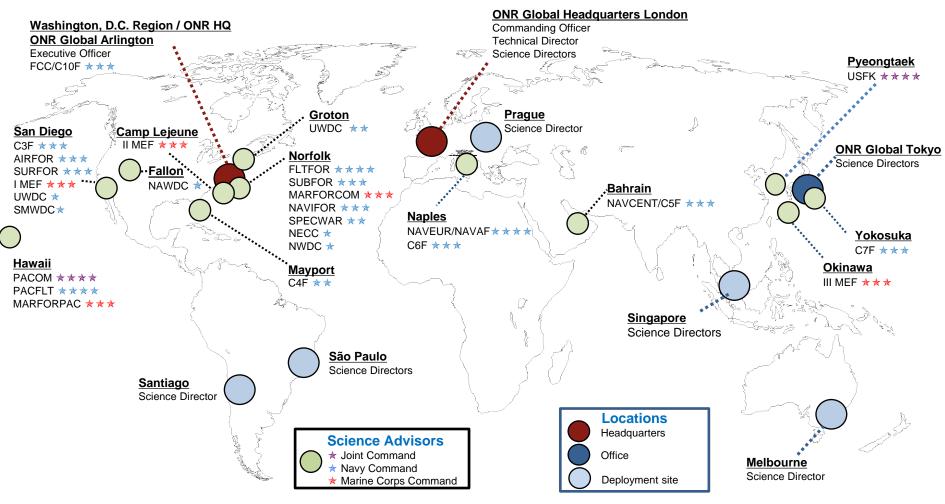
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International Naval Partnerships

Investing in Trusted Partnerships



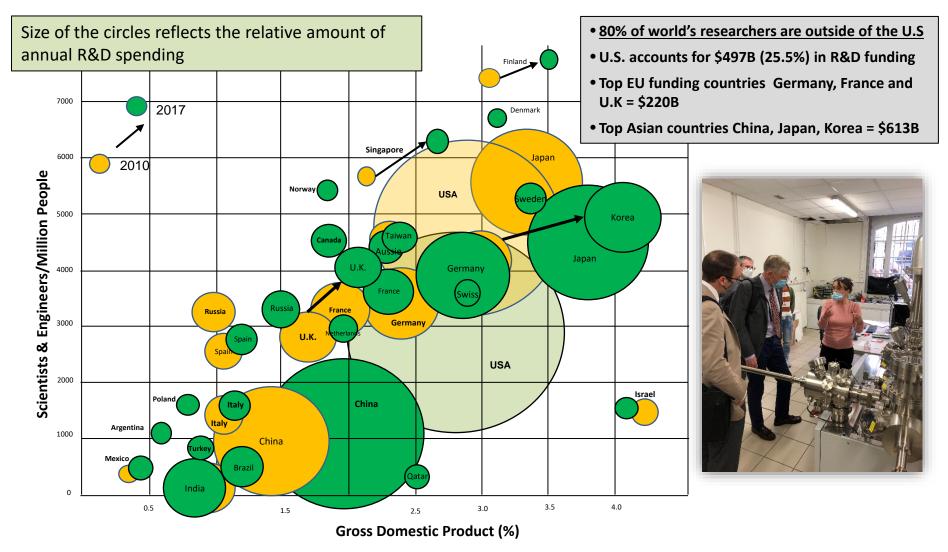
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Focus: international research & partnerships, connecting S&T to fleet/force, global technical awareness



Why International Science? International S&T is Outpacing the US



²⁰¹⁷ R&D Magazine Global R&D Funding Forecast



Why ONR Global?

ONR Global has partnered with **18** of the top **23** international universities (excluding China and Hong Kong) in the last 3 years.

Partnerships include research grants and collaborative science projects FY17-19



ONR Global manages 18 formal international bilateral agreements

ONR Global TechSolutions transitioned 9 prototypes to the fleet/force in 2019

ONR Global conducted 11 Experiments to inform FNC/INP/TC decisions

ONR Global is focused on international research and partnerships connecting S&T to the fleet and force global technical awareness.



ONR Global Presence in FY19

24 Science Directors Deployed Globally

- 130 liaison visits across 47 countries
- Submitted 161 Global Technical Awareness Reports (including 10 China / 1 Russia)
- 40 Visiting Scientist engagements across 23 countries

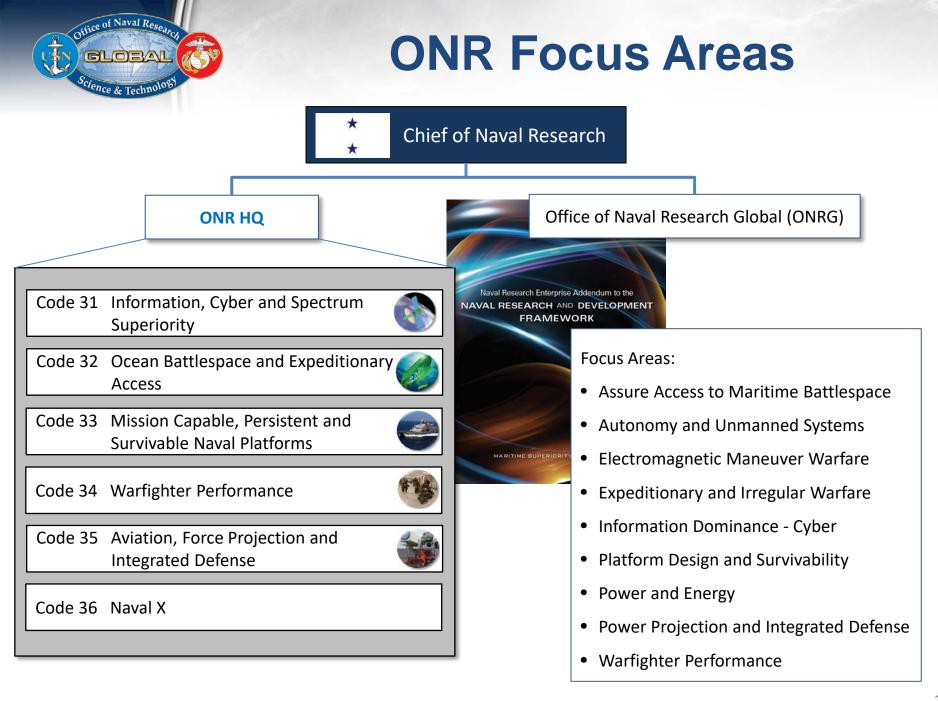
- 58 Collaborative Science Engagements across
 28 countries
- 74 new International Research Grants 31 Countries / 60 Institutions / 20 Technology areas





ONR Global is part of the NRD&E Providing Full-Spectrum

RDT&E Budget (6.1-6.7)							
S&T Budget (6.1-6.3)							
6.1 Basic Research	6.2 Applied Research	6.3 Advanced Technology Development	6.4 Adv. Comp. Development & Prototypes	6.5 System Development & Demonstration	6.6 RDT&E Management Support	6.7 Operational System Development	
(ONR, SYSCOMs and their Warfare Centers, PEOs)							
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Enduring Research Responsibilities

Amphibious Expeditionary Maneuver

Expeditionary fires and lethality

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DEAL

- **Expeditionary C4ISR**
- Hybrid threat defeat
- Human performance and protection
- Amphibious mobility
- Logistics, sustainment and maintenance Expeditionary power and energy Lightening the load
- Accelerated learning/decision making Information environment operations





Warfighter Supremacy

Undersea medicine Biological sciences Biorobotics Capable manpower Command decision making Force health protection Human-robot interaction Noise-induced hearing loss Training and simulation

Aviation, Force Projection & Integrated Defense Directed Energy (DE) & Counter DE

Aerodynamics Flight dynamics & control Propulsion Structures and materials Energetic materials Hypersonics Autonomy





Undersea Battlespace and Maritime Domain Access

Information Cyber and Spectrum Superiority

- Advanced RF electronics & materials Communications and networking Computational methods for decision making
- Data science and analytics
- Electronic warfare
- Sensors and sensor processing
- Machine learning, reasoning and intelligence
- **Resource optimization**
- Precision navigation & timekeeping



Arctic and global prediction Littoral geosciences and optics Marine mammals and biology Marine meteorology Maritime sensing Ocean acoustics Ocean engineering & marine systems Physical oceanography Research facilities Space environment Undersea signal processing

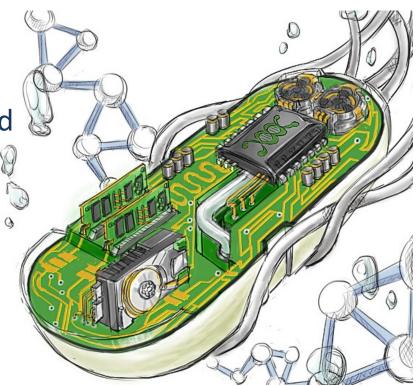




ONR Global Areas of Interest

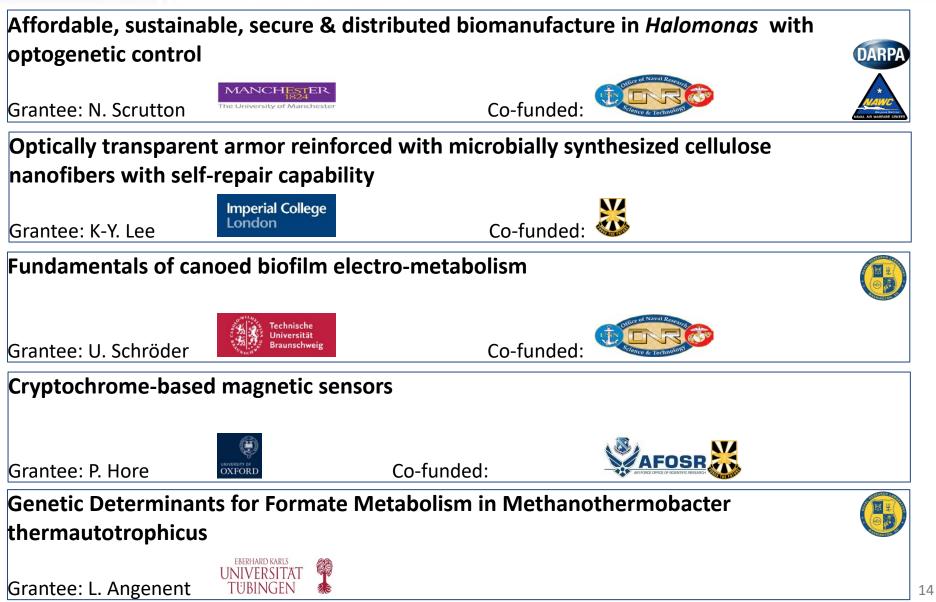
- Sense-and-Respond Systems
- Tunable Materials
- Bio-hybrid Autonomous Systems
- Secure And Sustainable Bio-based
 Production
- Fundamental information processing/tool development

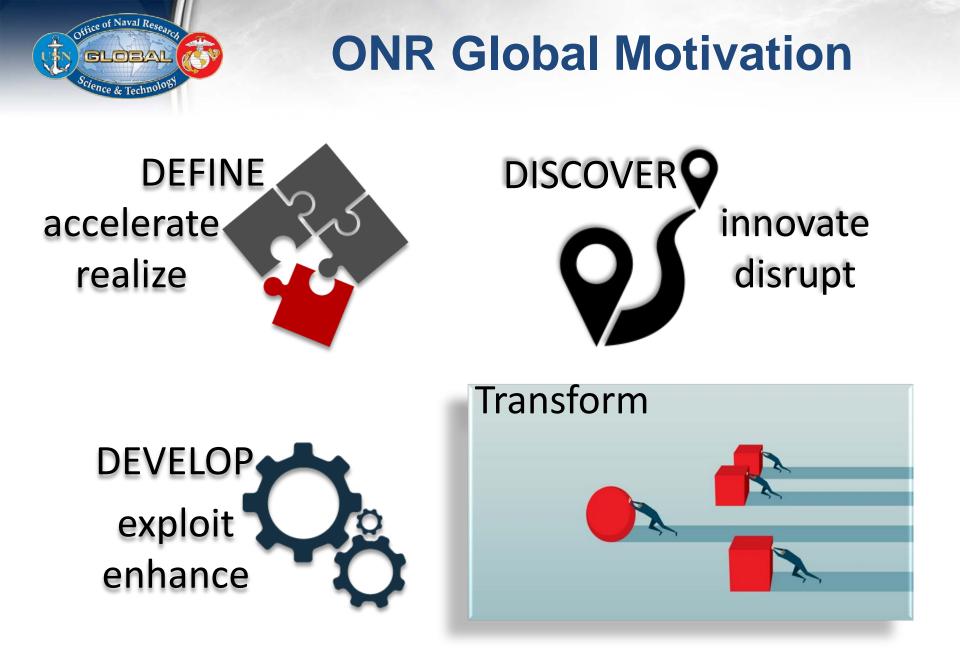
SynBio offers new routes to optimize SWaP for sensors, and reduced cost/logistics for materiel



Science & Technology

ONR Global Funded Research







International Science Tools

Liaison Visits

 ONRG technical staff attend international events and visit international institutions to develop access and discover cutting edge S&T

Grant tools

Visiting Scientist Program (VSP)

 Support travel of foreign scientists to the US to socialize new S&T ideas or findings with the Naval Research Enterprise

Collaborative Science Program (CSP)

Support foreign or international workshops and conferences of Naval interest

Research Grants

 Support connection of innovative, international S&T to ONR programs and US PIs



Small early investments can lead to significant results

Engagement Opportunities

 Intellectual property remains with the Principal Investigator

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- Funding goes to non-U.S. based
 Principal Investigators and institutions
- Government organizations not eligible
- We encourage openly publishing results/outcomes

Email me white papers with your relevant concepts



Proposal Submission Guidance

- Most current BAA can be found on www.onr.navy.mil
- Submit proposal using <u>http://grants.gov</u>

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Offeror shall use the Grants.gov form Standard Form SF424(r & R), the Research And Related Other Project Information, the Research & Related Budget, and Project Abstract forms from the application package template associated with the BAA on the Grants.gov web site. Assume that performance will start no earlier than three (3) months after the date the cost proposal is submitted.

Grant proposals submitted to ONRG should be in response to Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) of long-range ONR scientific projects



Acquire DUNS (Data Universal Numbering System) number

http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform

Acquire NCAGE Code (NATO Commercial and Government Entity Code)

https://eportal.nspa.nato.int/AC135Public/default.aspx

Register in SAM (System for Award Management) <u>https://www.sam.gov</u>

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90 Years of Naval Research

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COMMISSIONED 1930s 1920s

FIRST U.S. RADAR 1940s

VERTICAL TAKE-OFF BATHYSCAPHE TRIESTE REACHES 35,800 FT. 1950s **1960**s

SOUND SURVEILLANCE 1970s

ACOUSTIC SYSTEM (SOSUS)

MICROSCOPY **1980**s

1990s

HULL ANTI-FOULING 20005 ANTI-TORPEDO TORPEDO





WORLD-RECORD SETTING **33 MJ EMRG SHOT**



REMOTE ENVIRONMENT MONITORING UNITS





Celebrating Success!



08.04.2020



Professor Moustafa Abdel-Maksoud of the Hamburg University of Technology in Germany provides details of this ONR Global funded project, which aims to understand the influence of coherent flow vortices on ship maneuvering.

Optimizing surface ship performance has been a goal of navies for millennia. Improving performance makes ships more efficient to run, less costly to operate, and most importantly, safer. When a ship is moving through the

Hauptgebäude der TU Hamburg. Foto: TUHH

water, vortices are created which interact with the boundary layer, the propulsion system, with other vortices, and hence influence the entire ship performance. Thanks to research funded by the Office of Naval Research Global (ONR Global), a group of scientists at the Hamburg University of Technology (TUHH) are tackling this problem. The group, led by Professor Moustafa Abdel–Maksoud, is analyzing vortices generated behind fixed and moving blunt bodies. The aim is to understand how these vortices affect ship maneuverability and to potentially decrease noise and vibrations.

ONR Global's small investment at TUHH not only led to critical insights into vortex structures and their effects on surface ships, the resultant data were also used to support a follow-on proposal to the German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy. This successful proposal resulted in a \in 1.5 million award to TUHH for the purchase of a high speed Particle Image Velocimeter (PIV) system for more precise measurements.

Experimental Analysis of Coherent Vortical Structures Behind Fixed and Moving Blunt Bodies

Grantee: M. Abdel-Maksoud





20 February 2020

MIB receives Queen's Anniversary Prize at Buckingham Palace ceremony



The <u>Manchester Institute of Biotechnology (MIB</u>) has collected a prestigious award ceremony held at Buckingham Palace today (Thursday, 20 February).



Staff and students from The University of Manchester attended the event in London, where they were presented with the <u>Queen's Anniversary Prize for Higher and Further Education</u> by TRH The Prince of Wales and The Duchess of Cornwall.

The accolade rewards an outstanding contribution made to the UK by an academic institution - and the MIB was recognised for the environmental benefits of its pioneering expertise in <u>industrial</u> bitetechnology.

Professor Dame Nancy Rothwell, Professor Rob Field, Professor Martin Schröder, Professo<mark>Nigel Scrutton on Edward Astle were joined by PhD students Emily Kempa, Ashley Mattey, Jeremy Ramsden, Soukaina Timouma and Shaowei Zhang as the University's representatives.</mark>





The University of Manchester Manchester Institute of Biotechnology

29 April 2020

Outstanding MIB scientists elected as Fellows of the Royal Society

Two prominent biotechnology scientists from <u>The University of Manchester</u> have been confirmed as <u>Royal Society</u>. Fellows among more than 60 of their peers across the world.

Professor Nigel Scrutton and Professor Nicholas Turner from the <u>Manchester Institute of Biotechnology</u> nave been awarded the prestigious Fellowships thanks to their pioneering contributions to scientific discovery in the field of industrial biotechnology – one of the key research beacons for The University of Manchester.

Affordable, sustainable, secure & distributed biomanufacture in *Halomonas* with optogenetic control

Grantee: N. Scrutton





Naval Research Paying Off

The Chemical Evolution: ONR-Sponsored Researcher Wins Nobel Prize

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By Sierra Jones, Office of Naval Research Public Affairs

ARLINGTON, Va. (NNS) -- The Office of Naval Research (ONR) has a long record of placing winning bets on up-and-coming scientists.

In fact, it was 30 years ago that the ONR Young Investigator Program sponsored Dr. Frances H. Arnold, a professor from the California Institute of Technology, who was awarded the 2018 Nobel Prize in Chemistry.

Arnold, who still serves as a professor of chemical engineering at Caltech, was in Stockholm, Sweden, early Dec. 10 for the Nobel Prize Award Ceremonies, where she became only the fifth woman - and the first American woman - to take home the chemistry award.

"Doctor Arnold is the latest in a long line of Nobel Prize winners to have been sponsored through ONR basic research programs," said Dr. E. Anne Sandel, ONR executive director. "Like the others, her research has led to discoveries and breakthroughs with important implications for both the Navy and society at large."

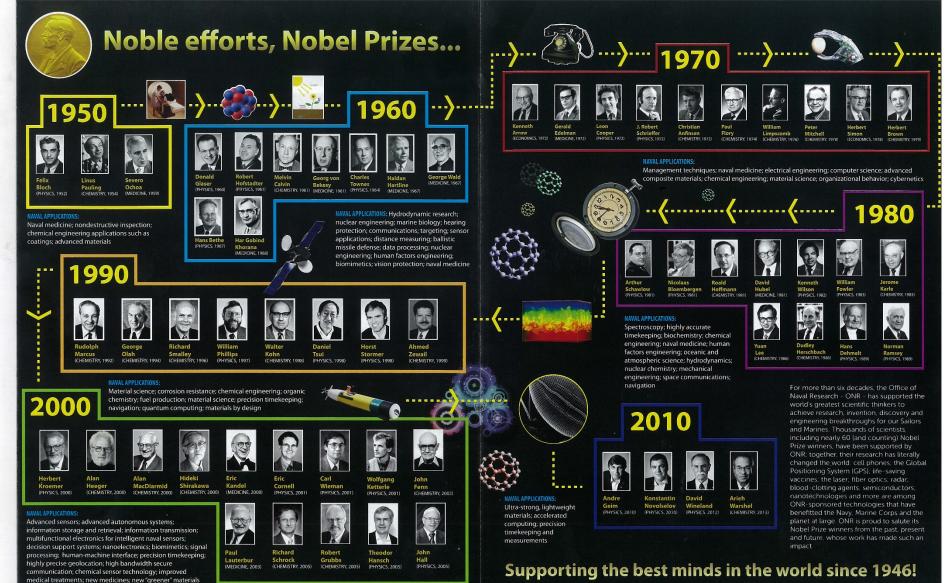
ONR sponsored Arnold with a series of grants between 1988 and 2002.

"I received an ONR Young Investigator Award in the late 1980s, which introduced me to problems of interest to the Navy, but also problems of good intellectual content that overlapped with some of my interests in metal recognition and protein engineering," said Arnold.





Naval Research Stories





ONR Global Driving Serendipity

- Interested in pursuing blue sky/disruptive approaches to challenge conventional thinking.
- Agnostic to the application, focused on the mission, remaining open to opportunity and driving serendipity to deliver revolutionary change.





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	All ONR-Sponsored Nobel Laureates
> >	W.E. Moerner - (Chemistry, 2014)
	For the development of super-resolved fluorescence microscopy.
	Arieh Warshel - (Chemistry, 2013)
	For the development of multi-scale models for complex chemical systems. (More Warshel)
	Andre Geim and Konstantin Novoselov - (Physics, 2010)
*	For groundbreaking experiments regarding the two-dimensional material graphene. (More Geim, Novoselov)
>	John L. Hall - (Physics, 2005)
	For contributions to the development of laser-based precision spectroscopy, including the so-called optical frequency comb
	technique. General Applications: Precise measurements: determination of the quantum structure of matter with ever-increasing accuracy, and
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Paul Lauterbur - (Medicine, 2003)

For his discoveries concerning "magnetic resonance imaging"



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Thank You!

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