

Garden State Create Zone - Collaborative Research Contacts

A targeted industry business may qualify for the highest base tax credit amount under the Grow NJ Program (\$5,000 per job, per year), if the business locates a qualified business facility in a Garden State Create Zone – defined at or within three miles of the campus or satellite campus of a New Jersey doctoral university, and the facility is used by the business to conduct a collaborative research relationship with that university.

The following is a list of contacts who are associated with the various NJ Doctoral Universities, who can facilitate collaborative research discussions between interested companies and the University.

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