

University Centers Directory



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Introduction

The document is a comprehensive listing of each University Center that has received funding through EDA's competitive University Center (UC) program. For best use of this document, please click on your state in the Table of Contents to view local university centers. You may also use the "find" feature (by pressing the "Ctrl" and "F" keys simultaneously) to search by university name, city, or the center name. Some states do not currently have any EDA-funded university centers, and those states have been omitted from the Table of Contents.

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