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## Geneticists Bring New STEM Careers

Firefly Diagnostics of Toronto, Canada and Chromocare of New Albany have teamed up to bring personalized medicine capabilities to Ohio. The Port Authority's speculatively-built clean room has

been leased to serve as home to the genetic testing lab for the partnership's entry into this emerging life sciences field. Now, biologists and geneticits join the impressive list of STEM careers found on the Aerospace Center campus.



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## 2015 D.C. Fly-In Delivers Message

Preventive maintenance for jobs. That's the four words that sum up the efforts of the public-private contingent that visited Capitol Hill Wednesday. The Port Authority-led D.C. Fly-In visited with offices of seven House and two Senate members. The message of the military value of the Aerospace Centers public-private partnerships, attracting of private capital investment, and synergy of workloads was the focus.

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## It's Construction Season, Big Time

Spring has sprung and so has construction season. Three Port Authority-led construction projects are underway on the Aerospace Center campus.

- The major reconstruction of the North Entry to the Aerospace Center starts this coming Monday. Though an inconvenience to parking routines and visitors, the final product will be a modern bridge with a long-time life.
- The first construction began Monday of this week for buildout of the second floor of the Horton Building to house the offices for the AFMETCAL program. The building should be ready for occupancy in early 3Q 2015.
- With the ground thawing, site work for the MISTRAS Group new building at James Parkway and Kaiser Drive is now in high gear. Concrete trucks are next in line with structural panels and steel not far behind.

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