## FAA COE CST Affiliate Member Overview

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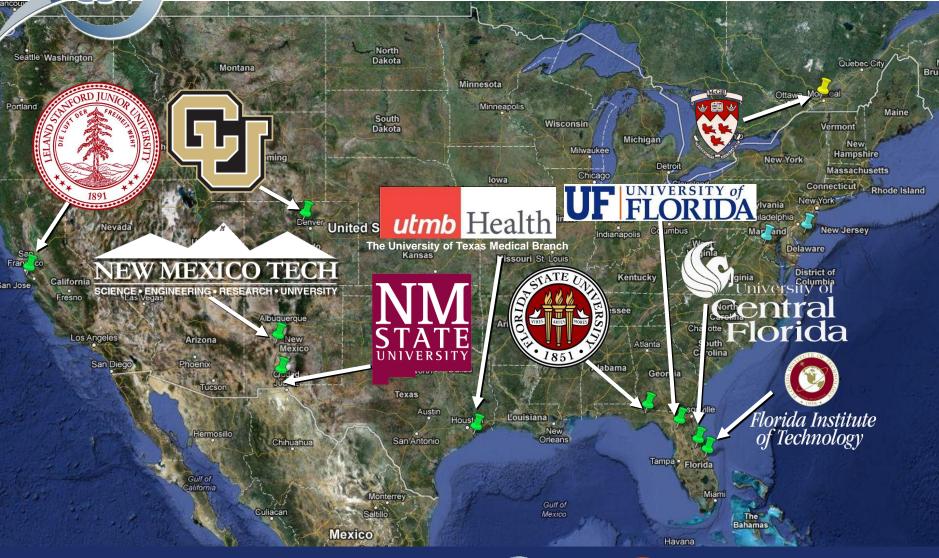
### **Overview**

- What is an Affiliate Member
- Who is Involved
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- 1<sup>st</sup> COE CST Affiliate Member
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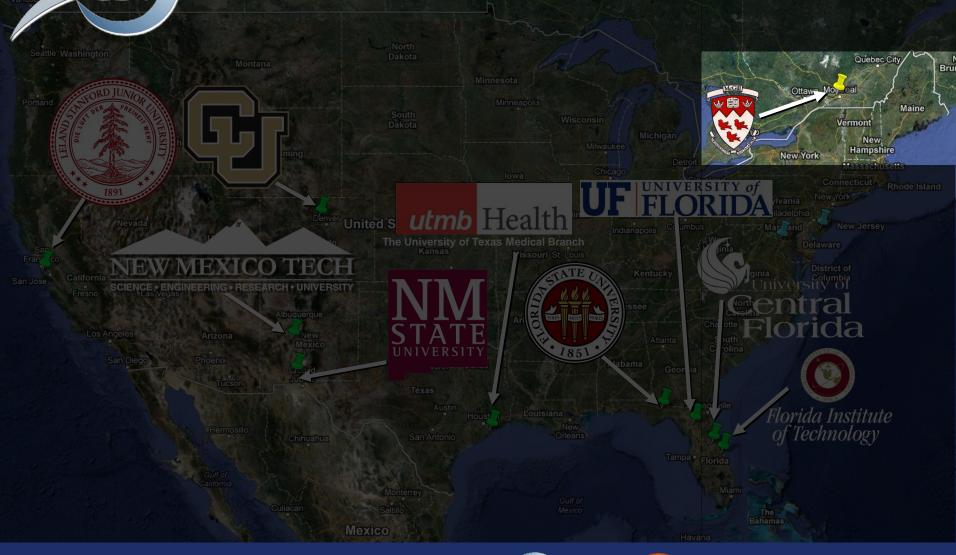


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## What Is An Affiliate Member?

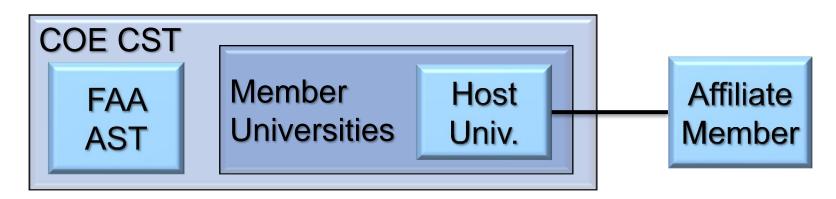
- Any University not currently a COE CST Member University
- Domestic (US) or Foreign (non-US)
- Provide diverse and complementary capabilities to benefit research projects related to the COE CST





### **Involved Parties**

- FAA Office of Commercial Space Transportation (AST)
- Member University (MU), one of the current nine member universities
- COE CST, comprised of the FAA AST and the MUs.
- Host University (HU), an MU acting as the liaison between the COE CST and the AM.
- Affiliate Member (AM)







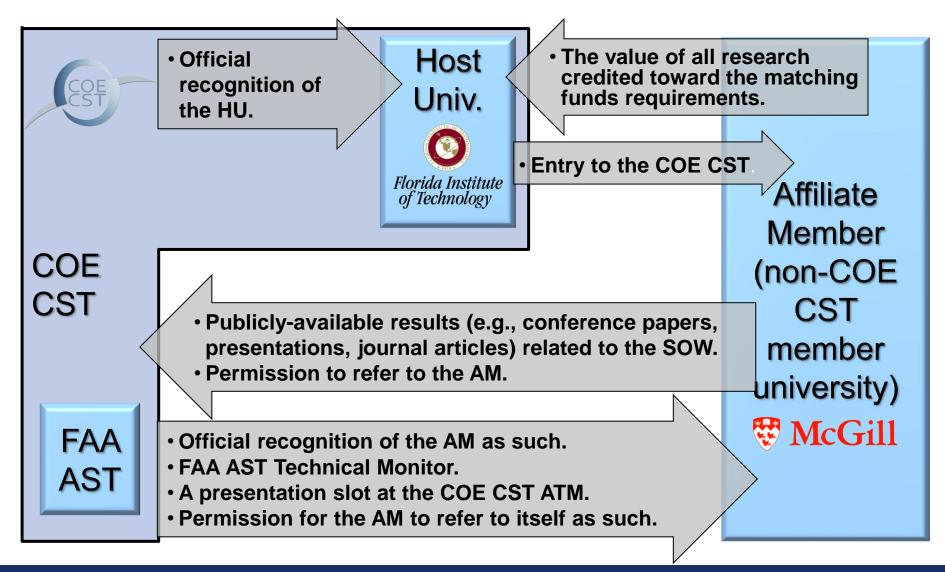
## **General Terms**

- The AM and AST will work together to develop a research task Statement of Work (SOW) that is satisfactory to both the AM and the COE CST.
- There will be no exchange of funds between any of the Involved Parties.
- The AM will be responsible for all costs associated with the research being conducted, including but not limited to: oversight, guidance, execution, training, travel and per diem.



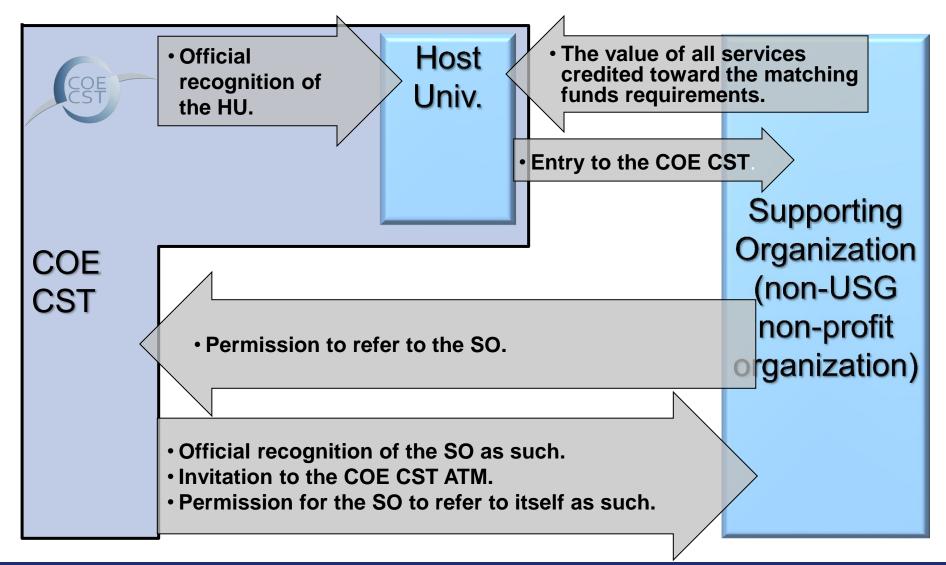


#### Affiliate Members "Gives & Gets"





#### Supporting Organizations "Gives & Gets"







## 1<sup>st</sup> Affiliate Member: McGill University

- Principal Investigator: Prof. Dr. Ram Jakhu
  - Institute of Air and Space Law
  - Faculty of Law, McGill University
  - Montréal, Canada 1<sup>st</sup> International Member
- Ph.D. Students
  - Ms. D. Howard World-Wide Spaceport Regs
  - Mr. P. Fitzgerald ICAO Role in ETO Regs
- Host University: Florida Institute of Technology
- Research Area: 4.4 Industry Viability Regulation





# **Future Plans**

- FAA AST is interested in increasing the number of Affiliate Members
- Three Affiliate Member candidates
  - All US Universities
- Consideration of a Solicitation Announcement in the Federal Register.





# Summary

- COE CST Growing with Affiliate Members
- Mutual Benefits for COE CST, Host University and Affiliate Members
- First Affiliate Member: McGill University
  - Also First International Member!
- Future Plans include:
  - Solicitation for more AM candidates
  - Supporting Organizations (???)
    - Currently Two non-US Candidates



