THE PARK BY THE NUMBERS

1. OF THE 26 PARKS IN THE NATIONAL NETWORK OF RESEARCH & TECHNOLOGY

120 ACRES OF LAND

270 ACRES OF ADJACENT PARK LANDS

9 BUILDINGS OPEN, WITH A 10TH AND 11TH COMMITTED

24 STARTUPS IN THE ACCELERATOR CENTRE

43 IN THE ACCELERATOR PROGRAM

GRADUATES INCLUDE: KIK, ENFLICK, MOVISION, TRIBEHR, TOP HAT MONOCLE

428 MILLIONS DOLLARS GENERATED IN GDP, 602 MILLION IN SPENDING & 319 MILLION IN LABOUR

6474 JOBS CREATED

9882 JOBS ESTIMATED IN THE FUTURE

36% ENTERED AS A STARTUP

43% ENTERED AS A ESTABLISHED CANADIAN COMPANY

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WHO WE ARE

The University of Waterloo is committed to creating a unique, community-based research and technology park, whose mandate is to foster radical innovation. The ambition of the David Johnston Research + Technology Park is supported by a comprehensive partnership among the university, the Government of Canada, Province of Ontario, the Region of Waterloo, the City of Waterloo, Communitech Technology Association, and Canada’s Technology Triangle. The park was awarded the Excellence in Economic Development Award from the International Economic Development Council in 2013.

The David Johnston Research + Technology Park provides a powerfully supportive base for radical, high impact research. Today, greater than 70% of the world’s GDP runs on software created by companies in the R+T Park. Join those who seek commanding commercial advantage through technological leadership-organizations with the vision and drive to shift the ground under their competitors. The talent of the university community is ready and willing

KEY FEATURES

- Two kilometers of walking paths within Ira Needles Park
- Light Rail Transit Station (Expected completion early 2018)
- Grand River Transit iExpress Route
- Close proximity to the talents and opportunities at the University of Waterloo; located right on campus on the university’s North Campus

COMPANIES & ORGANIZATIONS THAT CALL US HOME

AGFA

UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO

EDUCATION CREDIT UNION

Stantec

watsec

SAP

HUawei

NA blue

OPEN TEXT

Miller Thomson

THE CONTENT EXPERTS

accelerator

centre'

OUR COMMITMENT TO COMMUNITY

Winter Classic (February)

The R+T Park hosts a annual Winter Classic at the hockey rink located right in the park

Pick-up Outdoor Soccer and Baseball (May-August)

Exclusive access to the nearby Columbia Ice Fields’ soccer fields and baseball diamond

Charity BBQs (May-October)

Beach Volleyball League (May-September)

Team up with your employees and other tenants during your lunch hour in a summer long tournament to be crowned the Park’s beach volleyball champions! Currently running with 16 teams on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at the on-site beach volleyball court.

R+T Park Charity Golf Tournament (July)

Hosting 200 golfers annually, this charity tournament is a region fan favourite! Selling out in under two hours every year and supported by 40+ friends of the park it is one of our largest community building and fundraising events. The volunteer golf committee, representing many of the firms in the park, meets throughout the year to keep this event fresh and exciting year after year.

R+T Tenants Fund at the Kitchener-Waterloo Community Foundation

The Park’s tenants have collectively raised over $235K for our fund creating a legacy of giving back to the region through the support of local children’s charities and community based projects.

Publication: WATCH Magazine (IEDC Gold Award — 4 consecutive years)

WATCH provides a forum to share the unique stories of research, collaborative projects and personal insights of entrepreneurs, executives, students, and scientists that call the Park home. Read the latest issue at www.rtparkwatch.com

AMENITIES

Planned Commons Building near the Accelerator and Agfa buildings, including an eatery/pub, branded coffeehouse, lounge, and patio areas with wi-fi, and a small fitness facility/studio

Gourmet Food Trucks on site daily from April — October