

PARTNERSHIP AWARD

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NASA Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC) Technology Transfer Manager Ted Mecum has spearheaded partnership efforts for the Agency's SpaceWire Link and Switch technology since 2002. Since 2005, he has led an innovative strategy to increase use of and knowledge about the technology throughout the international aerospace industry. Mecum's commitment has been to:

- A highly innovative and creative technology transfer strategy
- Exceptional service to partners
- Aggressive scheduling in order to meet NASA and partner goals
- An ongoing commitment to maintaining relationships and cultivating future agreements

Mecum's clear dedication to innovative, creative, and strategic thinking surrounding technology transfer has led to several successful agreements related to Goddard's SpaceWire router technology. In administering these agreements he has provided exceptional service to Goddard's partners and has succeeded in meeting aggressive schedules in order to meet the goals of both NASA and its partners. And throughout, he has demonstrated a strong, ongoing commitment to maintaining the relationships he has been building... laying a strong foundation for even more fruitful agreements and collaborations to grow so that NASA and its partners can cultivate scientific discovery that will impact human life.