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**Adena Ventures**

Adena Ventures provides equity capital and operational assistance to high-growth businesses located primarily in Appalachia. The principals have decades of experience in venture capital, financial services, strategy, and company operations. Adena's investment focus includes growth-oriented ventures at various stages of development across a broad range of industries. From cutting-edge technology to more traditional opportunities, Adena works with portfolio companies to maximize overall growth.

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**Affine Technologies**

Affine Technologies has a platform technology to turn complex data into visualizations creating a human interface for real-time analysis and decision-making. Affine’s first product is a data-rich, but low bandwidth communications link to create visual navigation systems for Unmanned Aerial Vehicles at dramatically lower costs. The UAV market is undergoing explosive growth as applications move from military to civilian uses and is forecasted to reach annual sales of $11 billion in 2021. Affine’s data visualization solutions have applications in medical technologies, agriscience, education, research and other contexts in avionics.

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Athenian Venture Partners

With backgrounds in engineering, manufacturing, medicine, molecular biology, executive management, marketing, and finance, Athenian’s five partners bring over 90 years of combined industry and investment experience to the Fund’s two practice areas and to its portfolio companies. Drawing on this experience and the partners’ deep technical expertise, Athenian provides its companies with more than just capital. Through board representation and using its resources and network, the team engages with management in resolving key issues. Its partners have assisted the funds’ companies with matters as diverse as strategic development, executive and board recruitment, marketing, licensing and partnering, and the identification and negotiation of exits.

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Athens County Economic Development Council (Business Remixed)

Anchor

The Athens County Economic Development Council is the champion of business in Southeast Ohio. We are a public-private partnership committed to increasing economic opportunity in Athens County by encouraging entrepreneurship, recruiting new businesses, and helping existing businesses grow and expand.

Advocacy is the cornerstone of all we do. We work for you because your success is our success. Prosperous businesses make for happy employees and a booming local economy.

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Austral Engineering & Software

Austral Engineering & Software Inc. (AES) was incorporated on January 1, 1994. The company was created to be a professional engineering firm in the state of Ohio in order to pursue both government and private-sector engineering research and software development projects. In its lifetime, AES has focused on dynamic systems modeling, control system design, system simulation, optimization and corresponding software development. Currently, AES pursues opportunities in non-aerospace related software development areas. AES also is pursuing work in the area of hierarchical, decentralized control of hybrid dynamical systems. Specifically, AES is interested in applications to control distributed, cooperative autonomous agents (ground vehicles, underwater vehicles, air vehicles and space vehicles).

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BCS Engineering

Affiliate

BCS Engineering has been providing corporate ecommerce solutions to local and global businesses since 2002. They work closely with the customer to find a solution that works within budget while maintaining a professional appearance. The staff at BCSE has over 30 combined years of experience in web development and web customizations and offers a variety of IT services.

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CreMedia Productions, LLC

CreMedia Video Productions began in the fall of 2010 in the college town of Athens, Ohio. Founded by Ohio University video production major Max Rodriguez, the web-based company formed to accomplish a single purpose: to provide anyone willing and able with a creative means to display their individual and collaborative work. CreMedia is dedicated not only to the ideal of producing professional content, also to the notion of innovation and creativity expressed through all elements of their projects.

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Digital Edge Sports

Digital Edge Sports' focus is on supporting the development and growth of youth sports. They are out to bring professional-grade digital offerings to youth sports organizations and help generate revenue that improves the experience for young sports stars and their families.

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Current Room(s): 202

E3 Clean Technologies Inc

E3 Clean Technologies Inc. is dedicated to the development and commercialization of electrochemical devices and technologies that clean up the environment and produce clean energy. Founded in 2008 by Dr. Gerardine Botte, the company's GreenBoxTM technologies remove ammonia from waste water and smog forming compounds from exhaust while producing zero-emissions hydrogen fuel as a byproduct.

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ECO2Capture

The mission of ECO2Capture™ is to use its patented membrane technology (developed by Researchers at Ohio University) to offer a cost effective solution for the mass transfer of gases into liquid media. Initial efforts are focused on the use of this technology to enhance the capture of CO2 for use in the production of microalgae products for multiple end use applications: such as nutritional ingredients, specialty chemicals and bio-remediation of nutrient laden water bodies.

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Ecolibrium Solar

Ecolibrium Solar manufactures an advanced generation PV solar panel mounting system--The Ecofoot. The "Game Changing" design provides the most rapid installation and flexibility, while allowing for an ultra-low environmental footprint. It’s engineered to provide the industry's lowest life-cycle cost. This premium-grade polymer design is a patent pending breakthrough in aerodynamic efficiency.

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Current room(s): 243

EZ Asphalt Technologies, Inc.

EZ Asphalt Technologies, Inc. was started by Ohio University Professor Dr. Sang-Soo Kim, who has invented a device testing the low temperature performance of asphalt binders. EZ Asphalt Technologies has completed a grant from the Federal Highway Administration to refine the process for commercialization. In 2011, the test method was adopted as a national standard (AASHTO TP-92).

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**First Biotech**

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**Frederick Limited, DBA iEd WorldWide**

iEd offers a special selection of courses designed to enhance your personal and professional development (PD) without the usual hassle and expense of traditional learning. They use the Internet to hold live, interactive courses, and their team will meet the needs of your budget, schedule, and preferred learning style.

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**LiveInteractive LLC**

LiveInteractive LLC is a startup software development company. The company’s purpose is to be an innovative and simple online presence in the world of advertising and marketing.

LiveInteractive is developing a local social media-marketing app that gets people out of their seats and into the streets.

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LiveWires, Inc. produces high quality custom molded earphones for professional musicians, amateur musicians who'd like to sound like professional musicians and consumers who enjoy listening to their music with the same precision that those who create music demand.

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Current room(s): 140

Molecular Technology Laboratories LLC

MTL has developed an advanced technology for genetically engineering superior microbial strains and protein products. The current tools are difficult to work with and yield unstable bio production systems resulting in a product development bottleneck. Their engine features a disruptive technology that utilizes a more efficient process to create stable bacterial strains that radically lower process development and production costs.

Competing tools rely on plasmid based systems and represent 1980's technology. MTL technology enables enhanced microbial strain development that couples product development to production scale up. MTL also extends its stable protein expression technology to include gene/protein sequence optimization and processing optimization. Learn more about MTL by visiting their website or sending them an email.

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NBIA (National Business Incubation Association)

The National Business Incubation Association (NBIA) is the world’s leading organization advancing business incubation and entrepreneurship. Each year, it provides thousands of professionals with information, education, advocacy and networking resources to bring excellence to the process of assisting early-stage companies. An elected voting board of directors representing the world’s leading incubators governs the association.

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**Onyx Scientific, Inc.**

Onyx Scientific, Inc. specializes in making connections, both scientific and intellectual, to move from science to products and then to the marketplace. Founded by professionals with more than 30 years' engagement in Fortune 100 companies and the U.S. military, the Onyx team provides a cross-disciplinary perspective: with knowledge ranging from particle physics to aerospace engineering, from product prototyping to information systems and from advanced mathematics to materials science. Onyx's launch business, the Unmanned Systems division, offers unmanned air vehicles (UAVs) and integrated ground support systems for surveillance and reconnaissance.

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**QuickLoadz**

QuickLoadz owns a patent pending method of moving sea shipping containers, either empty or full from ground level without the use of cranes, winches or cables. Over 90% of merchandise travels across the oceans in large steel shipping containers. This relatively new way of shipping materials in containers has completely revolutionized world shipping by improving efficiency to the point where it now costs less than 10% to ship internationally than it did before the shipping container was widely adopted.

Until QuickLoadz, there was no easy way to take a loaded sea shipping container and move it once it came off the ship or rail car. A very heavy crane was needed to pick up a container and place it on a truck trailer at both the starting and delivery points. Loaded containers were, therefore, confined to large yards where this equipment could be used. The container contents were then unloaded into a semi-tractor trailer and reshipped to the end user, who had to have a loading dock to accept the shipment. With a QuickLoadz trailer system, these containers full of merchandise can be picked up and dropped off by any truck. This system will increase the efficiencies of freight, mobile storage, and household moving industries as well as provide benefits to organizations such as FEMA and DOD.

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Razor Dynamics
Razor Dynamics is a software startup focusing on mobile applications for the Android and iOS platforms. Their current project seeks to compete with apps like Apple’s Find my Friends and Glympse, which provide the user with the ability to track their friends in real time. Unlike these competitors, Razor Dynamics is employing augmented reality technology, a technique for enhancing the world around the user with computer graphics, as well as sensor fusion, to provide a more powerful and user friendly interface, with an unparalleled level of accuracy.

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