

How can your company work with the Syracuse University CASE Center?

CASE manages requests from on-campus researchers to use the on-campus 5G private wireless network. If you are looking for research access to the largest private 5G wireless network in the country, please contact CASE, and we can find a research collaborator on campus.

CASE provides pilot grants of up to \$25,000 to fund research activities on the network that have high potential for commercialization or follow-on sponsored research. CASE can quickly connect you with Syracuse University researchers, and fund SU's internal research activities to advance the project.

CASE provides matching-grants for industry-sponsored research at SU for projects related to complex information systems, such as sensor networks, AI/ML, big data, wireless communication, cybersecurity, and more. We can work with you to find a research collaborator and offset a significant portion of the project cost through funding received by NYSTAR, Empire State Development's Division of Science, Technology, and Innovation. CASE provides \$1 for every \$2 your company spends on sponsored research at SU, and if your company has its headquarters in NYS and employs fewer than 100 FTEs, CASE can match your project costs 1:1, and provide a reduced F&A rate of 15%.

CASE makes finding and hiring SU student interns easy. Your company sets the pay rate and selects from a pool of pre-screened candidates, SU handles payroll, and companies receive a monthly invoice for hours worked.

CASE can assist in your workforce development efforts. Whether you are looking to participate in seminars, workshops, or short courses, or meet with groups of students, faculty, and administrators to address your company's employment needs and requirements, CASE can serve as a facilitator to connect you with the right groups on campus.

What are your company's commitments and obligations when working with CASE?

Beyond the expenses related to your own internal project costs, and any expenditures at Syracuse University, there are no additional costs, and minimal additional requirements. Part of the matching grants application package is a letter of commitment to the project, and following a project supported by CASE, we ask for an economic impact letter for a period of 5 years following the project. A sample letter of commitment and economic impact letter have been included in the attached folder with this document.