

## Success Stories

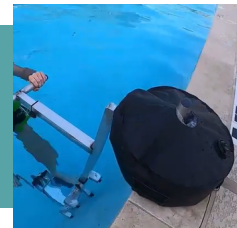
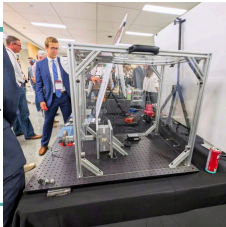


"Everyone with SATOP has been like a guardian angel to me. As an immigrant, they helped me locate resources and assistance that I never would have known about without their guidance."

**Elizabeth Schandorf's, Weight Loss Vest**

"The way SATOP brings technology, companies, engineers, and higher education together is truly masterful. Our future space economy is in good hands supported by the exceptional group of people..."

**Brent Clayton, OGRE Skin Test Rig**



"From the start, SATOP was with us every step of the way! They were always there to answer any questions and provide direction. The process was seamless and efficient and I am truly grateful for all they did for us!"

**Mark Strickler, The Buoy Bike**

"I feel grateful that SATOP is providing feedback, direction, and connections to help bring my project to life."

**Damien Wade, GryoFlux Cargo Drone**



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## What is SATOP?

The **Space Alliance Technology Outreach Program** is a state funded program, designed to assist Texas small businesses (**100% FREE of charge**) overcome product development challenges. Our network of alliance partners speeds the transfer of aerospace technology. Administered by the Bay Area Houston Economic Partnership (**BAHEP**), we enable small business to grow and strengthen the Texas Economy by facilitating the development of new and improved products.

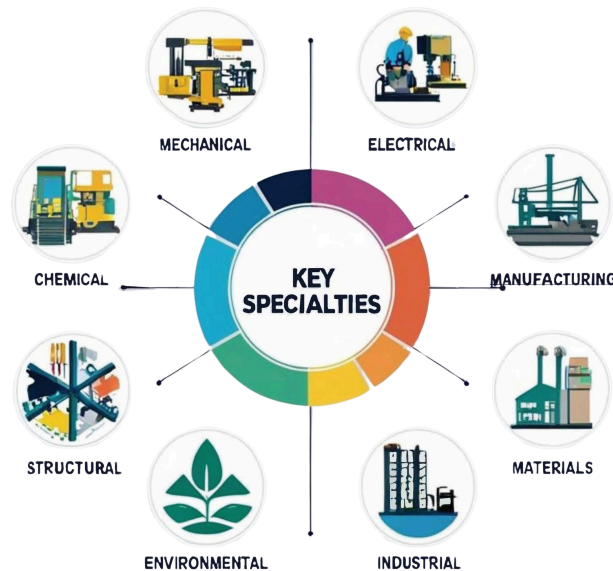
## Our Mission:

Our mission is to foster job creation, support new products for market, and overall stimulate the economy in the state of Texas. Through a network of alliance partner volunteers, SATOP translates aerospace industry expertise into practical solutions to advance innovation and boost the Texas economy.

Since **1999** SATOP has assisted more than **1,200** businesses in Texas and has generated an economic impact of **over \$200 million dollars**.

## How does SATOP work?

### Our Specialties:



\*Please be prepared to provide drawings, prototypes, or samples as needed, and be available to communicate with an Alliance Partner engineer.

## SATOP Programs

### 40-Hour Technical Assistance Program

Individuals and small businesses with an identifiable challenge that could be solved by an engineering professional in **40 hours**.

- Requestor has question/prototype
- Needs testing/validation, component level problem-solving, or design manufacturing.
- Individual Alliance Partner volunteers

### University Capstone Design Program

Requestor has an idea or basic prototype but needs extensive design assistant. Service provided by **Senior Engineering Students**.

- Needs hands-on developmental work
- University teams volunteer 1-2 semesters.

### Who Can Apply?

SATOP is available to any Texas entrepreneur, small business or manufacturer under 500 employees.