

## Integrated Activity-Based Simulation Research, Inc. (IABSRI) Joins EDGE® Innovation Network

**St. Louis, Missouri** – Integrated Activity-Based Simulation Research, Inc. (IABSRI) announced today it has joined the EDGE® Innovation Network, a collaborative, open-environment initiative enabling industry and academia, with government input, to work together to enhance the delivery cycle of new technologies and innovative capabilities to warfighters and first responders.

Dr. Kofi Nyamekye, president and chief executive officer of IABSRI says “Designing a warfighter system that is useful for supporting the Department of Defense’s 21<sup>st</sup> century mission is a difficult problem. IABSRI wants any unmanned entity in a net-centric ecosystem to incorporate natural intelligence to support situational awareness of the threat environment. Partnering with other EDGE members gives us more ability to do that.”

Sponsored by General Dynamics C4 Systems, the EDGE has already delivered several innovations including a Soldier Intelligence Surveillance and Reconnaissance (ISR) Receiver or SIR to the U.S. Army. About the size of a Blackberry®, the SIR device delivers real-time streaming video directly from multiple manned or unmanned assets directly into the hands of soldiers on the ground. Currently, there are over 10 projects in development intended to improve and enhance warfighter capabilities.

Pete Palmer, EDGE Innovation Network director, said, “The EDGE bridges gaps between end-user needs and current capabilities by promoting rapidly prototyped solutions that could close those gaps quickly. By applying the EDGE process, the government can quickly and cost-effectively review multiple options for users to evaluate in months rather than years.”

There are currently seven EDGE Innovation Centers worldwide and over 140 EDGE members. Recent new members include IBM Corporation, Bethesda, Md.' American Reliance, Inc., El Monte, Calif.; Archangel Systems, Inc., Auburn, Ala.; Bulldog Equipment, LLC., Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; and ScienceTomorrow LLC., Chandler, Ariz. More information can be found online at [EDGE-innovation website](http://EDGE-innovation.com).

### **About Integrated Activity-Based Simulation Research, Inc. (IABSRI)**

Integrated Activity-Based Simulation Research, Incorporated (IABSRI) is a 100 percent small-minority owned technical and scientific research firm in modeling and simulation of any enterprise to achieve superior competitive advantage, through its visionary (SOA)-Based DODAF and Multi-Threaded Missions and Means Framework concepts. It assists enterprises in achieving a competitive advantage through technical and scientific innovations by:

- Maximizing growth through acquisition of new customers using novel strategic scientific management approaches
- Minimizing operating expenses through science-based cost reduction
- Generating more revenues at low cost, on-time delivery and top quality of products or services, using the least amount of assets or resources
- Creating and maintaining strong partnerships with its external and internal customers through cultural and behavioral scientific approaches -- cognitive and social scientific approaches
- Creating an adaptive Net-Centric Ecosystem to support the Warfighter for achieving superior advantage over the enemy on the battlefield, using its newly breakthrough Multi-Threaded Missions and Means Framework Paradigm.

More information can be found at [www.iabsri.net](http://www.iabsri.net).