



Welcome to the Future

Meet Roanoke Innovates

Innovation.

Opportunity.

Collaboration.

Community.

Something special is happening.



#RoanokeInnovates

Remarkable Growth in Just 10 Years

- Multimillion-dollar biomedical and tech hub
- Top researchers, physicians, faculty, students, and medical professionals
- Thriving biotech, engineering, and software start-ups
- Excelling through collaboration



Innovation & Technology

- Breakthroughs made here will change the world
- Opportunities at Roanoke Innovates draw some of the best and brightest
- We are “makers” – we start, define & build
- Collaborative, low cost, supportive environment

Success Stories | **Fralin Biomedical Research Institute at VTC**

- Faculty have filed over 30 patents
- Spawned several companies
- Collaborated with over a dozen private companies and over 100 universities and medical centers from 27 countries.

Opportunity

- An entrepreneurial spirit infuses Roanoke Innovates with energy
- Entrepreneurs are encouraged & supported
- Extensive educational opportunities
- Students are involved in research

Success Stories | **Carilion**

Long history in graduate medical education with more than 280 residents and fellows.

Success Stories | Virginia Tech

Internationally recognized for research and education in technology as well as strengths in life science, agriculture, behavioral science, bioinformatics, urban, and environmental planning and veterinary medicine.

Collaboration

- Engaged government, higher education, and private industry partners ensure success
- Boundaries are minimized, encouraging sharing of knowledge
- You can become part of building Roanoke Innovates

Success Stories | **Virginia Tech and Carilion Clinic**

2008 saw a productive public-private partnership that led to the creation of the Virginia Tech Carilion Research Institute and the Virginia Tech Carilion School of Medicine (VTC SOM).

Community

- The community embraces and supports Roanoke Innovates
- An inclusive approach recognizes all citizens matter
- Roanoke is a great place to live and have work/life balance



Success Stories | **Fralin Biomedical Research**

To date, Fralin Biomedical Research Institute at VTC's cumulative research expenditures exceed \$110 million, and its economic impact on the region is estimated at \$245 million.

Success Stories | **Carilion Clinic**

Carilion Clinic is a nationally recognized integrated health system with several hospitals employing nearly 1,000 physicians.

Join Us

Something special is happening in Roanoke. Share our vision and be part of our success as entrepreneurs, businesses, government, and higher education collaborate to shape the future.

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