

According to Layek Malek, NJIT professor of industrial engineering and director of the program, the program expects to enroll a first class of 12 students at both the U.S. and E.U. campuses in September 2011.

NJIT is the lead American institution, while the University of Parma, Italy, leads the European effort. The Polytechnic of Valencia and the University of Extremadura, in Spain, and Rutgers University-New Brunswick are also partners.

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