

# SPACE IN THE WEST OF ENGLAND

Invest  
**BRISTOL + BATH**

Part of the UK's largest aerospace cluster & the UK's most productive tech cluster

One of seven regional Space Hubs in the UK supported by the UK Space Agency

A hub of over 50 organisations active in the space ecosystem

Our market leading opportunities are based on three core areas:



The Safety of Space



Downstream Applications



Defence Satellite Communications

## WHAT WE OFFER

Bristol & Bath offer a thriving ecosystem that fosters business growth and acceleration.

Facilities offering office, industrial, R&D and testing space, access to talent, and incubation and growth programmes with centres of excellence based in the region.

Discounted services and 'soft-landing' offers from local partners.



Partnership opportunities to work with the West of England Combined Authority and stakeholders in realising the region's Space Priority Actions and Grand Ambitions.

Cross-sectoral collaboration for burgeoning start-ups and SMEs to propel their business to newer and higher levels.

Proximity to and collaboration with specialists at the front line of the digital and AI transformation.

Opportunities to join local, regional, national and international events.

Our strategy proposes specific programmes of activity that will support the space sector in the region to grow.



**TALENT** - We collaborate with higher education institutions to enhance space skills and training to harness talent in the region.



**ENTERPRISE** - We support businesses to maximise their engagement with national and international opportunities and represent the region with policy makers at national level networks.



# SPACE HUB

The Space Hub has provided the momentum for the development of an ambitious regional space strategy. It unites organisations working in the space sector on four Grand Ambitions:



Space for Climate, Environment and Net Zero



Space Infrastructure, Safety and Sustainability



Space for National Security and Defence



Space for Smarter Local Government



## LEADING BUSINESSES

AIRBUS

ThalesAlenia Space

CGI



Nova Systems

Geollect

cfms



4E1

Hewlett Packard Enterprise

## CENTRES OF EXCELLENCE

IAAPS

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NATIONAL COMPOSITES CENTRE

## UNIVERSITIES

University of BRISTOL

UWE Bristol

UNIVERSITY OF BATH

BATH SPA UNIVERSITY

The Invest Bristol & Bath team offers free, tailored support to companies interested in locating and growing in the region. This includes:

Property solutions

Local knowledge

Industry connections

Relocation support

Links to networks

Hosting regional visits

Help accessing skills and talent

Expertise from sector specialists

Connections to regional partners & UK Government

**WEST OF ENGLAND**  
Combined Authority

Whether you're an innovative start-up or established company, contact Invest Bristol & Bath to find out how we can support the future growth of your business.

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