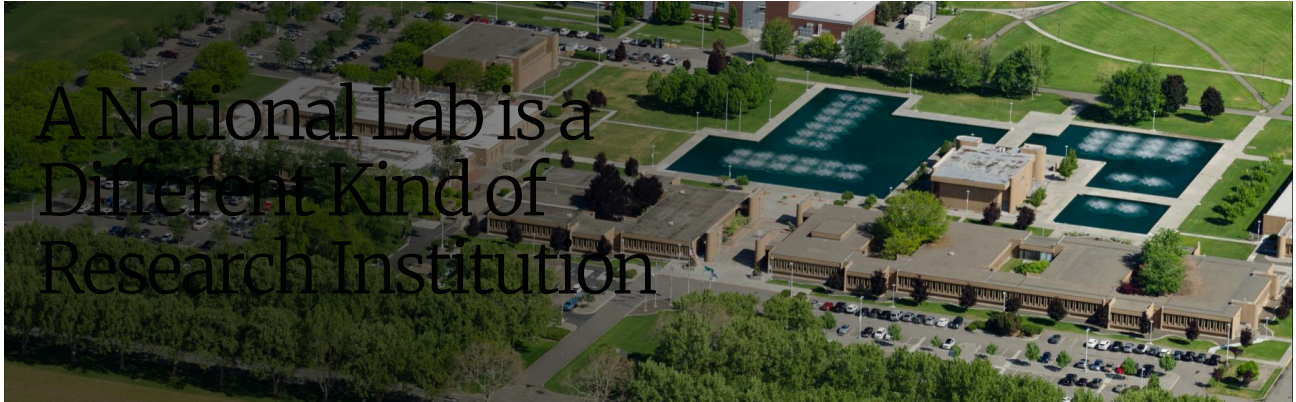


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Scientists, engineers, and professional staff



2,886

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1,280

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340

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