

Located at the University of Texas at El Paso, the W.M. Keck Center for 3D Innovation is a unique multidisciplinary research facility focused on the use and development of additive manufacturing technologies. State-of-the-art equipment and more than 18 years of experience in AM allow us to provide fabrication and testing services as well expert-developed solutions to national and international clientele.

STANDARD 3D PRINTING/ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING SERVICES

Material Extrusion

- Systems:
 - Stratasys industry-grade FDM machines
 - Cincinnati BAAM system
 - an assortment of desktop systems
- Materials:
 - Thermoplastics
 - Thermoplastic composites

Vat Photopolymerization

- Systems:
 - 3D Systems industry-grade SLA machines
- Materials:
 - Translucent and high temperature resins
 - Hydrogels

Powder Bed Fusion (PBF)

- Systems:
 - Arcam (a GE Additive company) electron beam powder bed fusion machines
 - Aconity3D open architecture laser powder bed fusion system
 - SLM Solutions laser powder bed fusion system
 - EOS laser powder bed fusion system
- Materials:
 - Metals
 - Metal alloys

Binder Jetting

- Systems:
 - ExOne machines
 - 3D systems full color printer
- Materials:
 - Metals
 - Ceramics
 - Multi-colored materials

NON-STANDARD AND UNIQUE 3D PRINTING/ ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING SERVICES

Unique service offerings using any of the seven AM process categories including directed energy deposition, material jetting, and sheet lamination

Hybrid Manufacturing

- Systems:
 - Foundry Multi^{3D} System with material extrusion, machining, wire embedding, direct write, and robotic component placement
 - All-In-One Multi^{3D} System with material extrusion, machining, wire embedding, foil embedding, and robotic component
 - Compact Multi Tool Fabricator with material extrusion, machining, and wire embedding capabilities
 - Multi-functional BAAM System, a large area AM machine with multi-purpose wire embedding
- Materials:
 - Thermoplastics
 - Metal wires/foils
 - Conductive inks
 - Custom thermoplastics



LOW VOLUME PRODUCTION

- CNC machining
- Injection molding

MECHANICAL TESTING

- Tensile
- Compression
- Flexural
- Torsional
- Fatigue
- Dynamic mechanical analysis
- Thermomechanical analysis
- Digital image correlation (DIC)

CHARACTERIZATION

- Optical microscopy
- Metrology
- Metallography
- Differential scanning calorimetry
- Thermogravimetric analysis
- Particle size and shape analysis
- Oxygen, nitrogen, hydrogen (ONH) content analysis
- Rheometry

DESIGN & REVERSE ENGINEERING

- Modeling
- Design optimization
- Laser 3D scanning

POST-PROCESSING

- Machining
- Painting
- Sealing

EXPERT SOLUTIONS

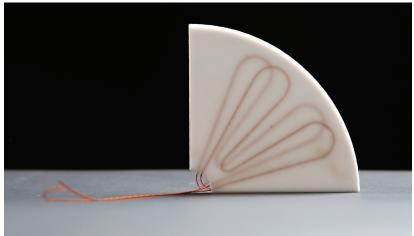
The Keck Center's team of experts has developed expert solutions to combat some common additive manufacturing issues:

- Powder removal services for powder bed fusion-fabricated parts with complex geometries or internal cavities
- Process parameter development for research materials or materials with non-commercially available parameters
- Vat photopolymerization-printed parts without support structures; ideal for parts with complex geometries or for which smooth or glossy surfaces are required









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