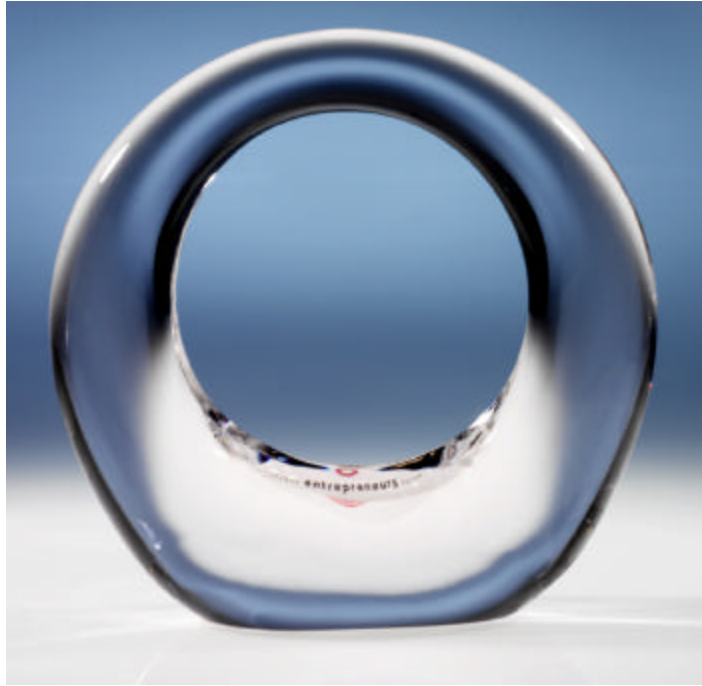


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ImTech Receives 2006 Entrepreneurship Award

CORVALLIS, Ore., September 25, 2006 -- ImTech has received the 2006 Entrepreneurship Award from the Oregon Entrepreneurs Forum as the top Developmental Stage Company of the Year.

The Oregon Entrepreneurs Forum (OEF) is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to improving the climate for emerging, growth-oriented companies across Oregon and the Pacific Northwest.

According to the OEF, its Entrepreneurship Awards honor the skill, dedication and courage necessary for entrepreneurs to create a viable, growing business out of an idea, and are intended to highlight entrepreneurs' importance to Oregon's economy. The awards recognize the best and brightest entrepreneurs in several categories. ImTech's category - Development Stage Companies - includes those that have typically raised at least \$500,000 and generated up to \$1 million in revenue.

ImTech was selected by a panel of volunteer judges based on its innovation, leadership, financial performance and success, and future plans. Judges visited each company and conducted personal interviews with company executives.

"ImTech received this prestigious award based on the success they have had so far as a fast-rising entrepreneurial company, and also in recognition of their potential for significant future growth," said Linda Weston, president and executive director of OEF.

ImTech was founded in 1998 by Bill Buskirk and Charlie Gilson, two former Hewlett-Packard company engineers who each hold multiple patents for their innovative developments. The company provides specialty inks, printing systems and related consulting and engineering services. Its diverse customer base includes manufacturers who seek ImTech's expertise for their most difficult printing applications – such as printing on non-porous surfaces like plastic and Mylar.

The company has grown to employ over 20 technical specialists and support staff who collectively have more than 200 years of inkjet and imaging experience and over 90 patents. With a growing installed base, the company has been profitable for the past four months and expects to increase revenue 10-fold over the next three to four years.

ImTech President and CEO Bill Buskirk accepted the OEF award Thursday, Sept. 21 at OEF's annual ceremony in Portland.

"ImTech's mission is to apply our expertise in inkjet technology to enable development of innovative products and technologies that delight our customers," he told the audience. "To that end, over the last two years we have been rebuilding our company and investing a great deal of effort into developing new products."

In addition to receiving the OEF award, ImTech has been named twice as one of Oregon Business Journal's fastest growing private companies.

About ImTech

ImTech is a Corvallis-based company that provides specialty inks and related consulting and engineering services for inkjet printing applications. As an OEM (original equipment manufacturing) inkjet partner with Hewlett Packard's Specialty Printing Systems Division, ImTech is licensed to fill new, original HP 45 cartridges with its own inks. In April the company introduced the first commercially available UV inks for HP cartridges.