

Innovation@Airports

Examples of Current Airport Innovation Programs

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"San Diego International Airport is committed to excellent customer service and innovation. We started the Airport Innovation Lab to develop solutions at the intersection of these two imperatives. It is very exciting to contemplate new ideas to address existing challenges, as well as the potential for developing radical new concepts." Kimberly J. Becker, Airport Authority President/CEO



Why did we create the Innovation Lab?



Drive airport innovation & enhance the passenger experience



Position SAN as a leader in aviation innovation



Foster entrepreneurship in the region



Drive revenue/decrease cost



Innovation Lab Process





What do the Innovators do during the 16 week program?



Acknowledging Our Successes





















Reimagining Government Procurement



Innovation Lab Agreements



Lessons learned













PR & Hype

How 2 U.S. Airports Are Unshackling Bureaucracy to Give New Businesses a Try - Skift

Airport app that brings goodies to your gate will be tested at San Diego International – Los Angeles Times

San Diego International Airport Receives Innovation Award – Time of San Diego Airport Launches Retail Delivery Service to Gate – San Diego Business Journal Airport Innovation Lab
Welcomes First Cohort – San
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News of the Week

Lab Gives Startups Direct Route to Airport – San Diego Business Journal

> Can Airport Parking, Logistics Improve? Innovation Lab Plans 16 Weeks of Tests – Times of San Diego

