

## **Waste-Management Education & Research Consortium (WERC)**

WERC was established through U. S. Department of Energy sponsorship to expand the nation's capability to address waste management issues through education, technology development, and technology transfer. WERC members include New Mexico State University, the University of New Mexico, the New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology, and Dine College (formerly Navajo Community College). WERC also collaborates with the Sandia National Laboratories and the Los Alamos Laboratory. WERC is committed to the education of future and working professionals who address waste management issues. Its mission is to provide new resource for the U. S. and the world to meet the environmental challenges we face now and will face in the future. It provides an integrated approach to education, technology development, and technology transfer.

WERC has a cooperative technology demonstration and commercialization relationship with FOREMOST Solutions, Inc. (FSI). Under this agreement WERC participates in the commercialization of the FSI technology by assisting FSI in completing the demonstration of the technology at one site, providing engineering and design assistance of equipment, manufacturing field demonstration unit(s) as needed, and providing other assistance as allowed under WERC's cooperative agreement.

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