

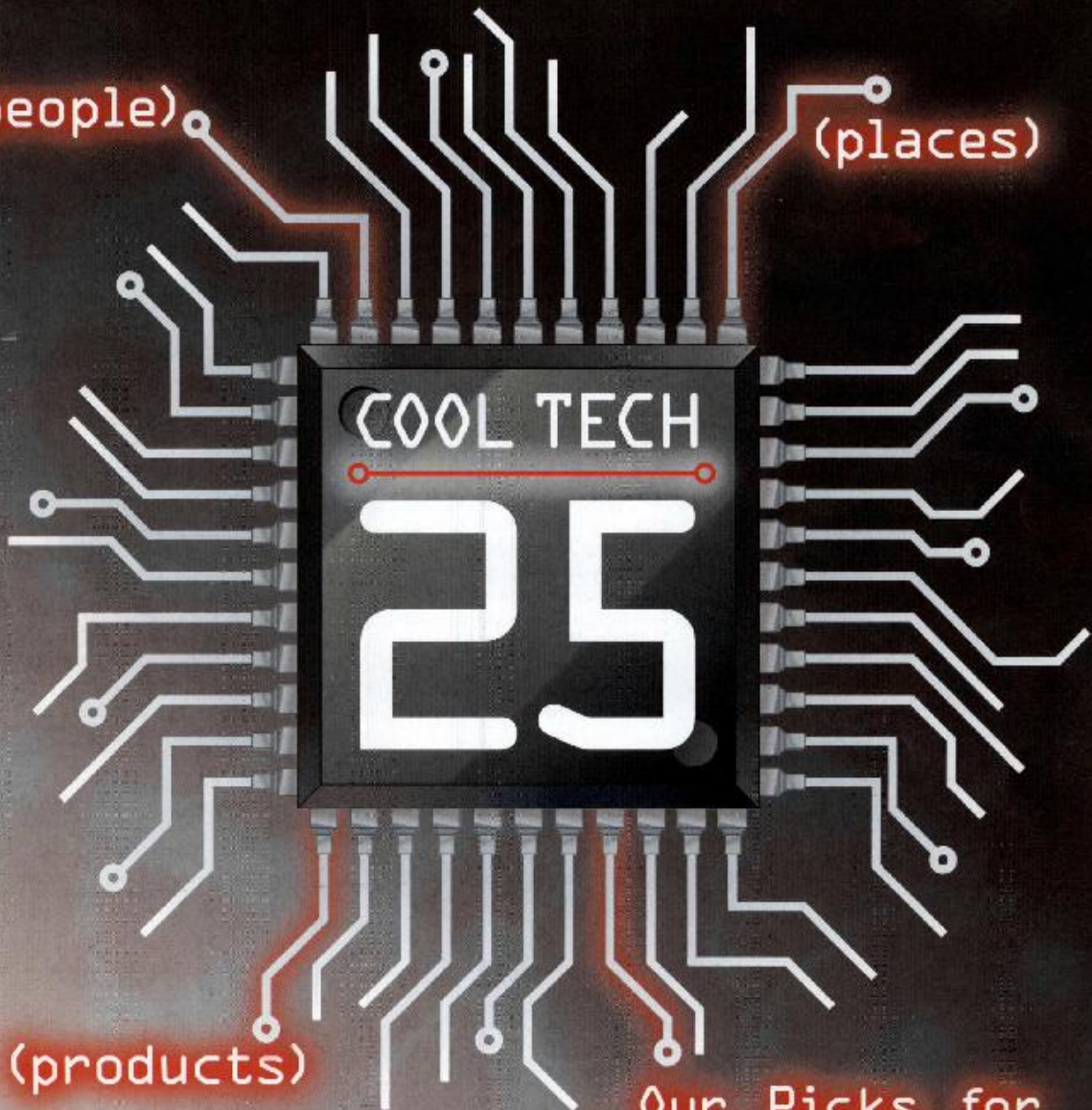
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THE COMPOSITION OF EMERGING TECHNOLOGY IN NORTHEAST OHIO

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Our Picks for
the Best of the
Local Tech Scene

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TOP 25 PRODUCTS

Check out locally created products that can change your life.

Accessmount Removable Fixture Mounting System

(MAGNET)

This product makes maintaining overhead light fixtures a breeze.

BitBacker (BitBacker)

This is an inexpensive, hardware-free Internet system for Macs that lets you keep your personal data safe with remote storage.

Dakota Profiler (Dakota Software)

Dakota Profiler software allows facility managers to stay on top of all the current compliance requirements at any site.

Dotfuscator (PreEmptive Solutions)

Companies rely on dotfuscator to ensure the safety and efficiency of .NET applications.

Financial GRC (Axentis)

This software helps companies ensure they meet financial compliance guidelines.

FireGround Compass (MAGNET)

Firefighters can use this device to safely navigate their way out of a burning building.

Flexible Crystals (Kent State University)

A roll-to-roll production line that enables the manufacturing of flexible displays will increase the speed and quantity of liquid crystal display technology production.

Interplace (R&B Spine)

The easy and safe-to-implant artificial spine is getting favorable views from surgeons around the country.

Mini Medical Equipment (Valtronic)

Electronic miniaturization technology is being utilized to create the world's

smallest hearing aid, an artificial apical disc and retinal implants that may help the blind to see again.

LifeEventDiary (Beachwood Business Development Center)

This electronic diary helps you track and manage your diabetes, plus it shows the relationship between glucose levels and daily activities.

Mobile Control (SageQuest)

Fleet communication and operations can be improved by Mobile Control's vehicle-based GPS tracking.

Niris Imaging System (Imalux Corp.)

The high-tech product is used in the medical field to display images of a patient's superficial tissue microstructure.

New Milk Jug (Creative Edge/ Superior Dairy)

A change to the simplistic design of the gallon milk jug means the containers are cheaper to ship, better for the environment, and keep the milk fresher when it arrives in stores.

nPowerPeg (Tremont Electric)

This innovative and new technology helps you reduce your carbon footprint while you walk.

Ohio.net (Doylestown Telephone Co.)

The voice over Internet protocol (VoIP) system helps clients extend their business reach.

OnStage (Chimura Economics)

The online workspace allows users to share documents, track changes and preserve and organize important correspondences.

Personal Snow Plow (MAGNET)

This snow plow attaches to your car and folds up for easy storage.

Private Data File (BuildSmart Technologies)

This Web-based, secure software protects sensitive information.

Sure to Grow (Beachwood Business Development Center)

This fiber-mesh, plant-growth medium is used by commercial and consumer growers to start seeds and root cuttings.

Swiss+Tech BodyGard 7-in-1 Platinum Edition (MAGNET)

This do-it-all gadget gives you seven tools in one.

Valtronic Advanced Photobiotherapy Device (MAGNET)

This product gives nursing homes a more affordable alternative to help treat bed sores.

Visinno (Visinno)

When companies don't have the time to solve their marketing or business problems, they rely on Visinno for help.

vPloyees (LogicJunction)

Digital characters help Web sites better sell products, share information and answer user questions.

Workflow EHR (workflow.com)

Workflow Electronic Health Records provides an easy transition from paper to electronic health records.

Zolio.com (Zolio)

Zolio provides job seekers with a new and interactive way to sell themselves to employers and gain valuable career advice.

TOP 25 PEOPLE

Find out who is leading Northeast Ohio's tech scene.

Phil Alexander
(BrandMuscle)

Alexander's BrandMuscle, a marketing services company, has helped national and local advertisers build a name for themselves.

Barb Cagley
(SCK)

Since 1996, Cagley and the team at SCK have combined creative designs with the latest technology to deliver innovative marketing solutions.

Leslie Carruthers
(The Search Guru)

Carruthers launched the search engine optimization firm The Search Guru in 2004 to boost clients' presence on the Web.

Ellie Chalko
(Cynergies Solutions Group)

Chalko is co-founder of Cynergies Solutions Group, which helps clients fulfill their technology staffing needs.

Greg Clement
(Realeflow)

Work less, play more: Clement's Realeflow provides real estate investors with solutions that slash time spent in the office.

Shannon Davis
(BeyondMotherhood.com)

Davis launched BeyondMotherhood.com to help mothers re-enter the workforce and connect with employers.

Brian Deagan
(Knotice)

As co-founder of Knotice, Deagan uses multiple online platforms to provide clients with targeted marketing solutions.

J.J. DiGeronimo
(VMWare)

DiGeronimo is a manager for VMWare, assisting the 30 largest companies in Northern Ohio in virtualization — running operating systems and applications on the same computer.

Stan Garber
(O-Web Technologies)

Garber co-founded O-Web Technologies, a Web development firm that helps small businesses prosper.

Lev Gonick
(Case Western Reserve University)

Gonick serves as vice president of information technology services and CIO at Case Western Reserve University and is board president of OneCleveland, an initiative helping Cleveland's nonprofits gain high-speed network connectivity.

King Hill
(DigiKnow)

DigiKnow, which Hill helped launch in 1996, is a digital marketing agency that develops campaigns, systems and tools to spread clients' messages.

A.J. Hyland
(Hyland Software)

As president and CEO of Hyland Software, Hyland helps clients go paperless.

Packy Hyland
(Workflow.com)

Hyland's Workflow.com provides clients with solutions for electronic health records, practice management, electronic prescribing, document imaging, messaging and work flow.

Carolyn Jack
(Geniocity.com)

Jack and the team at Geniocity.com spread the word about new ideas, discoveries, artists and innovators to get your creative juices flowing.

Mary Kaufman
(Hewlett-Packard Inventor Center)

Kaufman administers the Magic Johnson/Hewlett-Packard Inventor Center, which provides a free public computer lab and after-school programs for area children.

George Nemeth
(Optiem)

Optiem employs a mix of business strategists, technologists and designers to help with clients' marketing needs.

Tim Reynolds
(Tribute)

Reynolds serves as CEO of Tribute, a company offering software to small and large distributors to improve their bottom lines.

Mike Rojas
(Ayalogic)

Ayalogic, founded by Rojas in 2002, offers communications software that boasts efficiency.

Adam Roth
(StreamLink Software)

Roth developed StreamLink Software to provide nonprofit executives with management solutions.

Scott Rourke
(OneCommunity)

Rourke serves as president of OneCommunity, a nonprofit organization that connects public and nonprofit institutions to their fiber-optic network.

Jason Therrien
(Thunder::Tech)

Therrien heads Thunder::Tech, a Web design shop, ad agency, PR firm and design and branding studio all rolled into one.

Michelle Tomallo and Micki Tubbs
(FIT Technologies)

Tomallo and Tubbs co-founded FIT Technologies, a company providing clients with customized IT solutions.

Mark Williams
(Virtual Hold Technology)

Williams founded Virtual Hold Technology to provide virtual queuing solutions to improve call centers' operations.

Dan Young
(DXY Solutions)

Young started DXY Solutions to help companies manage their field teams using mobile technology.