



## **3DP Unlimited and N.I.U. EIGER/lab Join Forces to Advance Additive Manufacturing Education**

ROCKFORD, IL. (June 25, 2015) – 3DP Unlimited™ is pleased to announce an agreement to join forces with Northern Illinois University EIGER/lab, an innovation network, incubator, and business accelerator facility designed to help individuals and businesses develop new skills, mentor, and link qualified resources to the global marketplace.

Specifically, the Center for Product Development within N.I.U. EIGER/lab, which has extensive experience in a range of additive manufacturing technologies, will work together with 3DP Unlimited to develop educational modules and curriculum designed to prepare both students entering the workplace, and those looking to advance their skills in 3D printing. The 3DP1000 fused filament 3D printer from 3DP Unlimited, provides a one of a kind platform for developing these competencies. Its unique capability to combine printing large objects to scale, inserting metal or other objects to be encased in a print, and ability to handle core models allowing multiple print parameters within a single object, make it an ideal printer for developing both basic and advanced proficiencies.

Based in Roscoe, Illinois, 3DP Unlimited is the manufacturer of the industrial strength large format 3D printer, the 3DP1000. With a big build area of 1m x 1m x 0.5 m, and base platforms starting under \$20,000, the 3DP1000 significantly lowers the cost barrier for entering into large format 3D printing. Designed by engineers and built for engineers, the 3DP1000 is the ideal solution for a wide range of applications in industrial design, rapid prototyping, product development, automotive design, architecture, stage sets, artistic development, and much, much more.

For more information about 3DP Unlimited, please visit [www.3DPUnlimited.com](http://www.3DPUnlimited.com)

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