

Announcement of 7th Annual *Invented Here!* Program

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Announcement to all BPLA Members:

The BPLA *Invented Here!* Planning and Selection Committees are pleased to announce the 7th annual *Invented Here!* program that honors New England's newest and most innovative technologies. Since its inception in 2010, the *Invented Here!* Program has recognized 68 inventions and over 230 inventors for their contributions to the progress of science and the useful arts based on their ingenuity and inventiveness.

The nomination window is open until June 30, 2017, and we want you to honor your inventors through our simplified [electronic nomination form](#). Connect with your clients and inventors in a whole new way!

Criteria for Nominations

The invention must:

1. Be claimed in a patent issued within the last five years, OR be claimed in an issued patent tied to a product that received U.S. regulatory approval within the last three years;
2. Have been developed in New England or by an inventor who resides in New England; and
3. Represent a technology that can be described or demonstrated to the general public.

Visit our [2017 *Invented Here!* page](#) for more information.

Contact the BPLA *Invented Here!* Planning Committee at inventedhere@bpla.org if your organization is interested in **sponsoring** the 2017 *Invented Here!* event or you would like to be a **liaison** for your organization. The time commitment for liaisons is minimal.

If you would like to participate in the selection process as part of the Selection Committee, please contact us at inventedhere@bpla.org.

We look forward to receiving your 2017 nominations!

Your 2017 *Invented Here!* Planning Committee Members:

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