WHERE IN THE WORLD WILL THE NEXT BIG IDEA COME FROM?

The United States has long been the acknowledged world leader in innovation, a strength that is the foundation of America’s national security and future job growth. But today, other countries are building world class research and educational institutions and are graduating increasingly qualified science and engineering students at a faster pace than ever before.

Make no mistake: The search for scientific breakthroughs and new technologies will go forward whether we lead or follow. To remain at the forefront, America must increase investments in basic research, improve math and science education, provide incentives for research and development and attract and retain the brightest minds from all around the globe.

We call on our leaders to help keep America the driving force in innovation.