

Office of Technology Transfer

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The OTT's mission is to help make innovations and discoveries, like new medical devices, diagnostics and therapeutic compounds, available for society's use and benefit by finding commercial partners or creating new companies willing to develop them into products.

At the OTT, we

Protect innovations by filing strong patent applications with the help of faculty, staff and patent counsel, and by getting the Patent Office to allow them.

Commercialize innovations by finding industry partners willing to develop them into products or helping innovators start their own companies to do so.

Facilitate research by helping negotiate corporate research contracts, handling MTAs (Material Transfer Agreements), and finding and reaching out to potential industry and academic collaborators.

Contact the OTT if you...

- Have a discovery or idea you think would benefit from becoming a commercially viable product
- Want assistance dealing with a potential corporate sponsor
- Want to start your own company
- Have any questions about patents or any other intellectual property

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