



Free Clinic on JOINT DEVELOPMENT & MOU AGREEMENTS

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ORGANIZED BY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TechEx.in, a Tech transfer hub at Venture Center
SUPPORTED BY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Venture Center National Biopharma Mission BIRAC
FOR WHOM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This clinic is meant for any organization (academic/ R&D/ industry/ startup) that wants to collaborate with one or more other organizations in a joint technology development activities Organizations/startups planning MoUs relating to R&D and tech-development can also participate <p>(Typical collaborations may involve joint technology development, collaborations at different stages of technology translation, collaborative R&Ds etc.)</p>
WHEN	<p>(Monday) 28 June 2021 10-1 pm (3 slots-50 min/slot)</p> <p>(Tuesday) 29 June 2021 10-1 pm (3 slots-50 min/slot)</p>
WHERE	All sessions will be held on an online platform
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REGISTRATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Step 1: Interested participants need to fill in registration form at the following link. Register online at: https://tinyurl.com/techex-june-clinic Step 2: Email invite with link for clinic will be sent post screening of registration details. <p>Note:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Free event but prior registration is required Organizers reserve the right to select participants so as to maximize learning Limited slots available for one-on-one mentoring Attendance only on confirmation of registration Sessions will be conducted using online platform.



About the Clinic

Innovation is the fuel for ameliorating the socio-economic competitiveness of developing nations like India. Indian innovation ecosystem relies heavily upon the academic sector and R & D institutes. There is a critical need to create a strong Industry-Academia (I-A) R&D ecosystem in the country. The successful translation of research from academia to industry requires industry participation in the research, right from the beginning of the project till the development of product/technology.

Also, collaboration is a key strategy for growth of many Tech-based companies, where research and development is critical for maintaining a competitive advantage, but can be incredibly expensive to undertake. By working together on R&D, companies can both contain costs and bring together the best ideas and information from both parties.

A collaboration to conduct R&D can take on many different names and structures. Most commonly, they are called joint development agreements, but they also may be called development agreements, MOUs, research and development agreements, and license agreements. Each of these agreements share the core principles of collaboration but serve different purposes. Joint development agreements need to be carefully structured before any work begins. The structure of such an agreement can take on any one of the numerous forms, depending on the parties involved, but all such agreements should answer the same basic questions and should provide the necessary protection for the participants' interests.

The clinic will be a one-on-one mentoring session, where TechEx team will assess requirement of the company/Institute, and give an advice on best possible Heads of Agreement, based on the current product development stage and product development plan. Summary sheet of deal structure and heads of agreement (HoA) will be provided to all mentees post mentoring session.

Program Schedule


	Time	Duration	Session title	Mentor
Day 1 28th June 2021	1000-1050	50 min	Slot 1	TechEx Team
	1100-1150	50 min	Slot 2	TechEx Team
	1200-1250	50 min	Slot 3	TechEx Team
Day 2 29th June 2021	1000-1050	50 min	Slot 4	TechEx Team
	1100-1150	50 min	Slot 5	TechEx Team
	1200-1250	50 min	Slot 6	TechEx Team

			
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Speakers (JDA Clinic Mentors)

	<p>Dr. Premnath V Director, Venture Center Head, NCL Innovations Head, IP Group, NCL</p> <p>Premnath V is currently the Head, National Chemical Laboratory (NCL) Innovations - the group within NCL charged with the responsibility of championing the cause of technology innovation within NCL. Dr Premnath is also the Founding Director of the Venture Center - a technology business incubator on NCL campus.</p> <p>Dr Premnath is also a Scientist, Polymer Science & Engineering Division at NCL with an interest in technology development for biomedical products. He holds a B.Tech. from the Indian Institute of Technology - Bombay and a Ph.D. from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA. He has also been a Chevening Technology Enterprise Fellow with the Centre for Scientific Enterprises, London Business School and Cambridge University, UK.</p> <p>He brings with him considerable experience in technology development and commercialization (two successfully commercialized families of products), working with start-up companies (in Cambridge-UK and India) and engaging with large corporations on research and consulting projects as project leader. More information at: www.premnath.org</p>
	<p>Archana Joshi</p> <p>Archana Joshi is Lead-Intellectual Property Facilitation Center (IPFACE), Pune. She is a registered patent agent at Indian Patent office with Master's degree in Chemistry from University of Pune and has completed her P.G. Diploma in Patents Law from NALSAR University (Hyderabad).</p> <p>She has also Completed a training on Technology Transfer and Commercialization with 57 RTTP (Registered Technology Transfer Professional) CE credits</p> <p>At IPFACE, her responsibilities include: Patent drafting, filing & prosecution, conducting IP Training programs and workshops, Trademark filing & prosecution, Industrial design filing & prosecution, agreements drafting etc.</p> <p>Prior to joining Venture Center, she worked as a Project Assistance-III at CSIR- URDIP.</p>

			
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	<p>TECHEX.IN is a Technology Transfer Hub operated by Venture Center, Pune, India and supported by the National Biopharma Mission, BIRAC (Govt of India). TECHEX.IN aims to help technology developers and technology commercialization entities find each other's, forge partnerships and advance the technology closer to the market in a win-win partnership. In this mission, TECHEX.IN will build upon learnings, methods and experiences of NCL Innovations (department of CSIR-NCL championing innovations), IPFACE (IP Facilitation Center) and Venture Center (technology business incubator).</p> <p>The TECHEX.IN is based in the western part of India. While its focus is on organizations in Maharashtra, Gujarat and Goa states of India, it welcomes technology developers and technology commercialization entities from any part of the world.</p> <p>For more information please visit: techex.in</p>

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	<p>National Biopharma Mission (NBM) is a Mission of the Government of India approved by the Cabinet for implementation in May 2017. The NBM's mission is to make India a hub for design and development of novel, affordable and effective biopharmaceutical products and solutions. The NBM has an allocation of US\$ 250 million and is jointly funded by the Government of India and the World Bank in equal measure. The NBM is officially known as "An Industry-Academia Collaborative Mission of Department of Biotechnology (DBT) for Accelerating Early Development for Biopharmaceuticals". Biotechnology Research Assistance Council (BIRAC) is the implementation partner of the Government of India for the Mission. For more information, visit: https://birac.nic.in/nbm/</p>
	<p>Biotechnology Industry Research & Assistance Council (BIRAC) is a new industry-academia interface and implements its mandate through a wide range of impact initiatives, be it providing access to risk capital through targeted funding, technology transfer, IP management and handholding schemes that help bring innovation excellence to the biotech firms and make them globally competitive. For more information, visit: www.birac.nic.in</p>
	<p>Entrepreneurship Development Center (Venture Center) – a CSIR initiative – is a Section 25 company hosted by the National Chemical Laboratory, Pune. Venture Center strives to nucleate and nurture technology and knowledge-based enterprises by leveraging the scientific and engineering competencies of the institutions in the Pune region in India. The Venture Center is a technology business incubator supported by the Department of Science & Technology's National Science & Technology Entrepreneurship Development Board (DST-NSTEDB). Venture Center's focuses on technology enterprises offering products and services exploiting scientific expertise in the areas of materials, chemicals and biological sciences & engineering. For more information, visit: http://www.venturecenter.co.in/</p>