

Technology Transfert Office Université Libre de Bruxelles

« *Connecting Research and Business* »

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Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB) at a glance

- Founded in 1834
- Independent University: recognized by the government and publicly funded
- Comprehensive University: covering all disciplines and all study cycles
 - 5 Campuses located in Brussels and the Wallon Region
 - 15 Faculties, Schools and Specialized Institutes
 - 1 Academic Hospital, 1 Cancer Institute and a Network of University Hospital Centres (Brussels, Charleroi)
 - Staff 6 389 FTEs, 26 000 students (32% from abroad)
 - Annual budget : 634 m€
 - Excellence of research : 5 Nobel prices, 1 Fields Medal, 17 ERC, 9 HFSP



The Technology Transfert Office (TTO) :

our missions

	FOSTER COLLABORATIONS WITH COMPANIES AND ACCOMPANY RESEARCHERS IN PROJECTS SETUP	IP MANAGEMENT AND PATENT PORTFOLIO	TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER: LICENSING, SPIN-OFF
2016	45 M€ allocated to applied research managed by the TTO: around 30% of the research budget	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 112 active technologies• 9 new patent applications filed• Mostly in biotech/health fields	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 46 active licences• 8 new licences signed• 37 active spin-offs (48 created since 1992)• 3 spin-offs created in 2016

The TTO an added values for companies

Meet

- Multiple Company/Research events (LIEU Network) such as Lab'Insight: two open house of laboratories with a presentation of their services offers to companies

Inform

- Skills sheets and list of laboratories' equipment
- Technology opportunities catalogue
- Legal support and counsel regarding consortium agreements and cooperation agreement/contract

Collaborate

- Easier access to scientific skills and equipment available to companies
- Services contracts of the laboratories (analyses, tests, consultancy, studies, etc.)
- Collaborative research involving several partners
- Support in licence grant for a commercial exploitation

The TTO team: 22 collaborators with complementary skills



Management

12 scientific advisors
(Ph.D. or Eng.)

- Life Sciences
- ICT
- Chemistry, Materials, Engineering
- Social Sciences & Humanities
- Environment, Energy
- Sustainable Construction, Smart Cities
- European projects



Legal advisors



Business developers



Communication advisors



Administrative assistants



Thank you for your attention

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