Boosting Innovation at the University of Bern

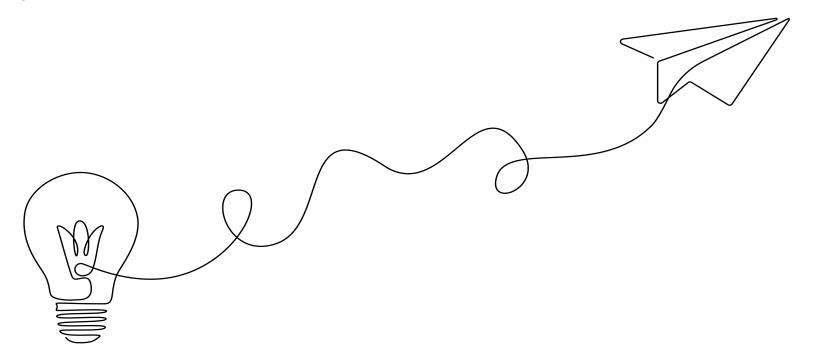
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Presentation of the Innovation Office

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Sebastien Hug, Head of the Innovation Offie

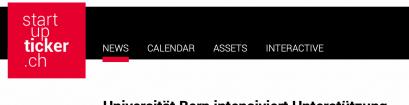
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Innovation Office of the University of Bern

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Universität Bern intensiviert Unterstützung für Spinoffs

23.11.2021

- > SUPPORT



Seit September 2021 hat die Uni Bern ein Innovation Office.

- Decision taken in Jan 2021
- Launched in Sept. 2021
- 2022: 3 FTE (4 employees)









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Defining innovation

- Novelty
- Innovation solves a problem or addresses a (societal) need
- There is a **demand** in the market and in society
- Economically sustainable (Business modell)





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Innovation – more than just an idea...





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What we do



Community building & awareness raising



Individual support & advice



Connecting & building bridges with the ecosystem



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How we can help you



Community

Network, Advice

• Small funding

Visibility





- Activities

 Sparring Partner (Advice & Coaching)
 - Network of Experts
 - Workshops about Business Models, Creative Methodologies





Funding

- Advice and Support
- Innosuisse
- Bridge
- EU
- UniBE Venture Fellowship
- •Sitem Support Fund
- Investors





Execution

- Guiding through the ecosystem
- Ressources on support instruments
- Visibility



Last but not least, we'll celebrate with you!





Innovation Funding Schemes UniBe Venture Fellowship

WHY

WHO



Application-focused research, proof of concept, potential for commercialization.

MA and PhD (from 6 month before defense up to 12 months after).

Postdoctoral and Assistant Physicians

WHAT CHF 100'000.- per Fellowship

WHEN 1/year

WHERE www.unibe.ch/innovation

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Save the Date



BRIDGE

• POC: 13. June, 5 Sept

Women who startup

Kickoff 21 September 2022

Venture Fellowship

- Call for Proposals November 2022
- Business Concept Course (Innosuisse Mod. 2)
 - Kick off on 8 October 2022

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How to stay connected

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