



COMPETENCE CENTRE ON TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

Activities in the area of INNOVATION ECOSYSTEM

Provide expertise and policy support in the technical, managerial, industrial and financial aspects of innovation ecosystems

Support programmes and projects for the design and management of innovation ecosystems

Collect and share tools and results generated by EU programmes and projects

Innovation ecosystem design refers to the development of optimal policy for innovative regions, science and technology parks, and incubators and accelerators for enhanced technology transfer in the service of regional economic development. Research infrastructures and testbeds are essential parts of such ecosystems, and the main challenge is to increase their accessibility particularly for researchers and SMEs.

Our activities in the design and operation of innovation ecosystems are aimed at supporting the development of innovation ecosystems, increasing the efficiency of public R&D spending and ultimately, at benefitting respective regional economies.

Our expertise covers technical, managerial, industrial and financial aspects of the design and management of innovation ecosystems. We identify and share best practices, and foster networks in this area. In particular, supporting the development and management of Science and Technology Parks is of paramount importance to facilitate the development of successful innovation ecosystems.

The provision of policy and operational assistance in relation to specific processes, procedures, legal and contractual arrangements takes place at the level of individual clusters, science parks and hubs.

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