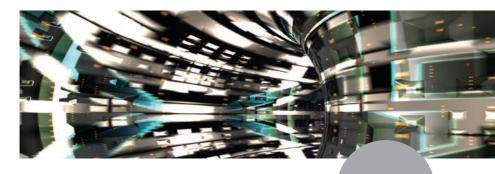


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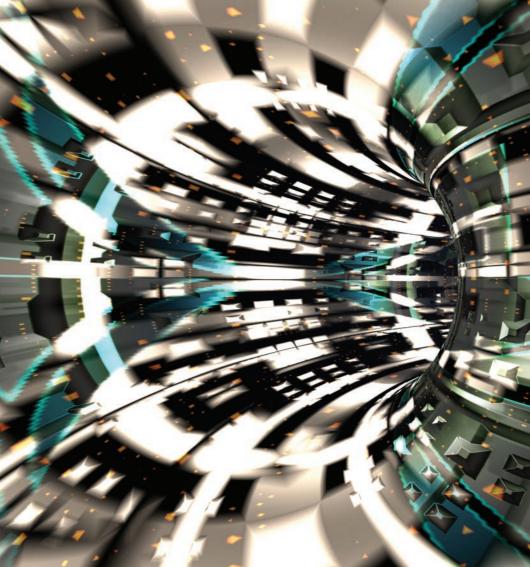


FOSTERING ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND INNOVATION ECOSYSTEM









It is our honour to invite you to join the Conference "Fostering Entrepreneurship and Innovations Ecosystem" which will be held in Kaunas on November 29-30, 2012 at the historical Aula of Kaunas University of Technology (A. Mickevičiaus St. 37). The Conference is organised in the partnership with Lithuanian University of Health Science, Lithuanian Energy Institute as well as Aalto University with the special contribution from the Cambridge University Centre for Entrepreneurial Learning.

The aim of the Conference is to set a scene for higher education institutions as well as all other interested parts to discuss over how we could foster Entrepreneurship and Innovation Ecosystem and reinforce higher education, business as well as other actors of the ecosystem productive cooperation.

The Keynote speakers will help to portrait state of art of the development of the Entrepreneurship and Innovation Ecosystem from the international perspective and all participants will be invited to contribute to discussing over five major issues: The role of the State in fostering entrepreneurship and innovation ecosystem; Insights into high technology export — how to enter foreign markets; Challenges for Intellectual property management; How to scale up technology transfer and How to boost high-tech start-ups. Case study of the Innovation and Entrepreneurship Centre will provide insights into the first steps to inoculate entrepreneurship spirit within the higher education institutions.



29 November 2012 (Thursday)

16⁰⁰-17³⁰ Opening of the Mobile Apps Laboratory of Kaunas Technology University, Omnitel, App Camp and Samsung Electronics Baltics Sia

1900

Welcome Dinner

PLACE: Innovation And Entrepreneurship Centre, Studentu 67. 3Rd Floor

PLACE: Park Inn by Radisson Kaunas Hotel, K. Donelaičio St. 27



30 November 2012 (Friday)

PLACE: Aula of Kaunas University of Technology A. Mickevičiaus St. 37

900-930

Registration

930-1000

Welcome Word

Petras Baršauskas Rector of Kaunas University of Technology:

Gintaras Steponavičius Minister of Education and Science of Republic of Lithuania;

Rimantas Žylius Minister of Economy of Republic of Lithuania;

Remigijus Žaliūnas Rector of Lithuanian University of Health Sciences:

Eugenijus Ušpuras Director of Lithuanian Energy Institute.

10⁰⁰-10²⁰ The role of entrepreneurship education in shifting the culture of a traditional university: General Lessons from Cambridge. **Shailendra Vyakarnam**, Director of Cambridge Centre for Entrepreneurial Learning

10²⁰-10⁴⁰ Designing an Entrepreneurial
University: Case of Aalto University. Will Cardwell,
Head of Aalto University Center of Entrepreneurship

10⁴⁰-11⁰⁰ Coffee Break

11⁰⁰-11³⁵ Entrepreneurship and Innovation ecosystem in Lithuania and the role of the Innovation and Entrepreneurship centre.

Asta Pundzienė. KTU Vice Rector for Research

Managing intellectual property: insights and challenges. **Violeta Kaunelienė**, KTU, Head of Innovation Office

"One window" into the higher education institution. **Kęstutis Morkūnas**, KTU, Head of the Technology Transfer Unit

Starting high-tech companies: actions and risk management. **Justinas Katkus**, KTU, Head of StartupSpace

30 November 2012 (Friday)

PLACE: Aula of Kaunas University of Technology, A. Mickevičiaus St. 37

11³⁵-11⁵⁰ Creating innovations in the field of Electronics and mechatronics. **Vytautas Deksnys**, KTU, Professor of the Department of Electrical and Measurement Systems

11⁵⁰-12⁰⁵ International collaboration of Pharmacy, Medicine and Business at Lithuanian University of Health Sciences. Nijolė Savickienė, Lithuanian University of Health Sciences

12º5-12º0 Inovative energy storage technologies.

Dr. Darius Milčius, Head of Center for Hydrogen Energy
Technologies, Lithuanian Energy Institute

12²⁰-**12**⁴⁰ Enterprise Lithuania role in Entrepreneurship and Innovation of the Innovation in Lithuania. **Dovydas Varkulevičius**, Director of Entrepreneurship department at Enterprise Lithuania.

12⁴⁰-13³⁰ Lunch

13³⁰-**15**⁰⁰ "World cafe". How to develop entrepreneurship and innovation system in the country and beyond the borders.

Group 1. The role of the State in fostering entrepreneurship and innovation ecosystem. Moderator **Arūnas**

Karlonas, Director of Agency for Science, Innovation and Technology (MITA)

Group 2. Insights into high technology export — how to enter foreign markets. Moderator **Alex Sozonoff**,

Chairman, Aalto - Stanford Alliance Program;

Group 3. Challenges for Intellectual property management. Moderator **Paulius Galubickas** and moderator **Rokas Janauskas**, associates, SORAINEN;

Group 4. How to scale up technology transfer Moderator **Kęstutis Morkūnas**, KTU, Head of the Technology Transfer Unit:

Group 5. How to boost high-tech startups Moderator **Justinas Katkus**, KTU, Head of Start-up Space.

15⁰⁰-15²⁰ Coffee Break

15²⁰**-16**³⁰ Presenting conclusions of the round table discussions and visions of future cooperation.

Moderator **Arūnas Karlonas**, Director of Agency for Science, Innovation and Technology (MITA)

Alex Sozonoff, Chairman, Aalto - Stanford Alliance Program
Paulius Galubickas and Rokas Janauskas, associates, SORAINEN
Kestutis Morkūnas, Head of the Technology Transfer Unit
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