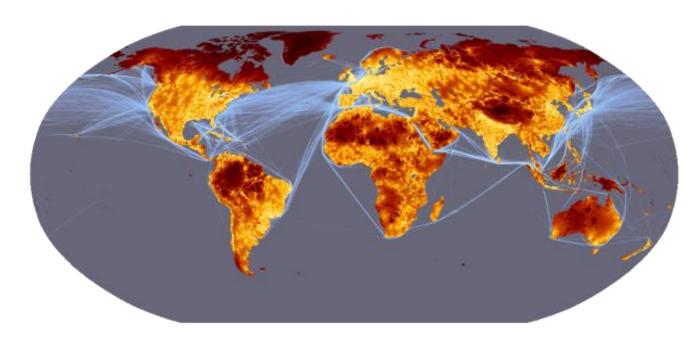


Latest Technology Investment Opportunities with Russian Universities



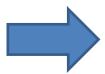
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"The notion of the lone researcher having a EUREKA! Inventive epiphany... is a historic relic." *



Russian academics well known for fundamental science, but few commercialize their own ideas

WHY?

How did the US system evolve?

1) The Bayh Dole Act, 1980 - IP Law



1994 - Translational Research



4) "Discovery research is complex, competitive, expensive, arduous and must be collaborative." * White Paper report conclusion prepared by David Allen for the US Admin, March, 2010*



2002 - POC

Today Russia is actively using best practices from these models to modernize its university system







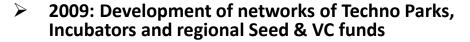












2010 - Launching of the "Skolkovo Foundation"

> 2011: National Association of Business Angels

2012 : 5/100 University Modernization Program

2015: NTI – "University 3.0 Program"

2019: National Projects – "Science Edu Centers"



















Applying International Best Practices in Technology Commercialization











- Investing in Public & Private sector R&D
- Modernizing university tech transfer & IP legislation
- Creating networks of commercialization support centers























♦Moscow:

- 1. MSU
- 2. HSE
- 3. Bauman
- 4. Phys-Tech
- 5. MISIS



19 High-Tech Techno Parks Across Russia



The Russian Association of High-Tech Techno-Parks



❖Novosibirsk:

- 1. Novosibirsk State University
- 2. AkademPark
- 3. Chemistry Institute
- 4. NaukoGrad







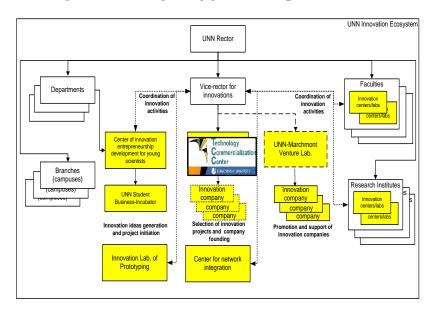






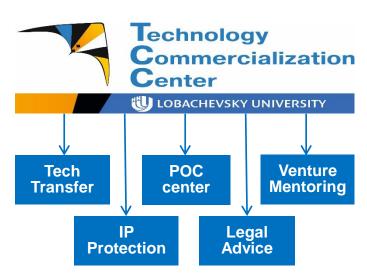
Prototype technology transfer system established at UNN Lobachevsky

Entrepreneurship Support Programs:



- Student Business Incubator
- Entrepreneurs Club
- On-line training programs
- Master Classes
- Business plan Pitch competitions

Business Support Programs:

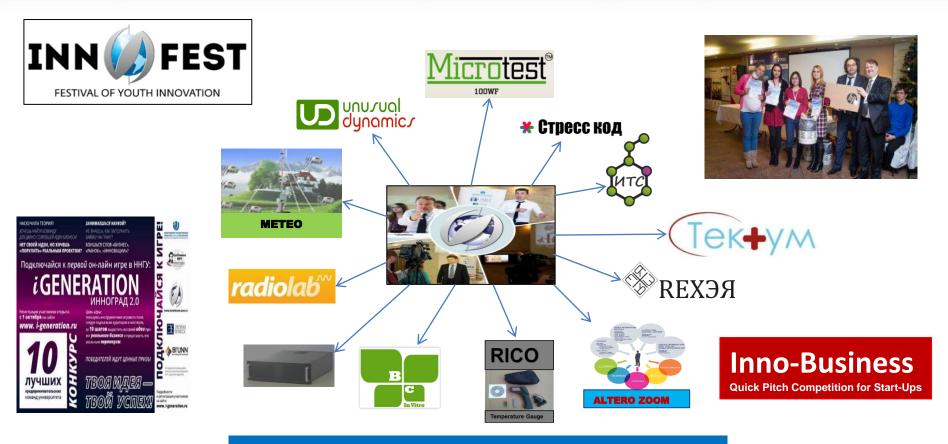








2014 - Numerous Programs Launched Promoting Innovation, Tech Transfer, Entrepreneurship and new Start-Up Acceleration



Results: 22 New Start-Ups Launched

General Partner:



Corporate Partners:









Co-organizers:









Industry Advisory Board

Corporate Partners supported UNN training & educational programs





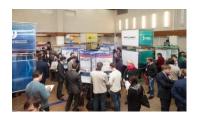


















IPOCA

International Proof of Concept Center Association

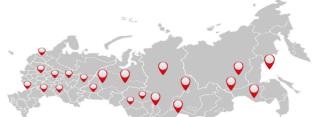
Founding Members:











Russian University Members

Key Goals & Objectives:

- Improving Results from State Funded R&D;
- Acceleration of technology commercialization;
- Development of trained tech transfer managers;
- Development of entrepreneurship potential;
- Improving links between business and academia;
- Developing innovative solutions for industrial use;

Key Problem - Lack of Funding!



2017 – MSU and Innopraktika Create the National Association of Technology Transfer (NATT)



Founders:





Int'l Partners:



NATT Supervisory Board Members:





Five new Prototype Tech Transfer & Proof of Concept (POC) Centers being developed regionally which will focus on realizing the global commercial potential of Russia's advanced technologies

Clean-Tech, Alt Energy, Gen, Storage & Distribution, Recycling, and Sustainability



- 1. Artificial Intelligence Applications:
- 2. Robotics & Production Line Automation;
- New Composite Materials for Electronics & Auto Components Segments;
- Advanced Engineering & Industrial Design Applications;

Al, Big Data, ML, Quantum Analytics, Neuro Nets, VR & AR, Brain Interface



- 1. Artificial Intelligence Applications;
- 2. Big Data, Machine Learning & Quantum Analytics;
- 3. Blockchain technologies & Fin Tech;
- 4. Advanced Engineering & Industrial Design

New Materials, Molecules, Composites, Advanced Chemistry, Space & Auto Apps



- 1. Artificial Intelligence Applications;
- 2. Big Data, Machine Learning & Quantum Analytics;
- 3. Organic Hydro-Carbon Chemistries, New Polymers & Catalysts;
- 4. New Composite Materials for Electronics & Auto Components Segments;

Life Sciences, Medical Devices, IT, IoT, Distance Learning



- 1. Artificial Intelligence Applications;
- Big Data, Machine Learning & Quantum Analytics;
- 3. IT, IoT and Connectivity Applications;
- 4. Bio-Medical Devices, New Sensors & Diagnostics;
- 5. Distance Learning, VR, AR & Education Tech;



We help our clients to solve their most pressing tech problems:

- Technology Scouting for innovation ideas, R&D teams, start-up investments and acquisitions;
- Customized Market Research on selected tech segments & IP/patent search investigations;
- Partner Searches for global enterprises seeking local R&D, production and distribution sites;
- Preparation of Corporate Newsletters highlighting tech investment opportunities in Russia
- Design & Implementation of corporate acceleration & CVC investment programs;





Marchmont has a proven track record in identifying unique investment opportunities and successfully developing university R&D ideas onto commercially viable products.





We cover the following technology priorities:

- 1. Al, Big Data, Machine Learning & Quantum Analytics Apps;
- 2. Production Line Automation, Robotics, Autonomous Vehicles;
- 3. Blockchain technologies in Production & Fin Tech Apps;
- 4. IT, IoT Distance Learning, VR, AR & Education Tech Apps;
- 5. Hydro-Carbon Chemistry, New Polymers & Catalysts;
- 6. New Composite Materials & adhesives for Electronics and Auto Components Segments;
- 7. Advanced Engineering & Industrial Design Apps;
- 8. Bio-Medical Devices, New Sensors & Diagnostics;

We cover projects in the following developmental stages:

- 1. R&D teams ready for POC and/or industrial partners;
- 2. Pre-Seed entrepreneurial teams seeking mentors and ready for accelerators;
- 3. Start-Up teams seeking angels and/or industrial partners;
- 4. Proven Start-Ups & experienced entrepreneurs seeking VC and/or Industry partners;
- 5. High Growth Innovation Enterprises seeking PE and/or industry partners and EXITS;

Clean-Tech



Life Sciences



New Materials



Space & Telecoms



Unique Market Research Resources and Assets:

1

• Wide network of contacts at top management level of key academic institutions and regional governments across Russia

2

• Proprietary database of 1,500 innovation & start-up projects from across Russia's innovation entrepreneurship community

2

 Marchmont Media has built a social network community over 25,000 readers following daily innovation news and the monthly tech blog, The PULSE

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• Marchmont English & Russian language website hold over 30,000 articles and interviews covering RF regional innovation ecosystems news (2006 – present)

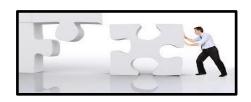
5

 Uniquely qualified specialists in technology transfer & commercialization, tech & talent scouting, market research, PR & media promotion and event planning



We help our clients to gain access to international markets:

- Professional Assessments on global market entry strategies and partner searches;
- Detailed Market Research on selected market entry points, including acquisition targets;
- In-Depth Analysis on the requirements of international companies seeking Russian suppliers;
- Organization of meetings with potential partners and investors, including delegation visits;
- Development of Trade Missions to selected markets including the US, UK, EU and elsewhere;





Marchmont has a proven track record in forming international partnerships between Russian and international universities, R&D teams and corporate enterprises







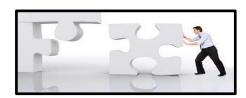
Developing intelligent solutions for the toughest business problems



Our team is focused on solving your most pressing tech problems

- We work to understand our client's business and the key problems it's facing
- We apply our tech and research knowledge to creating a solution roadmap
- We propose cost-effective solutions for your company based on our research
- We create a full software development lifecycle solving your problems





Marchmont has a proven track record in identifying unique technology talent and creative programming teams able to solve the most complex problems facing industry



We are experts at using business-friendly open-source solutions, so we can build industry-grade projects at a reasonable cost.





We are prepared to discuss specific project ideas and solutions covering a wide range of problems facing global industry leaders

- Retail Data Analytics

We are ready to work in the following directions to solve our client's problems: customer satisfaction tracking and behavior prediction; product usage satisfaction; demand forecasting; vanishing goods and spoilage planning; product categorization, visual and voice search; warehouse management; improving fraud and counterfeiting detection

- Optimization and Fault prediction in Oil production

We can develop AI and ML based solutions for upstream oil production, including drilling optimization, fault detection and classification, processing surveying data and basin modeling.

- Optimization of Supply Chain Management

We can develop blockchain technologies coupled with business logic and smart contracts, enabling secure transactions and transparency in consumer goods delivery; ensure accurate asset tracking and traceability enhanced licensing of services, products and software

- New Materials Development

We have unique experience in working with teams developing new materials in emerging from hydro-carbon raw materials including new polymers, adhesives and catalysts; developing Big Data Analytics and ML solutions for new drug and compound development; new composite materials applicable for the energy and automotive segments.

Our city is a globally recognized High Tech Cluster suppling advanced technologies to the regional industrial production centers in automobiles, aircraft, submarines, chemicals and other key industries

- 25 scientific R&D institutions focusing on telecom, radio technology, theoretical and applied physics
- Key location for R&D offices of tech leader such as Intel, Yandex, JBL Harman and many others;
- 33 higher educational institutions, including UNN Lobachevski, Nizhny State Polytech and the HSE;
- Highly skilled & concentrated IT community including local IT leaders such as Mera, Tekom and many others;
- A top RF engineering industry center, including giants such as GAZ, Sokol and Krasnoye Sormovo;
- NN is home to a thriving local start-up ecosystem including the 3D printing materials producer SynTech Lab;
- Located in Central Russia with convenient high-speed train commute to and from Moscow;



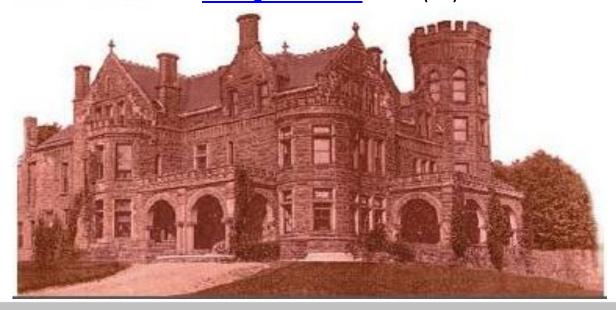


Connecting Russian Entrepreneurs into a Global Network



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- -Vice Rector for Innovation, UNN Lobachevsky University (2013 2015)
- -Director, EBRD Central Russia VC Fund (1998 2006)
- PWC Advisor to the Volga Vyatsky Privatization Center, NN Regional Admin, (1995 1998)
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"Solid principles have always guided our business strategy"

> "Joseph Nelson White (1860-1939)

"Marchmont" White family estate, Winchendon, MA, Built in 1890