PhD Course: Research to business: a technology transfer approach

General Objectives

This seminar aims to provide PhD students with the fundamental concepts for helping PhD create impact from their research.

In particular Students will be drive to think about the value of their research work in the market. They will explore mega-trends and markets and how to leverage the potential of innovation inside the research. They will investigate with experts the concepts of value proposition and customer, legacies and opportunities related to the IP strategies and protection. Public and private financing strategies and opportunities will be presented.

Main Learning Outcomes

Understanding differences when planning and developing a new entre/intra-preneurial project in different contexts

Ability to understand, create, capture value of the research project in a market Ability to integrate the strategic role of IP and other intangible assets in to the research project and future professional scenarios.

Teaching and Learning Methods

Teaching and learning methods are primarily based on applied lectures, testimonials and real case studies from researchers, entrepreneurs, local and/or international business managers. They combine lectures, testimonials from professionals, discussions, individual and group work, hands-on activities and games.Participants will be evaluated with group exercise, and individual reports. Attendance is mandatory at least 75% of the meetings.

Credits: 3 - attendance to at least 75% of the course is mandatory; Evaluation procedure: team works and oral tests within classes hours

Timetable:

SCHEDULE	HOURS	TITLE	SPEAKERS	METHODOLOGY
1st day	10.00 -	Welcome and Course	Milena Bigatto	Introduction
	12.30	Presentation		
		Innovation and value	Luca Mion	Key notes
		creation		
		Fundamental of	Marco Senigalliesi	Lecture
		Entrepreneurship		
		Working Group: Team	Marco Senigalliesi	Explanation
		and Technology		
	14:30-	Ready to break the ice?	Arianna Conci	Team game
	17:00	Markets and R&T	ТВС	Lecture
		trends		
2nd day	10.00 -	Building a technology	Veronica Barchetti	Lecture
	12.30	proposition		

		Basics of technology disclosure and	Silvio Antonioni	Lecture
		patenting IP management @	Giusoppo Caputo	Lecture
		IP management @ UNITrento	Giuseppe Caputo	Lecture
	14:30-	Building a product	Nicola Doppio	Lecture and
	17:00	value proposition		Simulations
3rd day	10.00 -	How to find a Product-	Marco Senigalliesi	Workshop
	12.30	Market fit		
	14:30-	How to make profit	Arianna Conci e	Lecture
	17:00	from technologies	Francesco	
			Piacentino	
4th day	10.00 -	Financial planning for	Marco Senigalliesi	Lecture and
	12.30	innovation projects		Simulation
	14:30-	Private financing for	Matteo Cevese	Lecture and
	17:00	Innovation ventures		Checkpoint
5th day	9.30 -	Grant funding for	Ilina Petkanovska	Lecture and
	12.00	innovation projects		Simulation
	14:30-	Testimonials from	Milena Bigatto	Pitch and Q&A
	17:00	professionals	CARBOREM (tbc)	
		Take away from the	Milena Bigatto	
		course		
		Participants		
		Assessment		