



School of Engineering

Technology Innovation and Entrepreneurship

Technology Innovation and Entrepreneurship Resources

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We are here to help!

Who: Students, staff, faculty, alumni

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As a faculty member, you may be







Providing advice to students and alumni (advisor)

Disclosing inventions created through sponsored research (*inventor*)

Interested in achieving greater impact for your research (entrepreneur)



Engaging our office

- Have a technology and want to explore commercialization?
- Want to start a company?
- Have a company and need help on next steps?
- Interested in introductions/connections?

• We are separate from USC Stevens Center for Innovation which is our technology transfer office. All intellectual property flows through USC Stevens.



Viterbi programming/resources

Highlights:

- Pitch competitions in DeepTech, Sustainability, Social Impact,
 Civil/Environmental Engineering, (\$15-50k non-dilutive prizes)
- NSF I-Corps training (researchers -> entrepreneurs, access to >\$2M in non-dilutive funding)
- Viterbi Startup Garage incubator
- Viterbi Venture Fund
- Connection to mentors/investors and campus partners



USC Stevens Center for Innovation

- Handles your invention disclosures, patent filings, agreements (licensing, material transfer, confidentiality)
- Take a moment to read the intellectual property policy
 - https://stevens.usc.edu/researchers/policies-and-guidance
- Technology licensing associates working with Viterbi faculty:



Larry Cabral



Michael Nornberg



Benjamin Wild

FACULTY PATENTS & LICENSING TRAINING

Transform your research into realworld impact! Join our training seminar and discover the secrets to successful patents and licensing.

Agenda:

8:30am-Breakfast

9:00am- Session #1- What does Stevens do? What is the process?

10am- Session #2 What is patentable? What about copyrights?

11am- Session #3 How do licenses work? What about startups?

12 pm: Lunch and Office Hours with Stevens staff







Tuesday, August 20, 9am-1:00pm



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