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PROGRAM

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CREATING OPPORTUNITIES FOR EVERYONE

Welcome to Austin and the 2023 AUTM Annual Meeting! Whether you're a conference first-timer or a seasoned veteran, we have four days of exciting education, networking and speakers lined up to satisfy your professional needs. It is our goal to create a stimulating environment where everyone feels a sense of belonging and we can make the most of our time together.

Whether you're here for the keynotes (don't miss USPTO Director Kathi Vidal!) or focused on dealmaking, be sure you carve out some time to connect with friends, new and old over some legit Texas BBQ. Just follow your nose.

So, polish that belt buckle. Consider a Cattleman or Stetson, and dive in. We have an all-star lineup, packed with opportunities to be invigorated and inspired. I know we'll all be headed home with a lot of exciting ideas to think about.

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Ian D. McClure, J.D., LL.M.
AUTM Board Chair



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AUTM'S AUSTIN PICKS





GET WEIRD IN AUSTIN

With so much to see and do in Austin, here is a bucket list of experiences you can't miss!

MUST SEE

- Visit the haunted Driskill Hotel
- Hike on the Trail and Boardwalk
- Tour Downtown by Duck
- See the Museum of the Weird
- Catch live music at 3Ten
- Get inspired at the Mexic-Arte Museum

BRAVE THE BBQ

- Eastside Tavern
- Franklin Barbecue
- La Barbecue
- Lamberts
- Micklethwait
- Cooper's Old Time Pit

NIGHTLIFE

- Pete's Dueling Piano Bar
- Antone's Nightclub Speakeasy
- Hen House
- Mort Subite Belgian Beer Bar
- Shiner's Saloon

GRUB

- Rainey Street Food Truck Lot
- Banger's Sausage House
- Texas Chili Parlor
- Red Ash
- Roaring Fork
- Lonesome Dove Austin



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HOW IT WORKS

Take a photo with 5 (or more) of the following and post to social media (FB, Twitter, LI or Instagram) to be eligible to be entered into a drawing for a chance to win an AUTM swag bag!

- Posts must contain the Annual Meeting's official hashtag: **#AUTM2023**.
- Bonus points for tagging all your friends
- **Contest ends at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday!** We'll notify the top three posters after the Meeting and send prizes by mail.

SCAVENGER HUNT PHOTO OPS:

- **Artsy Austin** - Capture the art scene and explore the streets of Austin, extra credit for a mural.
- **Ask an Expert** - Snap a pic with someone wearing an RTTP pin, extra credit if it's your pin!
- **Time for a Closeup** - Take a behind the scenes photo of yourself at the Exhibit Hall Headshot Station.
- **Sponsored Post** - Show sponsors some love.
- **Fired up** - Snap a photo while you gain some insight at the Fireside Chat with Kathi Vidal.
- **Taco 'bout it** - Snap a photo of your favorite meal out with new friends, extra credit for tacos!
- **Boot 'n Scoot Boogie** - Grab a drink (and a photo) at Boots, Bites & Banjos in the Exhibit Hall.
- **Paparazzi** - Strike a pose with an AUTM Board Member.
- **Breakout Star** - Take a photo with a Breakout Speaker.
- **Sweet Tweet** - Post a photo from the Dessert Reception.
- **Networking Ninja** - Post a photo with a new connection at the Industry/Academia Connect & Collaborate session.
- **Get Connected** - Take the biggest coordinated selfie you can manage.
- **Strike a Pose** - Head over to the AUTM Booth in the Exhibit Hall and grab a photo with AUTM staff.
- **Make Deals** - Visit (and take a quick pic) with any one of the more than 50 exhibitors in the Exhibit Hall.

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iStent Ocular Tube Relieves Glaucoma Pressure



More than three million Americans suffer from glaucoma, resulting in ocular pain and vision loss.

Dr. Richard Hill, a physician of ophthalmology at University of

California, Irvine (UCI), developed a minimally invasive glaucoma surgical device, iStent, to relieve ocular pressure by allowing fluid to move into the eye's normal drainage system. UCI filed patents on Dr. Hill's behalf and supported his startup, Glaukos Corporation, through licensing and commercialization. The device and the family of Glaukos technologies have now been implanted in more than one million procedures worldwide.

Device Provides Non-invasive, Mobile Therapy to Treat Neuro Disorders



The EKKO Wave Therapeutic Device was developed by the researchers from National University of Science and Technology (NUST) in Pakistan to treat neurological disorders including

cerebral palsy, autism and more. EKKO provides low cost and safe treatment of neuro disorders through vibrational waves that affect neural activity in the brain and body. The NUST Technology Transfer Office liaised with various departments and stakeholders from the kick-off to the successful pilot testing for the project and was licensed to M/S RiseTech for commercialization.

COVID Vax Developed to Reach Those Where Cost, Scalability and Storage Matter Most



Scientists at the Baylor College of Medicine (BCM) and Texas Children's Hospital developed a novel protein sub-unit vaccine for COVID-19 that overcomes the challenges of cost,

scalability, and storage requirements. In the interest of global access and rapid commercialization, BCM Ventures chose not to file patent protection on the vaccine technology. As a result of the licensing and commercialization strategy, the licensee received Emergency Use Authorization in India and has distributed approximately 100 million vaccine doses with hundreds of millions of additional doses reserved. As a result of their scientific efforts, Drs. Peter Hotez and Maria Elena Bottazzi were nominated for the 2022 Nobel Peace Prize.



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AUTM CONNECT PARTNERING PLACE HOURS

Sunday, February 19

3- 5:30 p.m.

Monday, February 20

7 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Tuesday, February 21

7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Wednesday, February 22

7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

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Sunday, February 19

7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Monday, February 20

7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Tuesday, February 21

7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Wednesday, February 22

7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

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6:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Registration

Lone Star East Foyer, Level 3

7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

AUTM Meeting Place

Rooms 201-212, Level 2

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AUTM Marketing Course

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7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

AUTM Technology Valuation Course

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Lone Star G, Level 3

7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

AUTM Startup Business Development Course

(additional fee, seating limited)

Lone Star H, Level 3

3 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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Lone Star East Foyer, Level 3

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Room 402, Level 4

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3 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Nursing Room

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4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

**First-Time Attendee Briefing
and Reception**

Lone Star D, Level 3

5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Fireside Chat featuring Kathi Vidal

Under Secretary of Commerce for
Intellectual Property and Director of the
United States Patent and Trademark Office

JW Grand Ballroom 5-8, Level 4



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6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Exhibit Hall Open

Griffin Hall, Level 2

6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Boots, Bites & Banjos

(Exhibit Hall Reception)

Griffin Hall, Level 2

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7 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.

Morning Mindfulness Meditation

Room 209, Level 2

7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

AUTM Meeting Place

Rooms 201-212, Level 2

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7 a.m. - 8 a.m.

Breakfast on Your Own

(Coffee and Tea Available)

JW Grand Ballroom Foyer, Level 4

7 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Registration

Lone Star East Foyer, Level 3

7 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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8 a.m. - 10 a.m.

**Opening Plenary and Keynote
featuring Marcus Whitney**

Founding Partner of Jump
Start Health Investors



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9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Exhibit Hall Open

Griffin Hall, Level 2

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Refreshment Break

(in the Exhibit Hall)
Griffin Hall, Level 2

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11 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

Session 1: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

**Sponsored Session: The Evolution of TTO Staffing
Models: Results from the 2022 Wellspring Survey**

Lone Star A, Level 3

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Confidentiality Agreements Between Academic Institutions

Lone Star B, Level 3

Taking a Holistic Approach to Industry Partnerships

Lone Star C, Level 3

Top 10 Court Decisions (of the Year) Affecting Licensing

Lone Star D, Level 3

11 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

Session 1: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

**Policy Issues and Tech Transfer: Helping
You Make Your Voice Heard**

Lone Star E, Level 3

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Empowering TTOs with the Right Communication Strategies

Lone Star F, Level 3

Show Me the Money! Financial Terms in Plant Licensing

Lone Star G, Level 3

Growing Your Career and Knowing Your Worth

Lone Star H, Level 3

Spinning-Out Biotechs: Timing is Everything

Room 301/302, Level 3

Tech Transfer Origin Stories -Where do TTOs Come From?

Room 303/304, Level 3

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Small But Mighty! A Small Office Support Group

Room 305, Level 3

12:15 p.m. - 1 p.m.

Attendee Lunch

JW Grand Ballroom 5-8, Level 4

12:15 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Directors' Lunch (by invitation)

Room 203/204, Level 2

12:15 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Sponsors' Lunch (by invitation)

Brazos, Level 2

1 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Dessert Reception

(in the Exhibit Hall)

Griffin Hall, Level 2

1:45 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Session 2: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

Enforcement of Plant-Related IP

Lone Star A, Level 3

Forging the Future with FemTech

Lone Star B, Level 3

Dealing with Inventions Combining Software and Biotech

Lone Star C, Level 3

Building University-Affiliated and/or Alumni-Led Venture Funds

Lone Star D, Level 3

Industry/Academia Connect and Collaborate (Part 1)

Lone Star E, Level 3

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**Art of Negotiating and Monetizing Rare
Pediatric Disease Priority Voucher Terms**

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MONDAY

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1:45 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Session 2: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

Programs to Improve Inventor EDI

Lone Star G, Level 3

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**Novel Approaches to Life Science Investments:
Lessons Learned**

Lone Star H, Level 3

The Power of Storytelling: How to Talk Tech Transfer to VCs

Room 301/302, Level 3

So, You're Licensing Skynet: Will Template Terms Suffice?

Room 303/304, Level 3

Accounting in Technology Transfer Offices

Room 305, Level 3

3 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Refreshment Break

(in the Exhibit Hall)

Griffin Hall, Level 2

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3:45 p.m. – 5 p.m.

Session 3: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

When Leveling the Playing Field is Not Enough: Promoting DEI in the Workplace and Beyond

Lone Star A, Level 3

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Innovation Districts: A Solution to the Technology Transfer Conundrum

Lone Star B, Level 3

Secrets of the Trade: Practical Tips for Social Innovation Magic

Lone Star C, Level 3

Startup Financing: Understanding NVCA Model Agreements

Lone Star D, Level 3

Industry/Academia Connect and Collaborate (Part 2)

Lone Star E, Level 3

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Diamonds in the Rough: Identifying New Licensing Opportunities From Old Patents

Lone Star G, Level 3

The Changing Tech Transfer Landscape for the Operations Professional

Lone Star H, Level 3

Software and Copyright Licensing Roundtable

Room 301/302, Level 3

3:45 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Session 3: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

**How to Collect Data to Understand
Your University's EDI Metrics**

Room 303/304, Level 3

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Tips and Tricks for Operations Professionals

Room 305, Level 3

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

**Industry/Academia Connect and
Collaborate Networking Reception**

Griffin Hall, Level 2

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6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Opening Reception

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21

7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

AUTM Meeting Place

Rooms 201-212, Level 2

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7:30 a.m. - 8 a.m.

Morning Mindfulness Meditation

Room 209, Level 2

7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Breakfast on Your Own

(Coffee and Tea Available)

JW Grand Ballroom Foyer, Level 4

7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Registration

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7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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Nursing Room

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8:30 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Plenary Session, Reimagining the TTO: From Technology Transfer To Knowledge Transfer

Moderator: Chase Kasper,
Clemson University Research Foundation



JW Grand Ballroom 5-8, Level 4

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9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Exhibit Hall Open

Griffin Hall, Level 2

10 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Refreshment Break

(in the Exhibit Hall)
Griffin Hall, Level 2

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10:45 a.m. - Noon

Session 4: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

Negotiation of a Patent License Agreement: A Simulation

Lone Star A, Level 3

Red Flags You Are Not Receiving the Royalties You Should

Lone Star B, Level 3

Stack the Odds: Best Practices in Startup Policies

Lone Star C, Level 3

What Does Pharma/Biotech Want from Academia: An Insider's View

Lone Star D, Level 3

Grow Funding Sources for Tech Transfer: Grants, Donations, Budget Support and Beyond

Lone Star E, Level 3

10:45 a.m. – Noon

Session 4: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

**Protecting Your University's IP: What Your
Administration Needs to Know**

Lone Star F, Level 3

The Salami – Whole or Sliced?

Lone Star G, Level 3

**Making the Paths to Commercialization
of Inventions More Equitable**

Lone Star H, Level 3

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The Intersection of IP and AI Research at Universities

Room 301/302, Level 3

Ask Us Anything: Balancing Work and Life Toward Success

Room 303/304, Level 3

TTO Process from Pre-Disclosure to Post-Agreement Triage

Room 305, Level 3

Noon – 2 p.m.

Lunch on Your Own

Noon – 2 p.m.

**Eastern Region Planning
Committee Lunch** (by invitation)

Room 202, Level 2

Noon - 2 p.m.

**Western Region Planning
Committee Lunch** (by invitation)
Room 203, Level 2

Noon - 2:30 p.m.

**Canadian Region Lunch and
Programming** (by invitation)
Brazos, Level 2

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& Parr**

Noon - 5 p.m.

**Central Region Planning
Committee Lunch and Planning
Meeting** (by invitation)
Room 201, Level 2

2 - 3:15 p.m.

Session 5: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

**Potluck Inventions: When Everyone Brings
a Dish, Who Owns the Dinner?**

Lone Star A, Level 3

Blockchain, NFT & Metaverse: What Every TTO Should Know

Lone Star B, Level 3

**Edulab: A Demand-Pull Experience to Promote Tech Transfer
in Education, Social Sciences, Arts and Humanities**

Lone Star C, Level 3

**The Evolution of TTOs: How to Effectively
Restructure to Meet Today's Needs**

Lone Star D, Level 3

**Impact of the UN's Biodiversity Treaty on International
Research Collaborations and Tech Transfer**

Lone Star F, Level 3

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2 – 3:15 p.m.

Session 5: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

**CFIUS: What to Know About US Regulations on
Startup Transactions With Foreign Entities**

Lone Star G, Level 3

2 p.m. – 5 p.m.

**AUTM Partnering Forum: Crop
Production, Cultivars, and
Precision Ag**

(additional fee, seating limited)

Lone Star E, Level 3

2 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

**AUTM Negotiation Course:
Strategies and Tactics**

(additional fee, seating limited)

Lone Star H, Level 3

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

**Canadian Region Networking
Reception**

(by invitation)

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3:15 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Refreshment Break

in the Exhibit Hall

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4 - 5:15 p.m.

Session 6: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

China's 2021 Patent Law Amendments and the Life Sciences

Lone Star A, Level 3

**From Lab to Clinic: Procuring Life Sciences
IP Throughout its Development Cycle**

Lone Star B, Level 3

**Follow the Yellow Brick Road: Creating Clear
Transitional Paths into the Tech Transfer Profession**

Lone Star C, Level 3

Embracing Neurodiversity in Your Workforce

Lone Star D, Level 3

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**Domestic Manufacturing Waivers
from the Agency Perspective**

Lone Star F, Level 3

What's the Right Policy for Equity in Spinouts?

Lone Star G, Level 3

5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

RTTP Reception

(by invitation)

Room 211/212, Level 2

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8 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Morning Mindfulness Meditation

Room 209, Level 2

8 a.m. - 9 a.m.

Breakfast on Your Own

(Coffee and Tea Available)

Lone Star East Foyer, Level 3

9 - 10:15 a.m.

Session 7: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

**Unitary Patent System and Unified Patent Court:
What We've Learned, What We Need to Know**

Lone Star A, Level 3

**Unpacking the CHIPS Act: What Does
it Mean for Technology Transfer**

Lone Star B, Level 3

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**Future Focused: Professional Development
in Technology Transfer**

Lone Star C, Level 3

Business Side of a License (Part 1)

Lone Star D, Level 3

**R&D Partnerships Between University
Researchers and Small Manufacturers**

Lone Star E, Level 3

**Faculty Care and Feeding to Grow
Relationships and Disclosures**

Lone Star F, Level 3

Diversity in Innovation Through Intentional Networks

Lone Star G, Level 3

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Plant Licensing and Intellectual Property Protection

Room 301/302, Level 3

9 - 10:15 a.m.

Session 7: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

**Tripping Down Memory Lane: Legendary
Academic Commercialization Deals**

Room 303/304, Level 3

Dealing With the Fine Print

Room 305, Level 3

10:30 - 11:45 a.m.

Session 8: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

Licensing Innovations for Global Impact

Lone Star A, Level 3

The Many Shades of Data Licensing

Lone Star B, Level 3

Technology Transfer Offices and Social Innovation

Lone Star C, Level 3

Business Side of a License (Part 2)

Lone Star D, Level 3

What to Know if it's Your First Rodeo in Patent Monetization

Lone Star E, Level 3

Developing an Ecosystem to Support Deliberate Innovation

Lone Star F, Level 3

10:30 - 11:45 a.m.

Session 8: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

Keeping the Momentum: Expanding Opportunities for Entrepreneurship and Technology Transfer at HBCUs

Lone Star H, Level 3

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Building Your Roadmap for a More Diverse and Inclusive Tech Transfer Ecosystem

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Networking Tips: Go From Good to Great!

Room 303/304, Level 3

Balancing Profitability and Social Impact for Entrepreneurs, Investors, and Decision Makers

Room 305, Level 3

11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Attendee Lunch

Griffin Hall, Level 2

11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Central Region Lunch

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Room 203/204, Level 2

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Session 9: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

**When Uncle Sam Is Your Co-inventor! Joint
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How to Resolve Issues When You Don't Own the Entire Patent

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**Doomed to Zoom, or Room to Bloom?
Hiring and Turnover Post Pandemic**

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**Proof of Concept or Gap Funding:
Experiences from the UK and US**

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**From Prototype to Market: Fostering Medical
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**Progress in Implementing Innovation and Entrepreneurship
Criteria into Promotions and Tenure**

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Does Your Tech Transfer Office Reflect the Population You're Serving?

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Session 9: Educational and Roundtable Sessions

Why Some Inventors Don't Like Outside Counsel and What We Can Do About It

Room 303/304, Level 3

A Rookie Perspective on Technology Transfer Careers

Room 305, Level 3

2:15 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Refreshment Break

Lone Star East Foyer, Level 3

2:45 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

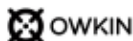
**Closing Plenary Session
and Keynote featuring
Dr. Maria Elena Bottazzi**

Co-Director, Texas Children's Hospital
Center for Vaccine Development

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- **Sunday**, Feb 19, 6:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
- **Monday**, Feb 20, 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.
- **Tuesday**, Feb 21, 7:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.
- **Wednesday**, Feb 22, 7:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

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- A private nursing area for nursing mothers. Please visit the registration desk to obtain a key for this secure area.
- A contemplation room for those who need quiet time or meditation. Please silence cell phones while in this room.
- Transcription services during all plenary sessions for those who need hearing assistance. Headsets are also available in each of the concurrent breakout rooms.

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- **Wear a new Member or first-time attendee ribbon** on your badge. Mentors and AUTM leadership do their best to welcome everyone they see wearing this ribbon.
- **Attend roundtables** for informal discussions on myriad topics.
- **Meet new people** in a casual atmosphere at receptions.
- **Use AUTM Connect** to network outside your organization or form a dinner group for informal socializing.
- **Visit the AUTM Connect Help Desk** located at Registration.
- **Get involved** at AUTM Member Booth in the Exhibit Hall.
- **Attend sessions** to get a feel for the diverse programming content offered at the AUTM Annual Meeting.

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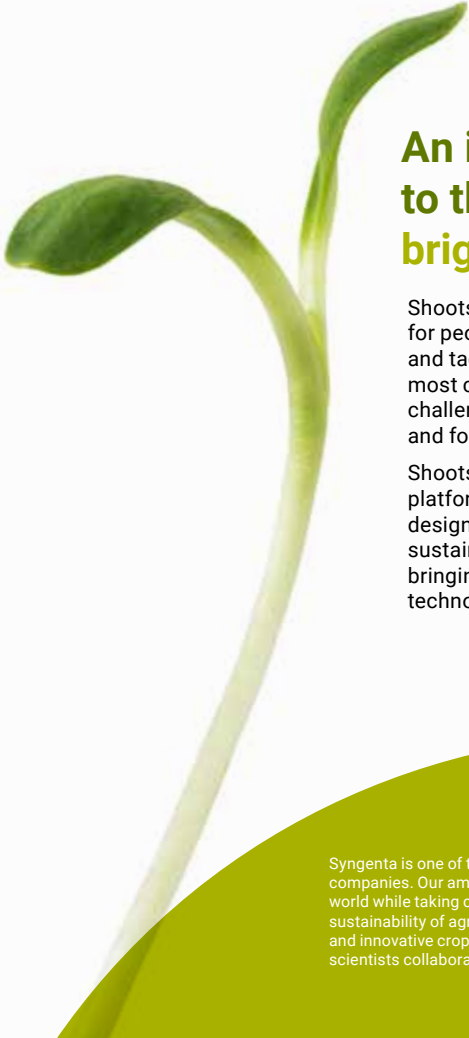
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