

Technology Transfer from the University of Oxford

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Oxford Technology Transfer IP, Patents, Licences, Spin-outs, Material Sales, Seed Funds, Isis Angels Network



Oxford Expertise Consulting, Services



Isis Consulting Business
Technology Transfer and
Innovation



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- A company 100% owned by the University of Oxford
- Established in 1987
- Isis helps researchers who wish to commercialise the results of their research
- "Widely regarded as one of the best technology transfer offices in the country"
 Lambert Review of Business University Collaboration
- "The Isis understanding of the major goals of a university is, I believe, the key to their success" Professor Baruch Blumberg, Nobel Prize Winner
- World class expertise and patent portfolio 4th highest UK filer of PCT patent applications WIPO (after GSK, Unilever, BT) 100th US patent granted in 2007

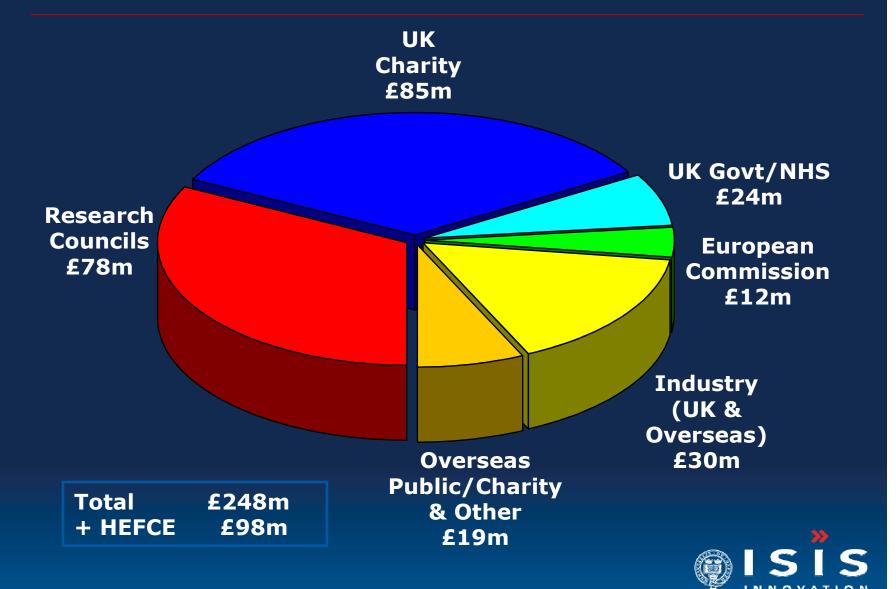


Research at Oxford

- > 4,200 researchers
- 6,700 doctoral students
- Highest University Research Spend in UK
 - > £346 million (2006/2007)
- Research Spend by UK Companies, Oxford ranked 12th GSK, AZ, BAE, BT, Unilever, Ford, Shell, Airbus, RR, RBS, Pfizer (DTI R&D Scoreboard)
- Most Powerful UK Research University
 - Research Fortnight
- Most Innovative UK University
 - Cross Atlantic Capital Competition



Research Funding 2006-2007 £346 million [1993 £83m]



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Staff: 53 PhD's: 26 MBA's: 12



Isis Innovation 2000 - 2008

Year Ending March	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
University Investment	£1m	£1m	£1m	£1m	£1m	£1.2m	£1.2m	£1.2m	£1.2m
Staff	17	21	23	34	36	36	36	37	44
Open Projects	319	415	476	629	725	764	784	841	978
Patents filed	55	63	82	65	52	55	57	49	68
Licence Deals	21	36	42	37	31	38	45	50	74
Consultancy				34	50	48	59	89	102
Spin-outs	6	8	8	7	3	4	6	7	4



Isis Returns on Investment to the University

- University Investment in Isis for Patenting
- Financial Returns
 - Distributions back to University
 - > Research Funding from spin-outs
 - Research Funding from Translation Awards
 - > Hefce Third Stream Government Funding
 - > Spin-outs Cash
 - > Spin-outs Value
 - Oxford UCSF
 - New Patents (50% of cost)
 - Strategic IP Deals Chemistry, IBME
- Other, non-financial benefits to the University
 - University PR
 - > Public Good
 - University staff recruitment & retention
 - > Managing Oxford Innovation Society
 - > Managing Seed Funds



Intellectual Property Policy (October 2000)

- University claims ownership of all employees' and students' IP rights resulting from University research activities
- > The university assists those researchers **who wish to** commercialise their research
 - by patenting, licences, spinout companies & consultancy
- Researchers share the benefits
 - Royalty shares from licences
 - > Equity in spinout companies
 - Income from personal consultancy

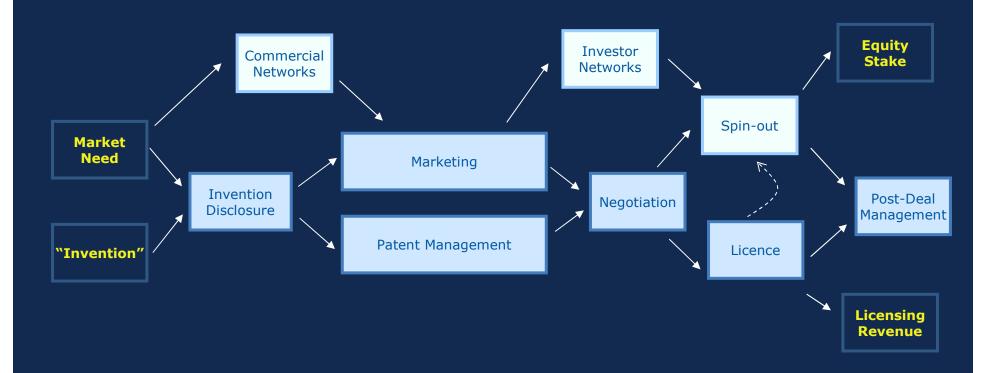


Transfer of Intellectual Property

Assignment of intellectual Outside the University Inside the University property rights Research funding source Spin-outs Government **Research Services Isis Innovation** 50 Staff 40 staff Consulting 85% Graduates Charities 75% Graduates 33% Post grad degrees 50% Science doctorates **IP Rights** Licences **Industry Management Team**

New sponsored research

Isis Project Management





Technology Licensing

- Licensing out of University of Oxford Intellectual Property Rights
- Over 300 option and licence agreements signed
- Technologies marketed to Oxford Innovation Society Members and then other companies
- Licence partners selected on
 - > Resources and intent to develop technology to market
 - In healthcare, awareness of access of final products to developing countries
- Exclusive & Non-exclusive
- Geographical Territory and Technology Field controls
- Fees, milestones, running royalties appropriate to technology and marketplace



Technology Licensing

- Options or licences signed on 300 projects
- Some will generate over £1m in royalties
- > Benefits to licensee, researcher & University

Royalties

- > Patent budget £1.2m per annum & royalties
- > Isis pays patent costs & recovers these from royalties

Total net	Researchers	University	Department	Isis
revenue	personally	General Fund	Funds Ir	nnovation
to £72k	61%	9%	0%	30%
to £720k	31.5%	21%	17.5%	30%
over £720k	15.75 %	28%	26.25%	30%



Oxford Spin-outs (pre 2000)

1959		Oxford Instruments *
1977		Oxford Lasers
1988		Oxford Glycosciences *
1989		Oxford Molecular *
1992		Oxford Asymmetry *
1994		PowderJect *
1995		Oxford Gene Technology
1996		Oxford Biomedica *
1997		Oxagen
1998	5	Opsys, Synaptica, Prolysis, Celoxica *, Sense Therapeutic
1999	6	Medigene(Avidex) *, Oxxon Pharmaccines, Dash, Oxonica *, AuC Sensing,

^{*} stock exchange listing



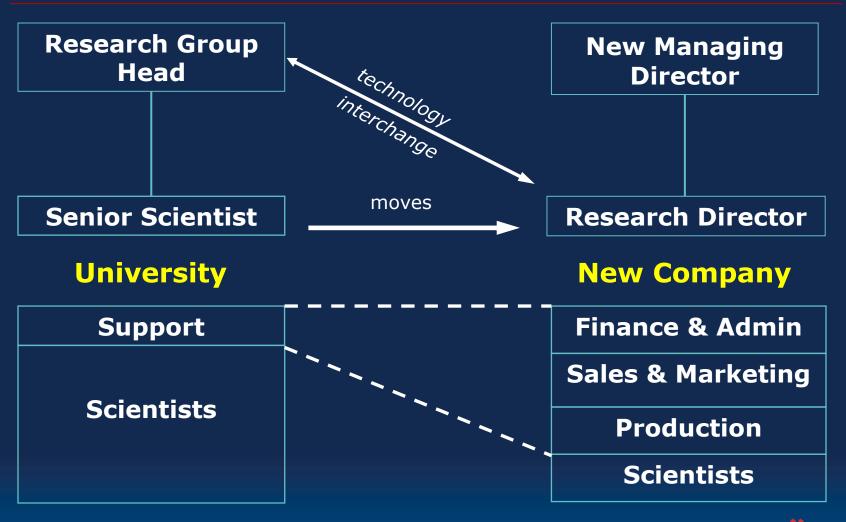
Oxford Spin-outs (post 2000)

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2000	7	Third Phase, Mindweavers, Oxford BioSignals, Oxford BioSensors, TolerRx, OXIVA, Pharma DM
2001	7	OxLoc, Oxford Bee Co, Oxford Ancestors, Novarc, Oxford ArchDigital, Natural Motion, Inhibox
2002	9	Pharminox, Minervation, Spinox, Zyentia, Oxitec, Oxford Immunotec, ORRA, GlycoForm, BioAnalab
2003	4	VASTOx *, ReOx, Riotech, OCSI
2004	4	Avacta(OMD) *, G-Nostics, Surface Therapeutics, EKB Technology
2005	5	Oxford Nanolabs, Oxford RF Sensors, Oxbridge Pulsars, Celleron, Oxford Catalysts *
2006	7	TDeltaS, Oxford Medistress, Particle Therapeutic, Aurox, Oxford Advanced Surfaces *, Cytox, OxTox
2007	4	Eykona Technologies, Clinox, Oxford Biodynamics, Crysalin

Total external investment to date in spin-outs Post 1997: £334m £34m Seed/Business Angels & £300m Venture/Institution Capital



Spin-out Strategy





Spin-outs – The Players

Shareholder, Director, **Founder Consultant** Researchers Ι **Shareholders University Nominee Isis Project Director** Manager Shareholder, **Investor (1) Director** Investor (2)? S Manager (1) **CEO**, Shareholder Manager (2)? M **Lawyers** Lawyers **Advisers Accountants Accountants Bankers Bankers** Time

Investment Sources

Oxford University Challenge Seed Fund £4m

- Launched in 1999 University £1m Treasury, Wellcome, Gatsby £3m
- Development projects, spin-out seed equity; in a total of 83 projects
- £4m investment has resulted in Equity stakes in 22 spin-outs, 7 completed licensing deals & 33 active technology projects
- > These 22 spin-outs have attracted £40m seed/venture investment

Isis Angels Network

- Business Angels
- Seed / Venture Capital
- Private Equity
- > 100 Members
- > Events
- No Charges







- The consulting arm of Oxford University
- A division of Isis Innovation
- Helps Oxford researchers market their expertise
- Draws on the spectacular depth and breadth of Oxford's world-class multidisciplinary research base
- Provides expert insight and advice to organisations in the public and private sectors
- Global client base





Isis Enterprise

- Isis Enterprise offers consulting expertise and advice in technology transfer, based upon the success of Isis Innovation as Oxford University's technology transfer company.
- Isis Enterprise clients and services:
 - Governments: policy and benchmarking studies
 - Universities and research institutes: policy studies, technology audit, technology transfer office partnerships, training and secondment programmes
 - Companies: out-licensing or in-licensing support, university relationship management open innovation partnerships
 - Professional services firms: market validation studies
 - Investors: investor readiness appraisal
- www.isis-enterprise.com





Isis Enterprise - TTP

Technology Transfer Partnership

"package of support services in response to requests from the technology transfer offices of universities, research institutes and funding bodies"

Features:

- Dedicated Relationship Manager
- Mentoring
- Technology Transfer Project Management
- Networking
- Training
- Access to all Isis staff and networks
- Our approach is to work alongside, and not act as a replacement for, our client's technology transfer activities



Oxford Innovation Society

- Established in 1990 to foster University/business links
- > An open innovation network
- Since 1990 over 100 companies have joined
- > Companies pay an annual fee of £6,800 for membership

Membership Benefits

- Ready access to the academics and University
- Interactions with other Members, leaders in technology innovation
- Advance notification of all marketed patent applications
- Invitations to thrice-yearly meetings and dinners
- Customised research presentations and seminars
- Regular newsletters and portfolios



OIS Meeting & Dinner



- Tea & coffee reception
- Academic presentation
- Sponsor presentation
- Champagne reception
- Dinner in College
- After dinner drinks



Culture Change



University entrepreneur culture



University technology transfer resource



Business & professional environment

- All three must proceed together but the University must lead the change because..
- The ideas are in the University
 - > If University provides TT resource, change will happen faster
 - > Oxford pre-Isis 1 spin-out every 4 years, post Isis 6 per year
- If the University doesn't lead, the University may not receive its share of the benefits



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