In accordance with Arizona Board of Regents ("ABOR") Policy 3-901(B), "[t]he University must identify, on a case-by-case basis, individual and institutional conflicts of interest and conflicts of commitment that may arise as a result of [a] proposed transfer [of technology to employees or regents]." 

If you are a potential licensee of University-owned IP, you must complete the Enabling Disclosure Worksheet and disclose:

- Description of the licensed technology
- Identity of individuals who will work for or have an interest in the company
- The company’s structure and activities
- Whether and how students will be involved
- How and to what extent the company expects to interact with the University

**NOTE:** After becoming a licensee of University-owned IP, you will have a continuing duty to disclose information about your research via the COI Program's online disclosure process. Going forward, the COI Program and the COI Committee will evaluate each of your research proposals and projects involving the University against your interest in the start-up.

**CONFLICTS OF INTEREST MAY ARISE WHEN:**

- The company subcontracts, sponsors, or supports research at the University
- The company owns or licenses the product or technology being evaluated in research at the University
- University research could affect or appear to affect the value of the company itself or your remuneration from the company (e.g. royalty income)
- University research could directly benefit the company
Conflicts can be inevitable and are expected when an individual is commercializing Intellectual Property. Transparency throughout this process makes necessary interventions quicker and more targeted.

SERVICES WE OFFER

- Help UA entrepreneurs manage start-up activities and institutional responsibilities
- Provide conflict of interest training
- Collaborate with researchers to protect the integrity of UA research
- Works with undergraduate and graduate students, postdoctoral researchers, and other University trainees working in research labs
- Support compliance with federal, ABOR, University and sponsor conflict of interest and commitment policies and requirements

ON OUR WEBSITE

- Access the COI Disclosure System and COC Form
- Download the IND/IDE COI Worksheet and the Consulting Agreement Addendum
- Request COI Training
- Answers to frequently asked questions
- Information for Non-UA Subcontractors, Consultants and Collaborators
- Information for Students, Postdocs and Trainees
- Links to the Individual Conflict of Interest in Research, Institutional Conflict of Interest, and Conflict of Commitment policies

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