UConn and the OVPR fully support faculty members and students who want to commercialize technology and start companies. While creating a successful venture is challenging, the OVPR and other UConn organizations provide resources that can help and make sure you remain in compliance with university, state, and federal regulations.

Staff from different areas of the OVPR can help with all aspects of the commercialization or startup process, including:

- Licensing a UConn technology
- Consulting for a company
- Establishing a Financial Conflict of Interest management plan
- Hiring students
- Using incubator space and/or UConn facilities
- Understanding and complying with State ethics law

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