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AUTM Joins White House Roundtable on Commercializing Climate & Clean Energy

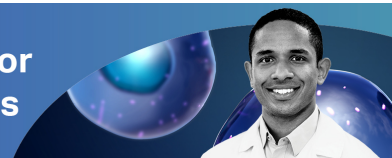


Last week, AUTM Members joined leaders from the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy to discuss challenges to commercializing climate and clean energy technologies.

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Clinical Trial Manufacturing For
University Research Programs



AUTM at the Capitol

Two Bills Address Key Needs for Tech Transfer

The U.S. patent system needs more clarity about what is or is not eligible for patenting, and a fairer way for the Patent Trial and Appeal Board to adjudicate patent challenges.

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Mike Waring
AUTM Advocacy Chair

AUTM Speaks Out

AUTM Responds to USPTO’s Request for Comments Regarding Unlocking the Full Potential of Intellectual Property

The USPTO is requesting comments on the topic of “Unlocking the Full Potential of Intellectual Property by Translating More Innovation to the Marketplace.” Specifically, the USPTO is seeking public comment on how the agency can build on current initiatives to advance intellectual property into the marketplace.

AUTM Addresses Inventorship Guidance for AI-Assisted Inventions

AUTM continues to urge the USPTO to implement the Inventorship Guidance for AI-Assisted Inventions. The USPTO is encouraged to continue to monitor its application to support patentability of inventions created with the assistance of AI to promote the progress of science and the useful arts. AUTM also suggests ways to make the Guidance more clear and helpful, as well as provides thoughts on additional steps the USPTO could take to incentivize innovation in the AI space.

Bayh-Dole Watch

Winning the Narrative Battle

We have always had a handful of defenders from Senators Bayh and Dole to the founders of the academic licensing profession like Howard Bremer and Niels Reimers, to dedicated public servants like Norman Latker, the patent counsel at NIH who realized potentially important discoveries that could save lives were wasting away under the pre Bayh-Dole policies.

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Joe Allen
AUTM Guest Columnist

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Patenting Pearls

Potentially Poisonous Patents

Understanding the complicated case, *In re Collect, LLC*, is critical for patent owners, particularly universities relying on patents for licensing revenue, as it affects related patents expiring on different dates due to patent term adjustments.

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Sandip Patel
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EDI Updates

USPTO Announces National Strategy for Inclusive Innovation, Uses AUTM Resources for Guidance

This week, the USPTO announced, in conjunction with the agency's work with the Council for Inclusive Innovation (CI2), a new National Strategy for Inclusive Innovation.

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Online Discussion, May 7-8

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Better Together @ AUTM Events

**MAY
7-8**

The Un-Conference: A Peer-Powered Solution Event

Next week! This virtual event empowers attendees to co-create an experience that is totally tailored to you and your interests. You'll convene with others who share those interests and concerns, for conversations that get to the heart of the tech transfer issues you care most about—without PowerPoint presentations!

**JUL
15-17**

2024 Central Region Meeting

Hit a tech transfer home run in Louisville, Kentucky, at the Central Region Meeting! You'll gain the knowledge needed to handle any curve balls that come your way. And be sure to make time for trivia!

**SEP
11-12**

2024 Eastern Region Meeting

Steel yourself for tech transfer success in Pittsburgh. This riverfront event will deliver a confluence of education, connection and collaboration that you won't want to miss.

**SEP
24-25**

2024 Western Region Meeting

Turn up the heat on innovation at the Western Region Meeting in Phoenix, Arizona. Learn, network and discover why so many tech startups are saying #yesPHX!



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Get Together!

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AND

Andrew Wichmann
Johns Hopkins
Technology Ventures

Meghan Hayes
Carnegie Mellon University

The Open Science Revolution: Impact and Opportunities in Technology Transfer

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**2024 Central
Region Meeting**

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July 15-17
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

Upcoming Webinars

**MAY
9**

Navigating Pitfalls and Maximizing Partnering Success

US academic institutions are facing significant challenges with respect to equity diversity, and inclusion (EDI) given the US Supreme Court's ban on affirmative action and the passage by several states of laws restricting EDI activities. This webinar will explore the current legal landscape for EDI as it relates to US academic institutions and will provide practical strategies and tips for how TTOs continue their EDI efforts.

**MAY
23**

Strategies for Fostering Equity, Diversity and Inclusion

Recent advances in artificial intelligence, including generative AI, pose newfound questions for intellectual property law, policy and examination procedure. Learn about the new policies being developed by the US Patent and Trademark Office to address these issues.

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Yale University

Associate Director, Technology Venture Studio
University of Missouri-Kansas City

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- **Purdue-Created Technology Makes 3D Microscopes Easier to Use, Less Expensive to Manufacture**
- **ASU Event Fosters Robust Conversations Regarding Regional Innovation in Both Rural and Urban Areas**
- **\$8.25M Awarded to Three Kentucky Universities to Support Research Grant Infrastructure**
- **U of Toronto, Hospitals Launch Pilot Program to Boost Commercialization of Medical Innovations**
- **New AI Startup Accelerator Led by Imperial Opens for Applications**

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