

**Johns Hopkins Technology Ventures (JHTV)** is the commercialization and entrepreneurship hub of the university, responsible for fostering a rich innovation ecosystem and bringing Johns Hopkins discoveries to market. We help innovators and entrepreneurs safeguard and commercialize intellectual property, develop startups into sustainable ventures and forge strategic collaborations with industry. In these ways, we bring the benefits of discovery to the world.

Three business units within JHTV support the institution's mission of translating and commercializing discoveries into accessible technologies, products and services that benefit society.

## TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

As the university's intellectual property manager, our Technology Transfer team determines which inventions to protect, manages a robust patent portfolio, licenses technologies for development and processes MTAs and NDAs.

Investigators are encouraged to engage with our Technology Transfer team at an early stage by [reporting an invention](#) before publicly disclosing their research. Johns Hopkins investigators can also leverage [technology development grants](#) managed by JHTV.

### 2-2-2 SERVICE COMMITMENT TO FACULTY



## CORPORATE PARTNERSHIPS

This team serves as the university's front door for [corporate partners](#), who are increasingly seeking collaboration with world-class academic teams, and as a resource to faculty in securing and managing industry partnerships to advance discovery.

JHTV specializes in brokering and managing large collaborations grounded in sponsored research. Our team assists in the formation, execution, and management of these partnerships. Often based around a sponsored project, these collaboration bridge the gap between early scientific discovery and its translation into new products.

### ACTIVE INDUSTRY COLLABORATIONS

- Diagnostics
- Digital Health and Precision Medicine
- Engineering
- Materials Science
- Oncology
- Ophthalmology



# FASTFORWARD

**FastForward** is the university's home for faculty and student startup activity, providing a coordinated suite of resources to efficiently move technologies from startup to marketplace.

## STARTUP RESOURCES PROVIDED

- Affordable turn-key spaces close to Johns Hopkins campuses
- Educational programming and pro bono services from corporate sponsors
- Mentorship from industry veterans and exited entrepreneurs
- Access to funding programs including venture capital and various investor networks

## INNOVATION HUBS



**FASTFORWARD 1812**

23,000 SQ FT of office, co-working, conference, and lab space



**FASTFORWARD R. HOUSE**

9,000 SQ FT of office, co-working, conference, and lab space



**FASTFORWARD U HOMEWOOD**

10,000 SQ FT of student dedicated co-working space, meeting rooms, workstations, and additional makerspace

## FASTFORWARD U

A collaborative, cross-disciplinary environment, **FastForward U** provides training, space, funding, and a community that empowers Johns Hopkins student entrepreneurs at any stage of conceptualization to develop ideas and disruptive technologies into successful businesses.

## STUDENT RESOURCES PROVIDED

- Free co-working and conference spaces (and coffee!)
- Twice-annual Accelerator program for cohorts of up to 10 teams
- \$170K+ in annual grant funds allocated to student teams
- Mentorship from our network of entrepreneurial alumni

## SOCIAL INNOVATION LAB

The **Social Innovation Lab (SIL)** supports innovative nonprofits, mission-driven companies, and disruptive technologies to create change and opportunity in Baltimore and beyond. SIL provides entrepreneurs with space, mentorship, and funding in order to accelerate and increase their social impact.

## SIL FAST FACTS

- Supports 10 teams per year
- Cohort is comprised of Johns Hopkins and Baltimore communities
- Over 90 startups established since 2011
- 50% women led ventures and 70% BIPOC led ventures in our 2019-20 cohort