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# Technology Transfer: Breakthrough to Excellence

## TTA Turkey Project Closing Conference

The Marmara Taksim – İstanbul, November 14, 2017

08:30 – 09:00	<b>Registration</b>
09:00 – 09:15	<b>Welcome and Introduction</b> Dr. A. Mete Çakmakçı, <i>Secretary General of TTGV</i>
09:15 – 09:45	<b>Opening Remarks</b> Tuğberk Başkaya, <i>Business Development Analyst, EIF</i> Dr. Mehmet Şahin Gök, <i>Vice President, TÜBİTAK</i> Dr. Oğuz Hamşioğlu, <i>Director General of EU and Foreign Affairs, Ministry of Science Industry and Technology</i> Gabriel Munuera Vinals, <i>Deputy Head of Mission, EU Delegation to Turkey</i> Dr. Faruk Özlü, <i>Minister of Science, Industry and Technology</i>
<b>Morning Session: Technology Transfer Capacity Building</b>	
09:45 – 10:00	<b>Mission Accomplished: TTA-Turkey Project Achievements</b> Deniz Bayhan, <i>Team Leader, TTA Turkey AdviseNet</i>
10:00 – 11:00	<b>Knowledge Transfer from US &amp; FR Study Tours</b> <b>Moderator: Doğan Taşkent, Business Development TTA-Turkey AdviseNet</b> İdil Kök, <i>IP &amp; Contracts Program Manager, ODTÜ TTO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ Boston University OTD → <i>Invention Disclosure System &amp; IP Policy</i></li></ul> Serhat Dalkılıç, <i>IPR Coordinator, Erciyes TTO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ Texas A&amp;M → <i>Student Internship Program &amp; Alumni Network</i></li></ul> Müge Ak, <i>Project Coordinator, Fırat TTO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ SATT Paris Saclay, IDF Innov → <i>Proof of Concept &amp; Maturation Funding</i></li></ul> Ekrem Tekin, <i>General Manager, Target TTO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ LSU - Louisiana State University → <i>I-Corps Sites program for commercialization</i></li></ul> Merve Yıldırımoglu, <i>Entrepreneurship &amp; Start-up Expert, Selçuk TTO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ Oregon Health Sciences University → <i>Startup accelerator – Starve-Ups</i></li></ul> Anıl Çetin, <i>Senior Technology Transfer Specialist, KOÇ APGTTD</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ Dartmouth College → <i>Implementation and effective use of TTO software</i></li></ul> Esra Ayhan Çakır, <i>IP Specialist, Bilkent TTO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ University of New Mexico (STC-UNM) → <i>Marketing techniques of tech portfolio</i></li></ul> Miray Karakuzu, <i>IPR Coordinator, Atmosfer TTO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ SATT Conectus Alsace, SATT NORD in Lille → <i>Systematic mapping of technologies &amp; Interaction with Ecosystem</i></li></ul> Rabia Taş, <i>Vice Director, Arinkom TTO</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ University of New Mexico (STC-UNM) → <i>Regional and territorial development initiative to create an integrated community</i></li></ul>



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11:00 – 11:15	<b>Coffee Break</b>
11:15 – 12:15	<b>Implementation of IP Law &amp; Compliance Practices</b> <b>Moderator: Ersin Derelgil</b> , <i>Founding President &amp; Board Member of LES Turkey, Managing Partner at Destek Patent</i> Marc Sedam, <i>TTO Director, University of New Hampshire &amp; Board Member, AUTM</i> Patrick Terroir, <i>Patent and Technology Committee Chair at LESI</i>
12:15 – 13:00	<b>Associations: Critical for Improving Technology Transfer Efforts</b> Prof. Dr. Fazilet Vardar Sukan, <i>Board Member, Turkish TTP &amp; Director, Sabanci University SUNUM Center</i> Marc Sedam, <i>TTO Director, University of New Hampshire &amp; Board Member, AUTM</i>
13:00 – 14:00	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>Afternoon Session: Accelerating the Ecosystem</b>	
14:00 – 15:00	<b>VC Investments in Tech-Based Startups</b> <b>Moderator: Duygu Öktem</b> , <i>Business Development TTA-Turkey AdviseNet</i> Haluk Zontul, <i>Managing Partner, DCP</i> Dr. Murat Balaban, <i>Episome</i> Prof. Dr. Haluk Külâh, <i>Mikrobiyo</i> Prof. Dr. Ender Suvacı, <i>Entekno</i> Gökhan Güner, <i>Managing Partner, ACT</i> Doç.Dr. Arda Deniz Yalçinkaya, <i>GlakoLens</i> Prof. Dr. Rana Sanyal, <i>RS Research</i> Doç. Dr. Sinem Çöleri Ergen, <i>Ambeent</i>
15:00 – 16:00	<b>Keys to Managing Great Accelerators and Mentor Networks</b> <b>Moderator: Jeff Engell</b> , <i>Global Portfolio Manager Consultant, VentureWell</i> Mel Bulu-Taciroglu, <i>Economist, UCLA &amp; Regional Instructor, NSF ICORPS</i> Damien Roch, <i>Managing Director, NUMA Scale Hub</i> Mehmet Onarcan, <i>Founder, Mentors Network Turkey and Angel Investor</i>
16:00 – 16:15	<b>Coffee Break</b>
16:15 – 17:00	<b>Creating Your Own Business Angel Group</b> <b>Moderator: Arif Akdağ</b> – <i>Member, Galata Business Angels &amp; Owner, EKA Global</i> Ayse Zamboğlu, <i>Startup Advisor &amp; Angel Investor, US Life Science Angels</i> Gilles Le Cocguen, <i>Head of EuroQuity, Bpifrance (ESIL Community)</i> Tanguy de La Fouchardiere, <i>Vice-President &amp; Chairman, France Angels</i>
17:00 – 17:30	<b>Closing KeyNote Speaker – Call to Action</b> Cengiz Ultav, <i>Chairman of the Board, TTGV and Board Member, VESTEL Ventures</i>
17:30 – 18:30	<b>Networking</b>



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