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E-Team Grant Program



what is an e-team?

An E-Team, or entrepreneur team, is a multidisciplinary group of students working together to bring an invention out of the lab and into the marketplace.

about the program

Receive an E-Team grant of up to \$25K and receive training through our early-stage innovator training program. The training provides peer networking, expert coaching, national recognition, and hands-on workshops to move your innovation forward.

upcoming info session and deadline

APPLICATIONS

Open 3 times a year

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early-stage innovator training modules



PIONEER

In Pioneer, science & tech innovators orient themselves and understand possible pathways for their venture, creating action plans to check fundamental assumptions.



PROPEL

Propel helps science & tech innovators map and validate the pathway for their venture, digging into business model design and mapping action plans to engage stakeholders and de-risk their venture.



ASPIRE

ASPIRE is the startup launch pad. Here, ventures prepare for investment through multi-day mentor engagements, stress tests, work-product creation, and network building.

we help student inventors impact the world

our impact

We have awarded
\$11.1 million
since 1995...



To **699+**
E-Teams



From **161**
universities in the
United States



They have launched
230
ventures



They have received
\$578 million
in follow-on funding



They are operating in
50+ countries
around the world,
impacting
millions of lives

e-team graduate companies

De Oro Devices

**2019 E-TEAM GRANTEE, CALIFORNIA
POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY-SAN LUIS
OBISPO**

A debilitating symptom of Parkinson's disease, called "freezing of gait", limits patients' ability to walk, taking away their independence and greatly decreasing their quality of life. De Oro Devices - The Gaitway is developing a device for Parkinson's patients suffering from this symptom that attaches to mobility assist devices and uses clinically proven physical therapy techniques that have been known to reduce time frozen, number of falls, and the number of freezing episodes that occur.

Flux Marine

2019 E-TEAM GRANTEE, BOSTON UNIVERSITY

Flux Marine is developing an electric outboard motor system that can replace gas outboards for boats, providing power and reliability while increasing efficiency and reducing noise, air, and water pollution.

Respira Labs

**2019 E-TEAM GRANTEE, UNIVERSITY OF
CALIFORNIA-BERKELEY**

Patients who self-manage Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) don't always comply with health regimens, which can lead to complications, increased hospital visits, and decreased quality of life. Respira Labs is creating a device that continuously monitors patients' lung function and collects lifestyle and other medical data to improve management of COPD.

Strella Biotechnology

**2019 E-TEAM GRANTEE, UNIVERSITY OF
PENNSYLVANIA**

The fresh apple market loses \$1.2B each year due to the inability to track the maturation of the produce and know which fruit is ready for distribution. Strella Biotechnology is developing a biosensor to accurately predict fruit maturity, ensuring produce is packed and distributed at the optimum time.

what e-teams are saying

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The value proposition work and the value chain work was **incredibly enlightening**. It was fantastic to really find out how little we knew and how many assumptions we were making. Fantastic.”

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Greatest realization was that we have to **give much greater consideration** to the market and potential customers and not just focus on the technology or clinical aspects of our innovation.”

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The workshop was **extremely effective** in presenting methods to make analytical decisions about situations that are difficult to quantify or organize. This was represented in the competitor evaluations and market opportunity.”



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