





Advisory Services

Looking to grow or expand your technology-oriented business?
These groups have the technical and business know-how to assist you.

INNOVATION SUPPORT DIRECTORY			ADVISORY SERVICES	
Organization	Program	Geographic Reach	Contact	Description
Collège communautaire du Nouveau-Brunswick (CCNB) 	Entrepreneurship & Innovation - Research & Industrial Services	Eastern Canada	Sylvain Poirier 506-547-2572 sylvain.poirier@ccnb.ca ccnb.ca/entrepreneurship-et-innovation/research-and-industrial-services.aspx	Advisory services offered in 1) agro-forestry, agro-innovation, precision agriculture, soil and water conservation; 2) bio-fuels, bio-products and scale-up of processes based on microbial fermentation, enzymatic hydrolysis, bio-separation, chemical process technologies; and 3) development of mechanical processes, prototyping and concept validation, technological integration and development of assembly processes, by metallurgy/welding technologies expert team.
Wavefront  accelerating wireless innovation	Canada's Centre of Excellence for Wireless Commercialization and Research	Canada	Karen Mitchell 778-331-7500 marketing@wavefrontac.com www.wavefrontac.com  @wavefrontAC	Wavefront is Canada's Centre of Excellence for Wireless Commercialization and Research, accelerating the growth and success of wireless companies by connecting them with critical resources, partners and opportunities, to drive economic and social benefits for Canada. We provide Accelerator and Mentorship Programs, Advisory Services, Training, Technical Services, Market Linkages, and Funding.
















Facilities & Equipment

Do you require access to unique facilities and equipment for testing or development, and the expertise that goes along with them? Organizations can provide you with access to state-of-the-art resources.

INNOVATION SUPPORT DIRECTORY			FACILITIES & EQUIPMENT	
Organization	Program	Geographic Reach	Contact	Description
Collège communautaire du Nouveau-Brunswick (CCNB) 	Biorefinery Technology Scale-Up Centre (BTSC) / Centre précommercial de technologies en bioprocédés (CPTB)	Eastern Canada	Josée Landry 506-475-2424 josee.landry@ccnb.ca ccnb.ca/entrepreneurship-et-innovation/research-and-industrial-services.aspx	Mobile pre-production scale equipment (fermentation and distillation system; biodiesel production system; biogas production system) unique in Atlantic Canada and a well equipped analytical laboratory (HPLC-DAD, GC-FID-MS, spectrophotometers, steam fractionation system; Ankom system; bioreactors/fermenters; reverse osmosis system; GEA filtration systems; micromalter; microbrewery), staffed by an industrial services oriented research team.











Incubators, Accelerators & Research Parks

Whether you are looking to nurture a great idea, grow a start-up company or relocate an established enterprise, these organizations can help put you on the road to success.

INNOVATION SUPPORT DIRECTORY		INCUBATORS, ACCELERATORS & RESEARCH PARKS		
Organization	Program	Geographic Reach	Contact	Description
The Centre for Business and Social Entrepreneurship 	The Hub Incubator	Ontario	Ahren Brunow 519-824-4120 ext 56675 abrunow@uoguelph.ca uoguelph.ca/cbase/thehub  @cbase_uog	The Hub is available to University of Guelph students and alumni working on innovative projects. Eligible teams must have at least one co-founder who is a current University of Guelph student or alumnus between the ages of 18 to 29. The Hub supports businesses in the beverage and food, life sciences, agriculture or social enterprise sectors.
City of Port Alberni 	Industrial Design & Manufacturing Centre	Canada	Pat Deakin 250-720-2527 patrick_deakin@portalberni.ca www.portalberni.ca  @CPAecdev	Access to hundreds of qualified trades personnel. Assistance with industrial solutions. Manufacturing sites. Access to capital.
Collège communautaire du Nouveau-Brunswick (CCNB) 	Biorefinery Technology Scale-Up Centre (BTSC) / Centre précommercial de technologies en bioprocédés (CPTB)	Eastern Canada	Josée Landry 506-475-2424 josee.landry@ccnb.ca ccnb.ca/entrepreneurship-et-innovation/research-and-industrial-services.aspx	Technical incubation capacity that provides opportunities for researchers as well as start-ups and well established companies in the biotechnology sector to test their products or processes at near-production scale thus validating their technologies before undertaking commercial production or negotiating the value of their technology with a licensee.
Innovation Park at Queen's University 	Canada Accelerator and Incubator Program (CAIP) – Incubation and Acceleration at Innovation Park	Eastern Ontario	Janice Mady 613-533-3376 janice.mady@queensu.ca www.innovationpark.ca  @InnovationCan	For Eligible Entrepreneurs, Startups and SMEs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provision of Co-location, Incubation, Collaboration and Program Space at Innovation Park in Kingston, including Provision of Facilities Services • Provision of Mentorship and Embedded Management Services in Eastern Ontario • Delivery of Acceleration Programs in Kingston • Match-Making to Enable Access to Resources in Kingston and Region
Ontario Centres of Excellence 	Campus Linked Accelerator Program	Ontario	Binny Arora 416-861-1092 ext 1037 binny.arora@oce-ontario.org www.oce-ontario.org/programs/entrepreneurship-programs/CLAs  @OCEInnovation	Campus Linked Accelerators fund post-secondary institutions to promote a culture of entrepreneurship among students and youth and integrate entrepreneurial activities with investors, industry, and other stakeholders. The program aims to help Ontario accelerate commercialization of ideas from its world-class institutions, develop business leaders and build competitive regional innovation ecosystems.
Prince Edward Island BioAlliance 	Emergence BioIncubator	International	Daniela Fischer Russell 902-367-4400 daniela@peibioalliance.com www.emergencebioincubator.com  @BioSciencePEI	Emergence is a national virtual business incubator dedicated to assisting start-ups and growth stage companies in the bioscience and food sectors. The Emergence program provides companies at all stages of Development with the long-term support and guidance they require to efficiently bring their products and services to market.
Ryerson University Digital Media Zone 	Digital Media Zone (DMZ)	International	Abdullah Snobar 416-979-5000 ext 2857 dmz@ryerson.ca digitalmediazone.ryerson.ca  @ryersondmz	The Digital Media Zone (DMZ) at Ryerson University is one of Canada's largest business incubators and co-working spaces for entrepreneurs. The top-ranked university incubator in Canada and fifth in the world helps startups succeed by connecting them with customers, advisors, influencers and other entrepreneurs.
Wavefront 	Canada's Centre of Excellence for Wireless Commercialization and Research	Canada	Karen Mitchell 778-331-7500 marketing@wavefrontac.com www.wavefrontac.com  @wavefrontAC	Wavefront is Canada's Centre of Excellence for Wireless Commercialization and Research, accelerating the growth and success of wireless companies by connecting them with critical resources, partners and opportunities, to drive economic and social benefits for Canada. We provide Accelerator and Mentorship Programs, Advisory Services, Training, Technical Services, Market Linkages, and Funding.


Research Services

Need research support to develop your next product or service or troubleshoot an existing one? These organizations offer collaborative or contract research services that can help you get to market.

INNOVATION SUPPORT DIRECTORY			RESEARCH SERVICES	
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The Centre for Business and Social Entrepreneurship 	Business Consulting	Canada	Ahren Brunow 519-824-4120 ext 56675 abrunow@uoguelph.ca www.uoguelph.ca/cbase/community-partners  @cbase_uog	Grow your business with senior student consultants from the University of Guelph. We work with you to develop a project plan. Then, you are matched with a student team who deliver a comprehensive report detailing the project's objectives, findings, and suggested courses of action.
Collège communautaire du Nouveau-Brunswick (CCNB) 	Entrepreneurship & Innovation - Research & Industrial Services	Eastern Canada	Sylvain Poirier 506-547-2572 sylvain.poirier@ccnb.ca ccnb.ca/entrepreneurship-et-innovation/research-and-industrial-services.aspx	Contract & collaborative research services offered in 1) agro-forestry, agro-innovation, precision agriculture, soil and water conservation; 2) bio-fuels, bio-products and scale-up of processes based on microbial fermentation, enzymatic hydrolysis, bio-separation, chemical process technologies; 3) experimental aquaculture; 4) development of mechanical processes, prototyping and concept validation, technological integration, development of assembly processes.
Fanshawe College Centre for Research and Innovation 		International	Dan Douglas 519-452-4430 ext 4292 ddouglas@fanshawec.ca www.fanshawec.ca/research  @RFanshawe	The Centre for Research and Innovation (CRI) is Fanshawe College's Research Office and Industry Innovation Centre (IIC). CRI links industry, business and community partners with Fanshawe researchers, to develop innovative research projects and programs, and serves as the College's liaison to external funders. In short, we're the first point of contact for research and innovation services at Fanshawe College.
George Brown College 	Research & Innovation	Southern Ontario/Greater Toronto Area	416-415-5000 ext 6082 research@georgebrown.ca www.georgebrown.ca/research  @GBCResearch	The Office of Research and Innovation (ORI) at George Brown College promotes Canadian innovation through industry-driven applied research projects. We match industry connections with faculty and student expertise, operating as a single hub of access to highly qualified and skilled personnel, funding and state-of-the-art facilities. These facilities include research labs available for work on new product testing and technology validation, spanning the fields of healthcare, green building, design and culinary arts.
Innovation Atlas of Canada 		Canada	Ron Freedman 647-345-3434 ext 22 ron@researchinfosource.com innovationatlas.com	The Atlas provides critical information about Who is doing What , Where in research and innovation in Canada: Identify thousands of experts in any field of research; Create an expertise database for your own organization; Track research funding and infrastructure investments; Find high tech and R&D companies; Identify over 1,300 university, hospital research centres; and more!
Lambton College Applied Research & Innovation 	Applied Research & Innovation	Southwestern Ontario	519-542-7751 ext 3523 research@lambtoncollege.ca www.lambtoncollege.ca/research  @LCappresearch	Lambton College Applied Research & Innovation works with its partners to develop a suitable working model ranging from direct research contracts to collaborative projects supported by public funding. By working with industry partners, faculty and students, we ensure that we keep pace with industry developments within our community and across the globe.









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INNOVATION SUPPORT DIRECTORY			RESEARCH SERVICES (CONTINUED)	
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Ontario Centres of Excellence 	Industry-Academic Collaboration Voucher Program	Ontario	Bettina Klenkler 416-861-1092 ext 3228 bettina.klenkler@oce-ontario.org www.oce-ontario.org/programs/industry-academic-collaboration/collaboration-voucher-program  @OCEInnovation	Gives companies quick and easy access to the expertise and knowledge at Ontario's universities, colleges and research hospitals to address industry challenges and improve productivity, performance and competitiveness. Eligible Ontario companies receive a voucher, which is a credit, that they can redeem from research institutes. Three types of vouchers are available.
Ryerson University 	Office of the Vice President, Research and Innovation	International	Jennifer MacInnis 416-979-5042 ext 4602 jmacinnis@ryerson.ca www.ryerson.ca/research  @ryersonresearch	Ryerson's research office serves as a hub for private and public sector collaboration, supporting innovative research applications with social and economic impact. Our partners can access a variety of funding programs, specialized research facilities, new technologies, and highly skilled professionals. Partner with us to solve real-world problems.
Ryerson University 	Centre for Urban Energy (CUE)	International	Matthew Kerry 416-979-5000 ext 2988 cueinfo@ryerson.ca www.ryerson.ca/cue  @ryersoncue	The Ryerson Centre for Urban Energy works with industry to commercialize innovative solutions to urban energy challenges. Partner with us to connect with leading researchers, highly qualified personnel, and international collaborators in areas such as smart grid technologies, energy policy, electric vehicles, and net-zero homes.
Ryerson University 	Ted Rogers School of Management's Diversity Institute at Ryerson University	International	416-979-5000 ext 7268 diversityinstitute@ryerson.ca www.ryerson.ca/diversity  @ryersonDI	The Diversity Institute undertakes research on diversity in the workplace to improve practices in organizations. We collaborate with partners to evaluate programs, explore barriers to participation, develop policies, and provide customized training. Our action-oriented, evidence-based approach advances knowledge of barriers faced by underrepresented groups as well as leading practices.
Ryerson University 	Social Innovation at Ryerson	International	Amanda Gaspard 416-979-5000 ext 2795 changemakers@ryerson.ca www.ryerson.ca/socialinnovation  @innovate_RU	Ryerson University is Canada's only Ashoka Changemaker campus. It offers the country's largest entrepreneurship program, and over 300 courses with innovation and entrepreneurship components. The new SocialVentures Zone supports enterprises with a positive social impact. The University is also home to 15 research centres focused on social innovation.
Ryerson University 	Institute for Biomedical Engineering, Science and Technology (iBEST)	International	Jennifer MacInnis 416-979-5042 ext 4602 jmacinnis@ryerson.ca www.ryerson.ca/ibest	iBEST is a partnership between St. Michael's Hospital and Ryerson University, merging strengths in biomedical research and education. iBEST scientists, engineers, clinicians, students, and trainees develop innovative solutions that profoundly advance patient care. Collaborations encompass big data, imaging, microfluidics, nanoparticles, regenerative medicine, biomaterials, and more.

INNOVATION SUPPORT DIRECTORY			TALENT	
Organization	Program	Geographic Reach	Contact	Description
<div><div></div><div><p>Ontario Centres of Excellence Centres d'excellence de l'Ontario <small>Where Next Happens On l'aventure se réalise</small></p></div></div>	TalentEdge Internship and Fellowship Program	Ontario	<p>Binny Arora 416-861-1092 ext 1037 binny.arora@oce-ontario.org www.oce-ontario.org/programs/industry-academic-collaboration/talentedge  @OCEInnovation</p>	Provides Ontario students and recent graduates with real-world industry experience. Interns and postdoctoral fellows can apply leading-edge knowledge to solving industry problems. Open to university and college students, specifically graduate students, final-year undergraduates, and recent graduates. Placements are project-based with an R&D component and program is open to all disciplines.

Tech Transfer & Commercialization

Canada’s universities, government labs, colleges and hospitals are home to world-beating technologies ready for you to take the next step towards commercialization. Contact them for details on accessing their technology and intellectual property.

INNOVATION SUPPORT DIRECTORY			TECH TRANSFER & COMMERCIALIZATION	
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<div><div></div><div><p>Ontario Centres of Excellence Centres d'excellence de l'Ontario <small>Where Next Happens On l'aventure se réalise</small></p></div></div>	Market Readiness Program	Ontario	<p>Jennifer Moles 416-861-1092 ext 1023 jennifer.moles@oce-ontario.org www.oce-ontario.org/programs/commercialization-programs/market-readiness  @OCEInnovation</p>	Directly funds early-stage commercialization by start-up companies to support growth into scalable businesses. Supports both Customer Creation and Company Building stages of Customer Development Model, as defined by Lean Start-up principles. Applying its de-risking expertise, OCE helps early-stage companies attract the private investors and other funders they need to grow.
<div><div></div><div><p>Ryerson University</p><p>Ryerson Centre for Cloud and Context-Aware Computing (RC4)</p></div></div>	Ryerson Centre for Cloud and Context-Aware Computing (RC4)	International	<p>John MacRitchie 416-979-5000 ext 3290 rc4@ryerson.ca rc4.ryerson.ca  @ryersonrc4</p>	RC4 brings together industry, researchers and start-ups to develop and apply cloud and context-aware technologies to commercialize research, improve business processes and create new products and services. RC4 also includes the Ryerson Transmedia Centre; the Advanced Manufacturing, Design and 3D Printing Lab; and the Ryerson Ubiquitous and Pervasive Computing Lab.
<div><div></div><div><p>University of Guelph</p></div></div>	Catalyst Centre	Ontario	<p>Melissa Williams 519-824-4120 ext 58878 catalystcentre@uoguelph.ca www.uoguelph.ca/catalystcentre  @catalystcentre</p>	The Catalyst Centre (CC) is University of Guelph’s technology transfer and industrial liaison office, overseeing all aspects of the University’s intellectual property (IP) management and technology commercialization activities. The Industry Liaison Program helps form valuable applied research partnerships by connecting industry’s R&D needs with U of G expertise and resources.
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