

# I-Corps@NCATS Regional Short Course

## What is the business case for your translational science?

Find out via the I-Corps@NCATS Regional Short Course. Based on the National Science Foundation's Innovation Corps (I-Corps™) program, the premier federally-funded innovation and commercialization training in the U.S., I-Corps@NCATS provides biomedical scientists, clinician scientists and engineers with a new approach to accelerate the translation of discoveries from the lab to clinical practice.

**WHO:** Teams of faculty, postdocs and/or students with biomedical innovations or ideas.

**WHAT:** The five-week I-Corps@NCATS Regional Short Course will help you connect with potential customers for your research projects, protocol, service, or prototype.

### **WHY:**

- Determine the commercial viability of your innovation.
- Develop a successful business case for securing funding.
- Expand your network of innovation partners, mentors, and potential collaborators.
- Develop a new way of thinking about your research.

**REGISTER:** Sign your team up by Monday, September 30, 2019.

<https://bit.ly/2MuymLM>

### **Program:**

Kick-off Workshop - October 25, 2019 (in person), 9am-4pm

Week 2 - 30-minute online office hours w/teaching teams (flex timing)

Week 3 - November 8, 2019, 2-hour webinar (must attend online) 10am-1pm

Week 4 - 30-minute online office hours w/teaching teams (flex timing)

Week 5 - November 22, 2019 (in person), 9am-2pm

### **QUESTIONS?**

Visit <https://www.umassmed.edu/ccts/education/i-corps-program-at-the-umccts/> or contact Nate Hafer at [Nathaniel.Hafer@umassmed.edu](mailto:Nathaniel.Hafer@umassmed.edu).



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