BACKGROUND
This skills development course has been designed by TII for
- Research teams seeking to commercialise their research results;
- Knowledge transfer professionals responsible for bringing their organisation’s exploitable research results to market;
- Technology transfer intermediaries advising and coaching companies and research centres in bringing their ideas to market.

It is unique for its delivery by practitioners for practitioners, the provision of ready-to-use, proven methodologies and the use of case studies to illustrate the theory and offer inspiring exercise material.

The training is delivered by an international team of trainers, who earn their living in the specialised area of their workshop.

PARTICIPATION
Registrations for the course should be made online at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SJYLWSN

Places are limited to 35 and the final date for registration is 22 June 2016. Further information about the course from TII at tii@tii.org

Applicants must have a good command of English in order to benefit fully from the training and must have a professional interest in innovation and the exploitation of new ideas/technology.

Participation is free of charge for staff of the SECURE-R2I partner organizations based in the Eastern Partnership Countries (EPC) as well as other EPC organizations involved in SECURE-R2I activities (in particular the research teams selected for the SECURE-R2I innovation support programme) and other INCO R2I projects.

10 places are reserved for TII members on a first-come-first-served basis. They are charged for catering, materials and the social programme (€200).
PROGRAMME

Day 1: Evaluation and Valuation Techniques for New Technologies, Max Nielsen, Maxinno (DK)

Day 2: Business Planning and Investor Readiness, led by Dr Thomas Gering, Senior Partner, Intellectual Asset Management Corporation (IAM-Corp.), CH and USA

Day 3: Negotiating a Technology Transfer Agreement, led by Henning Sejer Jakobsen, Innovation Artisan and Scientist, Danish Technological Institute (DK)

Day 4: Discovery Tour of Innovation Support Organizations in the Coimbra region, in collaboration with Instituto Pedro Nunes

Day 5: Visit to Secure Societies R&D&I sites in the Coimbra region, in collaboration with Instituto Pedro Nunes

ABOUT SECURE-R2I

SECURE-R2I is a 3-year project funded by the Seventh Framework Programme of the European Commission, which aims at reinforcing cooperation between Eastern Partnership Countries and the European Union on bridging the gap between research and innovation in the secure societies sector. The training course, which is organised as part of the project’s activities, is designed to improve the exchange of best practice in knowledge and technology transfer. More information about the project on www.secure-r2i.eu (coordinated by Intelligentsia Consultants.)

ABOUT TII

TII is the leading European association representing the technology transfer and innovation support professions. TII members are promoting or providing high quality innovation support and technology transfer services to firms, with the ultimate aim to develop the knowledge economy and boost the wealth creation process.

The association creates a vibrant hub for members to share professional experience and good practice, to facilitate business opportunities for them and to support them in their technology transfer and innovation assignments.

TII is one of the consortium partners of the SUAFRI-EPC project and the organiser of the training course.

ABOUT IPN

Created in 1991 through a University of Coimbra initiative, Instituto Pedro Nunes (IPN) is a private non-profit organisation which promotes innovation and the transfer of technology, establishing the connection between the scientific and technological environment and the production sector. (https://www.ipn.pt/)

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