

The Missouri S&T I-Corps™ Affiliate Announces

ENERGIZE MISSOURI

A Virtual Workshop for Summer 2022 Hosted by Lincoln University
Register at <http://i-corps.mst.edu>

Do you have a product/service project or new business idea?
Is it STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) related?
Do you have a strong interest in commercializing your project?

This **experiential virtual** workshop is a **FREE** program open to all university-based research teams, students (all levels), alumni, and non-academics to encourage technical entrepreneurship by testing research, projects, or ideas for their commercial potential.

The ENERGIZE MISSOURI program emphasizes:

- Using customer discovery techniques to obtain feedback from potential customers, partners, investors, competitors, and other stakeholders for data-based validation;
- How to develop and position your idea/project, explore the size of your market, and identify a first target market;
- Applying tools and concepts such as value proposition design, ecosystem mapping, and commercialization planning; and
- Working with experienced I-Corps mentors, corporate intrapreneurs, or startup founders to accelerate your learning.

STEM academic teams completing the workshop may qualify for a **micro grant** (up to \$2.5K) and be eligible to apply for the **NSF I-Corps National Teams** program (\$50K grant to develop your business model).

2022 I-Corps Site Schedule

5 weeks total: Orientation;
4 weekly sessions/1 night per week; catch-up week between sessions 3 and 4; and final presentation

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Virtual Cohort

Attention: Faculty members can enroll their grad students or post doc researchers for this training.

5 to 7 pm

May 26_Orientation

Jun 2, 9, 16_Sessions 1-3

Jun 23_Optional Office Hours

Jun 30_Session 4 (Final)

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