Oregon Translational Research & Development Institute



Oregon Bioscience Incubator

Accelerating the Bioscience Ecosystem in Oregon: from Discovery to Startup and Beyond

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Applied Bioscience uses scientific discovery to create products to further human health and wellness. This includes developing new drugs, diagnostics, medical devices, and hardware or software related to digital health or healthcare IT.



What is **BIOSCIENCE**?

The science of living organisms.





Economic Impact of Bioscience in Oregon

Direct

- \$11.5 billion in output
- \$2.7 billion in wages
- \$5.6 billion in exports
- 1,995 bioscience establishments
- 28,029 jobs

Multiplier

- \$21.2 billion in economic activity (sales)
- \$6.7 billion in income
- 74,925 jobs
- \$923.4 million in state and local tax and fee revenue



Source: Oregon Bio Assoc. Economic Impact Report 2025, https://www.oregonbio.org/reports

Growth

Wages

127.1% job growth from 2002 to 2023

376% total wages growth from 2002 to 2023

109.7% average annual wage growth from 2002-2023

Average annual wage \$99,760

Wages are 52.4% above Oregon's statewide average in 2023

Diversity

Of the 74,925 jobs in 2023:

- 35,290 were held by women (47.1%) of total)
- 21,500 were held by Racially and **Ethnically Diverse** Groups (28.7% of total)





From our inception in 2008 through 2024



OTRADI & OBI-Affiliated Companies Have...

Note: OTRADI's State funding averaged \$1.37M/Year ROI from OTRADI/OBI Companies to the State = >\$1B



Raised, and awarded >\$928 million Grants, Non-dilutive Funding, Private, Angel, Venture Capital Funding



Generated >\$133 million in Revenue & **Payments from Corporate Partners**









Facilities and Equipment Available at the OBI

CO-WORKING & CONFERENCE FACILITIES





29,000+ SQFT PRIVATE WET LABS & OFFICES





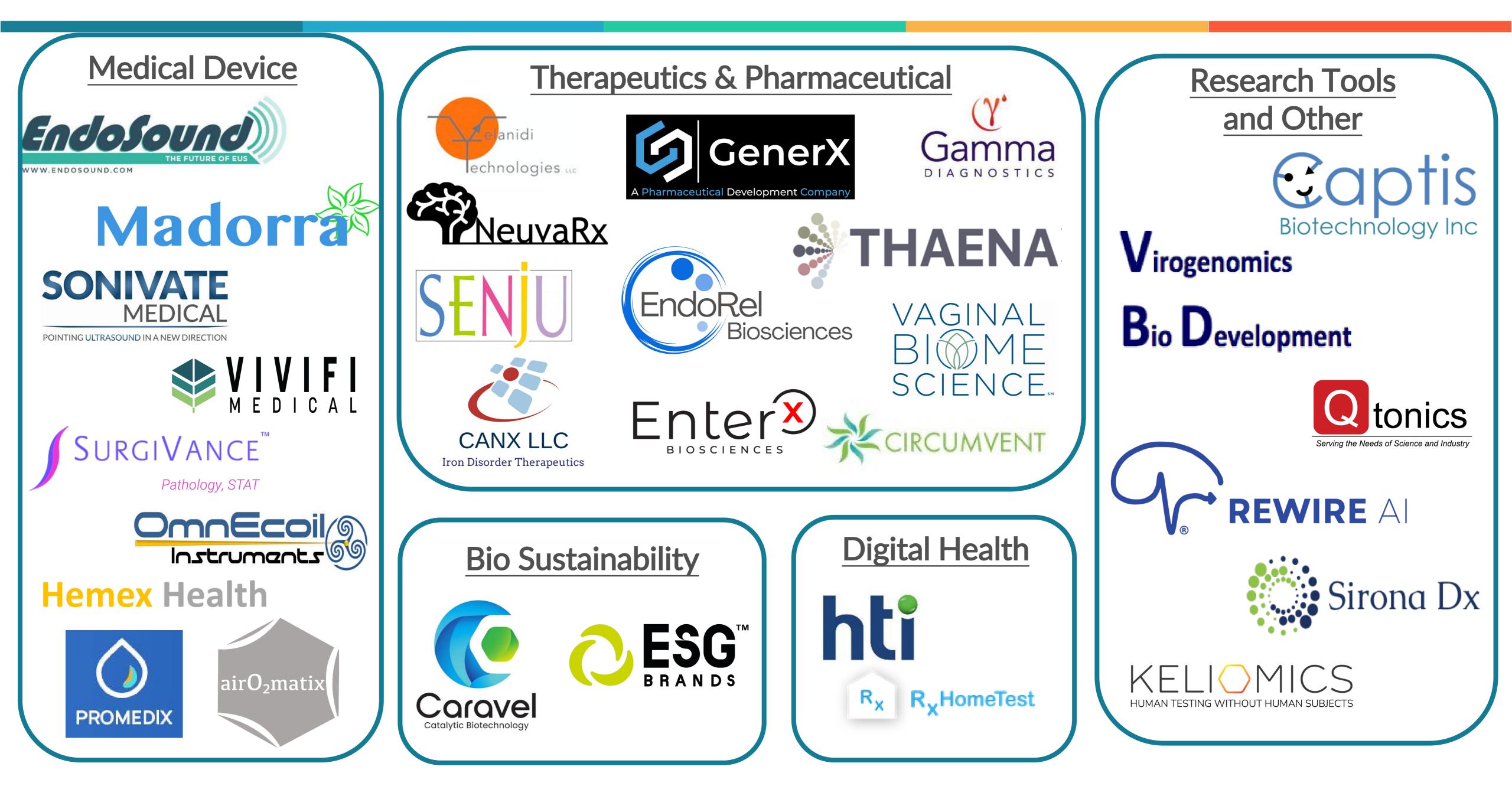




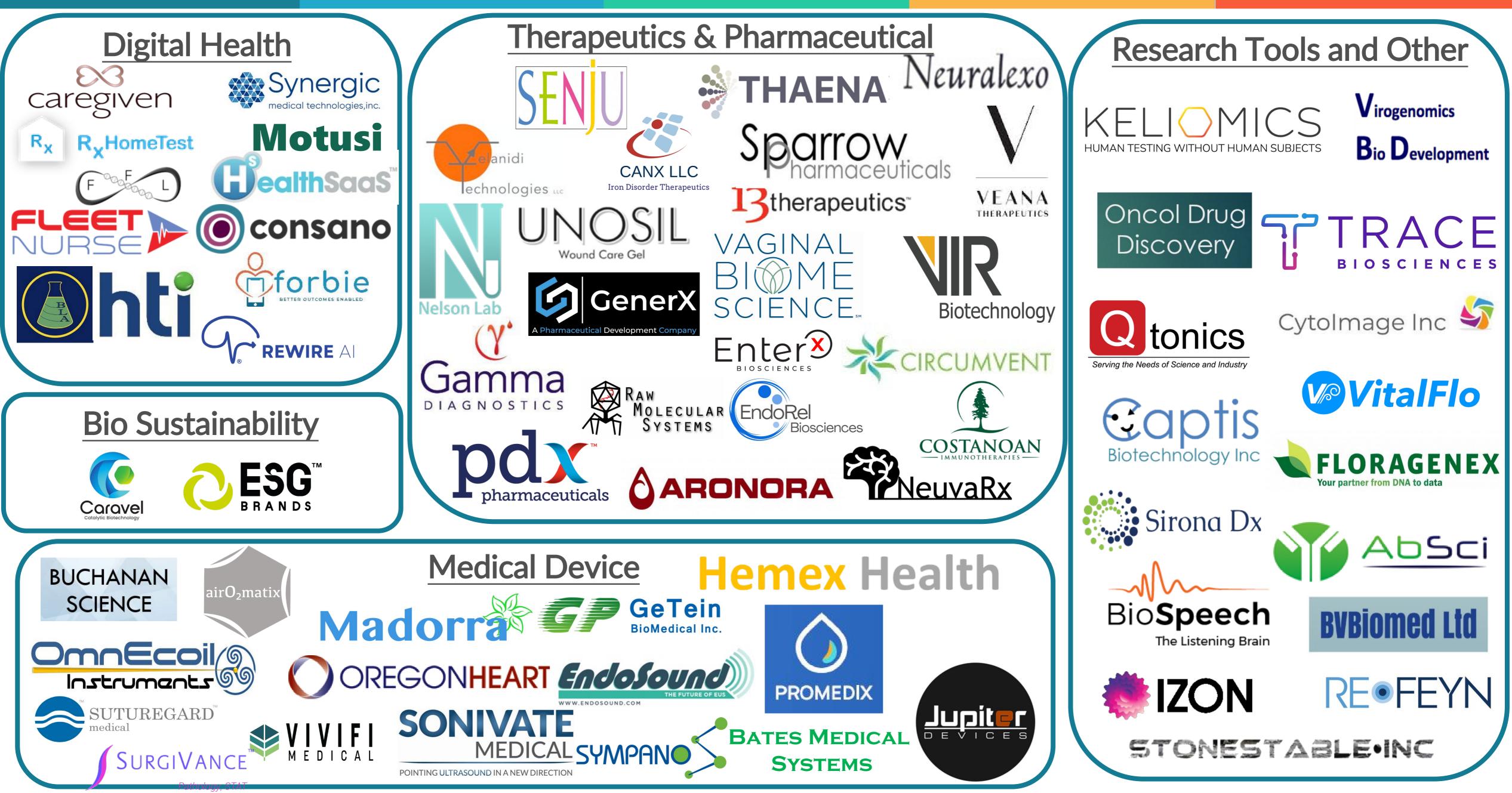
SHARED SCIENTIFIC EQUIPMENT



Current Roster of OBI's 30 Startup Companies in 2024



Retrospective of OBI's 68 Startup Companies 2013 to Current



OBI is a Hub of Bio-Entrepreneurial Collaboration



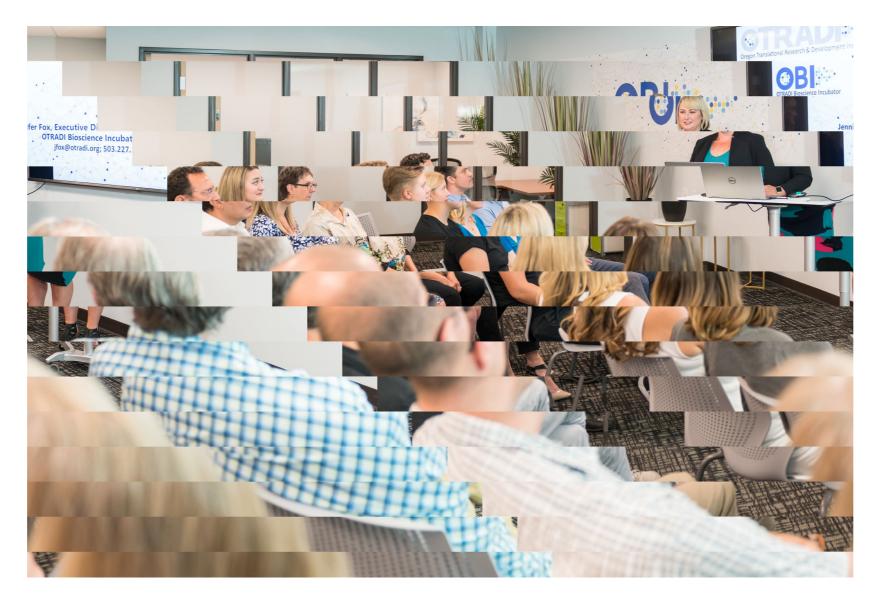


MENTOR NETWORK ENTREPRENEURS IN RESIDENCE





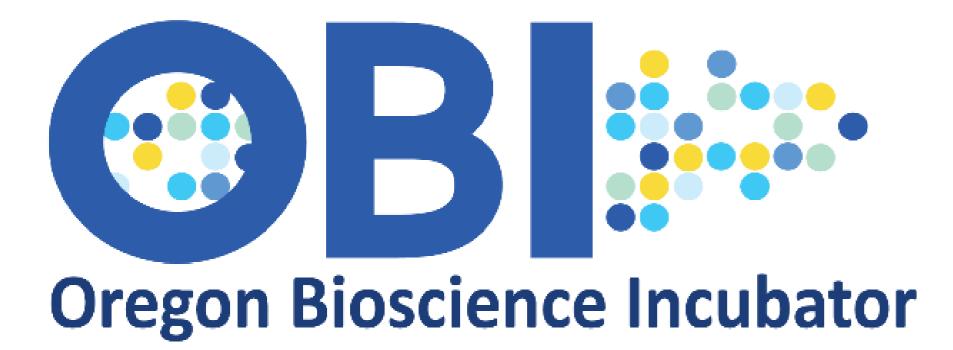
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