Technology Transfer in Life Science
Training workshop (upon invitation)

23rd and 24th February 2022
Phygital event @ Human Technopole

First session - 23rd February

15.00-15.30 Registration of participants and welcome coffee

15.30-15.35 Introductory remarks
Marco Simoni, President Human Technopole

15.35-16.15 Lectio on the impact of research and science
Maria Grazia Roncarolo (tbc), Director of the Centre for Definitive and Curative Medicine and Professor Pediatrics and Medicine, Stanford University

15.35-15.45 Introduction to Technology Transfer
[Fundamental research; IPRs; peculiarity of the Italian TechTransfer system]
Riccardo Pietrabissa, Full Professor of Industrial Bioengineering since 2001 and Rector of the University School for Advanced Studies IUSS Pavia, Founder - Netval (Italian Network of Technology Transfer Offices of Universities and Public Research Organizations)

16.15-16.45 Case Study 1 - Genenta Sciences: a scientist that funds a company. From lab to production
[Case Study presentation - Q&A - Lesson learned - case method approach]
Luigi Naldini (tbc), Co-Founder Genenta and Director Rigenerative Medicine, Stem Cell and Genic Therapy Department, San Raffaele Milano

18.30-19.30 Networking cocktail
[Participants, speakers and HT scientists]

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1 Preliminary information on case studies can be shared with participants for the discussion in class.
Second session - 24th February

10.00-11.15  
**Case Study 2 - Gelesis: a great success with failures**  
[Case Study presentation - Q&A - Lesson learned - case method approach]  
**Alessandro Sannino**, Full Professor Materials Engineering Ordinario di Scienza dei Materiali, Università del Salento, entrepreneur

Coffee break

11.45-13.00  
**Case Study 3 - from research to patent (how and why)**  
[Case Study presentation - Q&A - Lesson learned - case method approach]  
**Christian Stein (tbc)**, Chief Executive Officer Ascenion

13.00-14.30  
*Networking lunch*  
[Participants, speakers and HT scientists]

14.30-15.45  
**Case Study 4 - Telethon: from patent to market (how and why)**  
[Case Study presentation - Q&A - Lesson learned - case method approach]  
**Annamaria Merico**, Head of Technology Transfer Telethon

15.45-16.15  
*Remarks on venture capital financing*  
**Lucia Faccio**, Partner Sofinnova Telethon Fund

16.15-16.45  
*Summary, Key messages and launch of the new Centre for Innovation and Technology Transfer in the field of Life Sciences training activity 2022*  
**Giuseppe Conti**, President - Netval, Head of Administration at the University School for Advanced Studies IUSS Pavia  
**Fabio Terragni**, Member of the Management Committee in charge of TechTransfer Human Technopole

16.45-17.15  
*Conclusions*  
**Iain Mattaj**, Director Human Technopole