



Zurich-Basel Plant Science Center

Innovation seminar: License and patents

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Location: HG G 26.3 (ETH Zürich)

Time: 18:00 – 22:00

Dates: 1.10.2019

Credit Points: -

Course Description:

Part A) Intellectual Property: Patents

- What is a patent?
- What is patentable?
- Examples of inventions.
- What can you do with a patent?
- Useful tips for a the patent search

Part B) Commercialisation of IP

- Licensing of University inventions to University Spin-offs
- Licensing of University inventions to University independent companies
- Useful templates of different agreements

C) Presentation

- Preparation and presentation of your invention summary

Course Program:

Learning Objectives:

You will learn what is patentable and what is the added value of a patent.
You are familiar with the patenting process and you know who to contact.
You are aware of inventions and Spin-off success stories at different Universities.

Prior Knowledge:

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Individual Performance and Assessment: (Work towards own innovation ecosystem)