

6th INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE
ON UNIVERSITY ENTREPRENEURSHIP

“Academic Spin-Offs”

15th-16th June 2006

Santiago de Compostela, SPAIN

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European universities are increasingly becoming a dynamic force in knowledge-based regional development as they develop initiatives with government and industry to create a support structure for new company formation and regional growth.

The emergence of academic entrepreneurship programmes geared to students, researchers and the community at large is a fundamental part of that process.

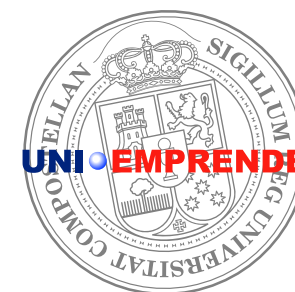
The University of Santiago de Compostela (Spain) presents, on its sixth edition, “The International Conference on University Entrepreneurship: Academic Spin-Offs”. The conference will offer participants the opportunity to discuss and exchange experiences on the entrepreneur field. The main topics to be covered are:

- European policies on R&D
- Entrepreneurial university programs
- Promoting entrepreneurship for researchers
- How to overcome the financial gap

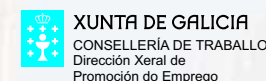
The speakers are all experts in their fields and represent many years of experience from the practitioner and research perspective.



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P R O G R A M

Thursday 15th June 2006
Morning

- 9.45 REGISTRATION
- 10.00 WELCOME
Senén Barro Ameneiro
Rector of the University of Santiago de Compostela
José María Barja
Rector of the University of A Coruña
Carlos Hernández Sande
Director of the Innovation and Technology
Transfer Centre and Director of Uniemprende
Program, University of Santiago de Compostela
- 10.30 CONFERENCE: European Policies on R&D (*)
EZIO ANDRETA
Director of the EC Research Directorate G
(Research Activities for Industrial Production)
Chairman: Carlos Hernández Sande,
Director of the Innovation and Technology
Transfer Centre and Director of Uniemprende
Program, University of Santiago de Compostela
- 11.15 CONFERENCE: Research & Development:
Innovation and Technology Transfer
RAFAEL GÓMEZ DEL VALLE RODRÍGUEZ
Adviser, Directorate-General for Technology Policy,
Education and Science Ministry
Chairman: Salustiano Mato de la Iglesia,
Director-General of the Directorate-General for
Research, Development and Innovation, Regional
Ministry for Innovation and Industry
- 12.00 COFFEE-BREAK
- 12.30 STIMULATING UNIVERSITY
ENTREPRENEURSHIP
Spin-offs promotion at Coimbra University
and Virtual Incubation
PAULO SANTOS, Incubator Director, Pedro Nunes
Institute, Coimbra University
Managing Innovation: an outdated model?
FERNANDO DE LA PUENTE,

(*)The lecture will be in English with simultaneous
translation to Spanish

- Director of CIMA, Navarra University
Chairman: Álvaro Ansias Bacelar,
Director-General of the Directorate-General for
Employment Promotion, Regional Ministry for
Employment
- 14.00 End of morning session
- 14.15 LUNCH

Afternoon

- 16.30 THE UNITED KINGDOM APPROACH:
TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AND INNOVATION
Spin Off's creation in Yorkshire: Universities
of York, Sheffield, Leeds, Bradford and Hull (*)
PETER WHITE, Director of YTKO (CAMBRIDGE)
Chairman: María José Alonso Fernández,
Vice-Rector for Research and Innovation, University
of Santiago de Compostela
- 17.15 Coffee-break
- 18.45 SUCCESSFUL CASES: IRELAND AND
SCOTLAND (*)
PADRAIC DE BURCA, Research Office, The
National University of Ireland.
GORDON EADIE, Director of Startech Partners
Ltd., Glasgow, Scotland.
Chairman: Gustavo Marcos Cancelas,
Manager of Uninova
- 19.30 End of afternoon session
- 21.30 CONFERENCE DINNER

Friday 16th June 2006
Morning

- 10.00 Intellectual Property in Academic Spin Offs
JOSÉ ANTONIO GÓMEZ SEGADE, Professor of
Commercial Law, School of Law, University of
Santiago de Compostela
Chairman: Antonio López Díaz,
Dean of the School of Law, University of
Santiago de Compostela

- 10.30 Financing Innovative Start-ups: Uninvest
JAVIER LÓPEZ MARTÍNEZ,
Member of the board of Uninvest
Chairman: Carlos Gómez Otero,
General Secretary Assistant, University of
Santiago de Compostela
- 11.00 HOW TO FIND TECHNOLOGICAL ENTREPRENEURS
ALFONSO BRAVO JUEGA, Professor of Economy
and History of Economy, School of Economy and
Enterprise, University of Salamanca
JUAN FREIRE BOTANA, University of Coruña,
Professor of Biology, School of Sciences
Chairman: Braulio Pérez Astray, Director of
Innovation Promotion, University of Coruña
Foundation
- 11.45 Coffee-break
- 12:15 Spin-Offs creation in University of
Concepción (Chile)
ANDREA CATALÁN, University of Concepción (Chile)
Chairman: Carlos Hernández Sande,Director
of the Innovation and Technology Transfer
Centre and Director of Uniemprende Program,
University of Santiago de Compostela
- 12.45 Incubation according Quality Standards.
Aenor UNE-EN ISO 9001: 2000
GUSTAVO MARCOS CANCELAS,
Manager of Uninova
Chairman: Martín Pita López,
Regional Delegate of Aenor
- 13.30 Knowledge Transfer according to Fecyt
(Spanish Foundation for Science and
Technology)
JOAN COMELLA, General Director of FECYT
Chairman: Rogelio Conde-Pumpido Tourón,
Director-General of the Directorate-General for
Scientific and Technological Promotion of Galician
Universities, Regional Ministry for Education
- 14.00 End of the conference

CONFERENCE FEE: 200 EUR (VAT included)

The conference fee includes papers, coffees, meals,
conference dinner and a guided visit to the University
of Santiago Heritage.

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