

TUKE Incubator

TUKE Incubator is one of the key components of **business acceleration, technology transfer and innovation ecosystem at TUKE**, which is being built within the concept of University Science Park TECHNICOM. Its aim is to provide incubation environment to ensure the acceleration process for the formation and development of small and medium-sized "Hi-Tech" companies, or "Startup and Spin-off" companies, mainly on the basis of relevant results of research and development carried out within the TUKE research and innovation activities, **which might have passed through the pre-incubation process in the TUKE Startup Centre**. Through the establishment of structures such as the Incubator, TUKE wishes to strongly support the field of innovation and technology transfer by means of quality expert consultancy as well as available high-level research infrastructure and by the whole ecosystem being built on the basis of the emerging University Science Park Technicom.

Upon the establishment of the TUKE Incubator, cooperation with SAA AB, the Swedish company, plays an important role. Thanks to this cooperation, TUKE was given the opportunity to access good practices of Lead, the successful Swedish incubator, in building its own platform for business incubator at TUKE. Cooperation with the business incubator LEAD consisted of the transfer of know-how and practical experience, for example, how to work with companies (entrepreneur startup companies and spinoff companies of already existing businesses), how to set up processes, operation, and activities of various Incubator sections, etc.