

A non-profit consortium of Boston teaching hospitals, laboratories and engineering schools, CIMIT fosters and nurtures interdisciplinary collaboration among world-class experts in medicine, science and engineering, in concert with industry and government, to rapidly improve patient care.

CIMIT provides innovators with resources to explore, develop and implement novel technological solutions for today's most urgent healthcare problems.

CIMIT's mission is based on our firm belief that better health care for people world-wide is within our reach, and that technology can and should be part of the solution.

CIMIT Consortium Members

Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
Boston University/Boston Medical Center
Brigham and Women's Hospital
Children's Hospital Boston
Charles Stark Draper Laboratory
Massachusetts General Hospital
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Newton-Wellesley Hospital
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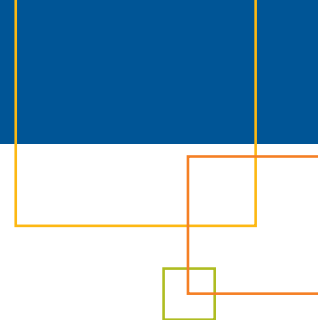
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Gateway to Innovation: Industry Collaborations to Advance Healthcare

“CIMIT has made a tremendous difference in our approach to the healthcare market and has been instrumental in helping us develop vital clinical and business partner relationships.”

Jeff Robbins
Founder and CEO, LiveData, Inc



Industry Liaison Program

What is CIMIT's Industry Liaison Program?

CIMIT's Industry Liaison Program (ILP) facilitates industry collaborations with world-class clinicians and technologists within CIMIT's network of hospitals, laboratories and universities, to accelerate medical technology innovation and implementation.

ILP's mission is to build relationships with industry, catalyze collaboration and accelerate medical advancements for patient care.

- ▶▶ First established industry liaison program within a clinical-based consortium
- ▶▶ A diverse mix of 50 + member companies
- ▶▶ Proven experience and process for:

Forming multi-company collaborations

Supporting small businesses with clinical consultancy and grants

Bringing non-medical companies with enabling or platform technologies to health care



Why Become a Member?

Whether you're a start-up venture or one of the Fortune 500, your company can realize its goals with ILP support.

- ▶▶ Collaborate on truly disruptive innovations that will change the practice, place or practitioner of care
- ▶▶ Leverage a platform technology for multiple clinical applications across healthcare
- ▶▶ Benefit from facilitated introductions and meetings with clinical and technical experts around product development, clinical testing, regulatory and reimbursement strategies
- ▶▶ Participate in strategic initiatives and grant opportunities like Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grants

What Are the Benefits?

Basic annual ILP membership includes:

- ▶▶ Single point of access to CIMIT's consortium network
 - B2B Connections
 - Identification of relevant clinical and technical experts and facilitated introductions
 - Guidance in navigating institutional research and licensing offices
- ▶▶ Insights into clinical challenges and the future of healthcare
 - Abstracts on CIMIT innovations
 - Announcements of weekly CIMIT Forums and other educational events
 - Complimentary registration to annual CIMIT Innovation Congress
- ▶▶ Increased awareness of company within the CIMIT community
 - Announcement distributed to clinical and business community
 - Link through CIMIT website to your company website

Additional customized services such as focus groups, product assessments, and multi-company collaborations are available for members on a fee-for-service basis.

"CIMIT has developed a unique operating model which overcomes the traditional hurdles of multidisciplinary collaboration. This, along with CIMIT's diverse team of experts and impressive portfolio of technologies under development, creates a true culture of innovation."

Harlan Weismann, MD

Chief Science and Technology Officer, Medical Devices & Diagnostics
Johnson & Johnson