

Calling Early-Stage Materials Innovators!

Showcase your technology... Connect with investors & industry professionals

iMatSci Innovation Showcase



2019 **MRS**® FALL MEETING & EXHIBIT

Hynes Convention Center | Boston, Massachusetts
Tuesday, December 3, 2019

Submission Deadline: September 15, 2019
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Interested in being a part of iMatSci this year?

Are you a pre-revenue or seed-stage materials innovator and entrepreneur looking to demonstrate the value of your product to high-level decision makers and materials venture investors? If so, join us for the **iMatSci Innovation Showcase**, where you will have the unprecedented opportunity to meet and interact with industry, R&D leaders and investors who can help to effectively lead your venture to success!

Past participants include Advanced Research Projects Agency-Energy, Air Force Office of Scientific Research, BASF Venture Capital, The Dow Chemical Company, Lockheed Martin, MilliporeSigma, Samsung Research America, Solvay Ventures and more!

Why Get Involved?

Each innovator will be provided with table space at the Hynes Convention Center to present his/her technology or product using various forms of media such as pitch decks, marketing videos, prototypes and executive summaries. In addition, each group will have the opportunity to pitch on stage to strategic partners, technology scouts, accelerators, financiers and collaborators. Presentations will be judged by experienced technology investors and industry professionals.

By participating in iMatSci, innovators will be granted access to:

- **A full schedule of workshops, seminars and panel discussions**, with topics specifically geared toward the success of early-stage innovators.
- **Exclusive networking events**, Q&A sessions and receptions, and one-on-one meeting spaces to interact with potential stakeholders.
- **Resources** including webinars, tip sheets and the **opportunity to practice pitching and to receive feedback from the Chemical Angel Network**.
- **Cash prizes awarded** to the top three most innovative teams and a **\$10,000 investment from the Chemical Angel Network** most likely in the form of a convertible note.

91%



OF INNOVATORS MADE ONE OR MORE FUNDING CONTACTS AT IMATSCI, WITH WHICH THEY HAVE RESUMED FURTHER DIALOG.

How to Participate

To participate, innovators should be:

- Interested in commercializing their technologies
- Able to propose a value proposition for their innovations
- Capable of effectively demonstrating the commercial applications of their technologies through videos or prototypes
- Actively seeking partners, funding and/or paths for commercialization

Online applications will be accepted through **September 15, 2019**, and must be submitted through the iMatSci submission portal at imatsci.mrs.org.

For further information about the submission guidelines, innovators packages, selection criteria, sponsorship opportunities and more, check out the complete iMatSci web page at mrs.org/imatsci.

For questions about iMatSci or to become a sponsor, please contact:

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"We [found the] iMatSci event very useful for our own practice of commercialization. Throughout the pitch sessions, we were closely watching how other start-ups pitched their technologies to the investors and general audience, which was distinctly different from typical academic seminars... In the panel discussion session, the angels, venture capital firms and private equity practices shared valuable insights from the perspective of investors, pointing out what investors are looking for in startups they want to fund. Finally, the participation in the 3-minute fast pitch provided us a great opportunity to advertise our own technology and interact with potential investors. In all, it was a fantastic experience and I would definitely recommend iMatSci to colleagues who are seeking a path to bring their inventions to the market."

– YuHuang Wang, 2018 iMatSci Innovator, Meta-Cooling Technologies

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