

## ***US Study tour program***

### **8th March, Detroit**

- 10-10:30 Randal Charlton, head of TechTown, Detroit (440 Burroughs Street Detroit, MI 48202) – Technology Transfer in TechTown
- 10:30-11:30 Judy Johncocks, head of WSU Technology Transfer and Entrepreneurial Programs and Eric Stief of WSU Entrepreneurial Programs – Methods and effects of entrepreneurial courses
- 11:30-12:30 Next Energy, Nancy Cappola, TechTown Softlandings - focus on renewable energies - "Wayne State Front Door" /Access for companies to the appropriate faculty members to collaborate/
- 12:30- 13:30 Lunch
- 13:30-16:00 Learning workshop, CERIM Case Studies and Scouting of Innovations /Suggestions of TechTown TTO for CERIM members on the approach of various possibilities/

### **9th March, Detroit**

- 10h-11h James Eliason, Central European Ventures
- 11-12h Anne DiSanti, Technology Transfer Expert
- 12-13h Lunch
- 13h30 Tour of TechTown and Wayne State University, Karmanos Cancer Institute and the Smart Sensors Institute in Engineering
- 17h - Dinner in the Hungarian Rhapsody

### **10th March, Detroit - Boston**

Flight to Boston – arrival at 4PM to Boston.

Evening meeting

## **11th March, Boston**

- 8h30-10h Case study: collaboration of Johnson&Johnson and Vanderbilt University; Brigham Woman's Hospital, Harvard, 75 Francis Street Boston, MA 02115.
- 11-11h30 Case Study: working with GE Healthcare – Peter Jakab; Brigham Woman's Hospital, Harvard, 75 Francis Street Boston, MA 02115.
- 12- 14h30 Massachusetts Biotechnology Council, Peter Abair, Director, Economic Development & Global Affairs (Massachusetts Biotechnology Council, One Cambridge Center, Ninth Floor, Cambridge, MA 02142)
- 15 -17h Boston University – Paul McManus, Director of Management, Boston University and Vinit Nijhawan, head of the Boston University Technology Transfer Office.; 53 Bay State Road; Boston, MA 02215
- 17h Coctail reception in the Boston University

## **12th March, Boston**

- 10-12h Kenneth Goldman, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Manager of Corporate Relations; Office of Corporate Relations; Location: MIT Visitors Center, 292 Main Street, 5th floor, Cambridge, MA
- 14-16h Lita Nelsen, Director of Technology Licensing Office, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Five Cambridge Center, Kendall Square; Room NE25-230; Cambridge, MA 02142-1493