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Chair: İrem Dikmen Toker, ODTÜ

Achieving Impact through Collaboration
Catriona Manville, Senior Analyst, RAND Europe, Cambridge, UK

Entrepreneurial Universities and University-Industry Relationships – is the Triple Helix model still valid?
Dirk Meissner, Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge / Department of Educational-Programmes, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia

Coffee Break

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Firms’ Innovation-Oriented Collaboration with Specific Universities: Does Geographical Distance Matter?
Ina Drejer and Christian Richter Østergaard, Department of Business and Management, Aalborg University, Aalborg, Denmark

University-Industry Relations: Different Solutions to Common Problems
Semih Akçomak, ODTÜ-TEKPOL, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey

Evolution of Technopark Policy in Turkey: Political Influences and their Implications
Huseyin Emrah Karaoğuz, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

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Chair: Ina Drejer, Department of Business and Management

Industry-Academia Collaboration for E-Government Service Development: Learning from Practice of Innovative TÜRKSAT-University Case
Tunç Medeni, Yıldırım Beyazıt University
Halil Yeşilçimen, Türksat, Ankara, Turkey

Entrepreneurial Universities Comparison of Pre-Incubation activities in the universities of EU and Turkey
Emek Barış Kepenek, Başkent University, Department of Sociology, Ankara, Turkey

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Chair: Arsev Umur Aydınoğlu, ODTÜ-TEKPOL

Drivers and Barriers for University-Industry Interactions in Turkish Space and Aeronautical Industry
Serkan Özgen, Middle East Technical University, Turkey
Osman Soylu, Undersecretariat for Defence Industry, Turkey
Özcan Başoğlu, Directorate General of Civil Aviation, Turkey

Dinner (venue: Cadir Kebab, Teknokent)

Session III
Chair: Catriona Manville, RAND Europe

High-Growth Firms in Turkey As a Policy Option
Murat Demirez, Science and Technology Policy Studies, Middle East Technical University and KOSGEB, Ankara, Turkey

Stakeholder Building Processes of R&D based Startups: The Case of Techno-entrepreneurs in Turkey
Elif Kalaycı, Atılım University, Department of Economics and SAEL Laboratory, Ankara, Turkey

Promoting Academic Entrepreneurship in Africa: Issues, Challenges and Strategic Options
Caleb M. Adelowo, African Institute for Science Policy and Innovation, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria

Coffee Break

Session IV
Chair: Semih Akçomak, ODTÜ-TEKPOL

Catching-up and the Role of University/Industry Linkages in Emerging Economies: Case of Turkey
Erkan Erdil, ODTÜ-TEKPOL Research Center and Department of Economics, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey

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Drivers and Barriers for University-Industry Interaction in Turkish Interfaces
Murat Akman, Boğaziçi University, Turkey
Kuzeyhan Özdemir, Bilkent University, Turkey
Prof. Dr. Erhan Akın, TGBD, Turkey

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19:00 - 22:30 Dinner (venue: *Cadir Kebab*, Teknokent)

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