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How to promote bi-directional mobility of knowledge between engineering industries and academia



Vision and Aims	Cooperation between Kaunas university of technology and the Lithuanian engineering industries association LINPRA serves as an example of bi-directional mobility of knowledge between engineering industries and academia. The university creates a link between science and business, ensuring a smooth mutual cooperation, commercialization of the latest innovations and science-business cooperation in various projects and initiatives. On the other hand, LINPRA encourages R&D synergy between science institutions and business, moderates the start of business activity between enterprises, science and foreign partners. Such activities create a platform to network, discuss and create new products and solutions via joint programs and projects.
Target Audience	Researchers, young scientists, SME's, large international corporations.
Key Features	<p>Kaunas University of Technology (KTU) is offering a wide range of technology-related studies and research is well-known for maintaining enduring relationships with business and industry. KTU sets the priority on the facilitation of science-business relationship with a significant incentive for business and state companies to participate in joint projects and initiatives with the University. Successful cooperation with Lithuanian and foreign-owned companies prompted to apply good practices in expansion of the University's areas of activities.</p> <p>The University is open for all scientists, researchers, students and entrepreneurs. It aims to facilitate the provision of high quality research services to business and industry acting as a "one-stop-shop" for interaction and contact, and making science-business communication more efficient.</p> <p>The Lithuanian engineering industries association LINPRA aims to improve the business environment and competitiveness of companies in the engineering industry – empower them to act efficiently and sell more. LINPRA's goal is to increase business competitiveness and internationalization, improve export of products and services, increase the synergy between scientists and engineers activity.</p>
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