

Technology transfer school:

“The Technology Transfer Process: Translating Extracellular RNA Research into the Market”. Palermo, May 20-22, 2024

Dear COST community,

We are delighted to welcome you to a three-day Technology Transfer workshop, an event that promises to unravel the intricacies of translating cutting-edge extracellular RNA (exRNA) research into tangible market solutions. In a rapidly evolving technological landscape, the ability to bridge the gap between groundbreaking scientific discoveries and real-world applications is crucial for fostering innovation and driving societal impact.

Our three-day journey aims to equip you with the skills, knowledge, and networks necessary to navigate the technology transfer process successfully. The fusion of scientific innovation and market penetration is the stimulus for societal progress, and we believe that by harnessing the potential of extracellular RNA research, we can pave the way for transformative advancements. We are confident that your participation in this Technology Transfer School will empower you to contribute to the ever-expanding landscape of technological innovation in this field.

The preliminary program will be organized into sessions that comprehensively cover the following key topics, ensuring a holistic understanding of the technology transfer process:

- Brief overview of Extracellular RNA: Unraveling the mysteries of exRNA and its potential applications.
- Current Landscape: Understanding the challenges and opportunities in the field.
- Technology Transfer Essentials: Fundamentals of transitioning from lab research to market applications.
- Legal Considerations: Intellectual property protection and navigating regulatory landscapes.
- Funding Strategies: Exploring avenues for financial support to bring your research to market.
- How to pitch: Understanding the key components of a successful pitch
- Practical Workshops: Hands-on activities to apply technology transfer concepts.

Thank you for joining us, and we anticipate an inspiring and transformative experience in the heart of Palermo.