The Partners for Innovation, Ventures, Outreach & Technology (PIVOT) Center is the U's centralized office for:

- technology commercialization
- corporate engagement
- economic development

As the U's technology transfer office (now a division of PIVOT) PIVOT Center assists inventors in bringing their innovations to market. PIVOT Center fosters partnerships between industry, university and government entities, thus increasing the U’s impact on Utah’s economy by catalyzing innovation.

AVERAGE ANNUAL DISCLOSURES: 200+
LIFETIME STARTUPS: 300+
LIFETIME LICENSES: 500+
UTAH JOBS CREATED: 37,000+
ISSUED PATENTS: 1,300+
PRODUCTS TO MARKET SINCE 2000: 755

NOTABLE SPINOUTS:

**myriad®**

**Recursion Pharmaceuticals**

**BIOMÉRIEUX COMPANY**

**STARTUP 360™**

PIVOT Center offers a comprehensive array of programs to support each facet of a company’s early stages of growth - we call it StartUp 360™. These programs "surround" a startup company with experienced entrepreneurs, investors, services and relationships. Every company we support has exclusive and customized access to StartUp 360™ that helps prepare and position them for success.

**UNIVERSITY SEED FUND**

The University of Utah Seed Fund fills a funding gap in the commercialization process between invention disclosure and the license of a technology. The funds are awarded to accomplish critical commercialization milestones for technologies invented at the U (which are not yet licensed), in order to attract licensees, entrepreneurs and investors. The funding process is managed by PIVOT Center based upon milestone-based commercialization projects.

PIVOT Center provides comprehensive commercialization support to faculty, students and staff:

- Invention management
- Intellectual property management
- Licensing
- Startup formation and support
- Equity management
- Early stage funding

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