The BridgeTech Program is an award-winning professional development program for effectively navigating the medtech commercialisation pathway. Convened and administered by QUT, the program is supported by a consortium of partners including leading medtech companies, universities and industry associations. It leverages partner expertise and global connections to equip participants with the skills and networks they need to take new medtech to market.

THE BENEFITS
Participants can:
- Access interactive online learning materials delivered by QUT at their own pace from anywhere around Australia.
- Connect with representatives from our industry partner organisations.
- Hear from high-profile speakers in our seminar series. Past speakers include international industry leaders like Fiona Wood and executives from Siemens, SpeeDx, Brandwood CKC, Cochlear and Ellume.
- Network with an alumni community of over 700 industry professionals at events including our three-day residential Symposium.
- Pitch ideas or products and receive invaluable feedback from industry experts in our PitchTech competition. Winners receive a fully-funded industry immersion experience.
- There are no fees. Our program is completely funded by industry partners and government as part of an initiative to grow Australia’s medtech industry capabilities.

WHO PARTICIPATES
Up to 80 participants are selected annually from across Australia. The program is suited to professionals looking to expand their commercialisation knowledge and networks, including:
- medtech inventors, entrepreneurs and innovators
- mid-career researchers and scientists
- clinicians and healthcare workers
- venture capitalists
- legal practitioners including IP lawyers and patent attorneys
- business development managers and tech transfer professionals
- staff from government agencies

Experience in the sector and a demonstrated interest in medtech commercialisation is essential.

MORE INFORMATION
Scan the QR code or visit our website to find out more about the BridgeTech Program:
research.qut.edu.au/bridgetech/apply

The BridgeTech Program helped me to better understand the business of translating research, which has directly informed my work. It was excellent for gaining insight into the commercial process and path to market for therapeutics and diagnostic technologies. The program helped me establish connections through networking opportunities, and to grow and maintain relationships with potential partners and investors.