

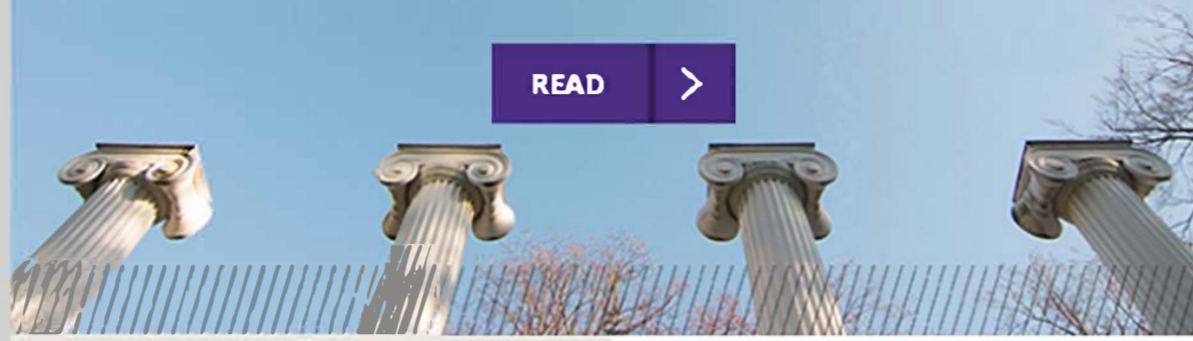
CoMotion at the University of Washington is the collaborative innovation hub dedicated to expanding the economic and societal impact of the UW community and beyond.

A NOTE FROM OUR VICE PRESIDENT

OUR MISSION DEFINED

The four fundamental ways CoMotion guides innovation toward the greatest impact.

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IP ADVISING, PROTECTION & LICENSING

We guide UW researchers, faculty, and students on their path to potential license, startup, or service.



INNOVATION TRAINING

We deliver just-in-time learning opportunities around all types of innovation.



FUNDING & PARTNERSHIPS

We provide mentorship, funding, and networks to improve commercialization success.



STARTUPS & INCUBATION

We support startup creation, launch, and incubation.



IP ADVISING, PROTECTION & LICENSING



Preparing children for success: The EarlyEdU Alliance

A recent gift from the Bezos Family Foundation is helping Associate Professor Gail E. Joseph and her UW team successfully develop this program benefiting early educators.

[Read more about the Bezos gift to UW educators.](#)



UW spinout C-SATS co-founder wins School of Medicine Inventor of the Year

Thomas Lendvay, MD, co-founder of C-SATS – the UW CoMotion spinout recently acquired by Johnson & Johnson – was awarded the Inventor of the Year award by the UW School of Medicine. This event also featured eight UW technologies in the annual CoMotion Innovator Showcase.

[Learn more about the winning technology from the UW Department of Biochemistry.](#)

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INNOVATION TRAINING

UW researchers put on their business hats

In this workshop, UW innovators learn to think more like a business person, and reflect on what kind of commercialization path their work could take.

[Read more about CoMotion's Idea to Plan workshop.](#)



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Imagine Mobility Ideathon yields inspired solutions

UW students participated in a hackathon-inspired "Ideathon" to come up with novel solutions to tackle Seattle's growing traffic problem.

[Learn how their ideas may help us get through the "Period of Maximum Constraint"](#)



UW CoMotion launches fintech incubator with BECU

BECU, Washington's largest community credit union, has teamed up with CoMotion at the University of Washington to create a fintech hub in the Seattle region, which includes the launch of the BECU FinTech Incubator at CoMotion Labs.

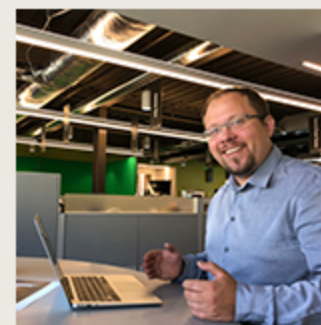
[Learn which startups are the first two members, about an upcoming competition, and more.](#)

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CoMotion Labs startup pilots VR anatomy course at UW School of Dentistry

CoMotion Labs member, Sandis Kondrats from Anatomy Next, connected with faculty from the UW School of Dentistry to pilot his VR anatomy course.

[Read more about how Anatomy Next brought VR to the UW School of Dentistry.](#)



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NEWS



CoMotion-supported startups and partners make headlines

- UW spinout **BluHaptics** rebrands to Olis Robotics and acquires White Marsh Forests machine learning. [Read more in GeekWire.](#)
- CS&E PhD candidate **Rajalakshmi Nandakumar** honored with 2018 Marconi Society Young Scholar Award. [Read more on The Marconi Society.](#)
- UW spinout **Membrion** raises \$1.8M for molecule filter technology. [Read more in GeekWire.](#)
- Meet the biochemist **engineering proteins from scratch**. [Read more in Discover Magazine.](#)
- UW launches **fintech incubator with BECU**. [Read more in GeekWire.](#)
- UW spinout **Split Bio** raises \$1.2M for next-generation RNA sequencing technology. [Read more in GeekWire.](#)
- **Imagine Mobility Ideathon** produces solutions for the future of Seattle transportation. [Read more in The Seattle Times.](#)
- **Universal Cells** COO shares how she went from struggling student to startup founder. [Read more in GeekWire.](#)

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EVENTS

Nearly all CoMotion events are free and open to everyone. Feel inspired to pursue a great idea? Want to meet other entrepreneurs? Join us!



11/9

RAISING CAPITAL

Hear angel investor, Susan Preston, present at this week's Fundamentals for Startups



11/14

CARBS & COFFEE

Join us for breakfast and networking with the Seattle entrepreneurial community



11/27

COMOTION CONNECT

A gathering for the UW community to learn how CoMotion helps move innovations from idea to impact



11/30

MAKE A WINTER STOCKING

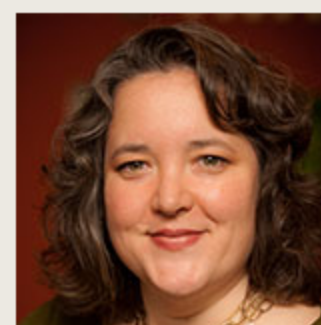
Get creative and make your own winter stocking at the CoMotion MakerSpace!

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MEET A COMOTION TEAM MEMBER

JENNIFER McCULLAR

This month meet Jennifer McCullar. She's one of our Innovation Managers, and works with UW researchers in Life Sciences, Genomics Sequencing, Therapeutics, Software, and Training. She's helped teams and startups like Bellweather Bio from Genomics, SPLIT-seq from the Allen School, EarlyEdu Alliance from the College of Education, and the "Ask A" project with Ross Reynolds from KUOW.



Our Innovation managers provide expert guidance to UW researchers through the journey from idea to market impact with services like coaching the funding application process, advising on patent filings and maintenance, negotiating IP agreements, facilitating mentor connections, and more.

JOIN THE JOURNEY

Our CoMotion team guides UW innovators along the journey from idea to impact

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