Happy Holidays

From all of us at CoMotion, we wish you a joyful season and a year of good cheer!

IP Advising, Protection & Licensing

CoMotion Connect shares valuable insights from experienced entrepreneurs.

Five ways CoMotion Innovation Training helps entrepreneurs thrive

Did you know we offer training for all stages of the innovation process? From developing an innovation mindset to understanding customers to funding, your idea, and more.

Read more about the many training programs offered by CoMotion.

Funding & Partnerships

CoMotion DubPitch connects entrepreneurs with potential funders.

CoMotion Innovation Gap Fund supports UW innovations.

Each year, up to $1M is awarded to UW researchers to bridge the gap between ideas and impact. Find out which teams were in the Fall 2018 CoMotion Innovation Gap Fund competition.

Startups & Incubation

CoMotion Labs startup creates smartphone apps that record and report health data to physicians.

CoMotion Labs startup Humuncula provides a marketplace for code that was designed for a single application but can be reconfigured to be compatible with common systems and devices.

News

CoMotion-supported startups make headlines.
EVENTS

Everyday, Celebration events are free and open to everyone. Feel inspired to pursue your great idea! Want to meet other entrepreneurs? Join us!

1/11
FUNDING WITH SBR/STTR

Use Celebration’s Do Jeanne Enk shares information on how to tap into the $3.5B in SBR/STTR grants and contact.

5/18
COMOTION LABS PUBLIC TOUR

Join us for the afternoon or a specific lab to learn more about Celestial’s latest spaces. Your hosts at 5:30 p.m. for a tour.

5/18
WHAT DO ANGEL INVESTORS LOOK FOR?

Serial entrepreneur Sue Lam shares insights on how to get an angel investor to invest in your business.

2/1
GETTING INTO AN ACCELERATOR

Cris DeFazio, Managing Director of Techstars Seattle, outlines what it takes to get noticed by elite accelerators.

MEET A COMOTION TEAM MEMBER

SARA SORMESTER

This month, meet Sara Sormester, Financial Manager at Celestial. A U of M School of Business alumna and Pacific Northwest native, Sara has worked at Celestial for 17 years, through a number of office name changes and two building moves. She got her start in accounts payable and eventually became manager of Celestial’s finance, in addition to budgeting, managing staff and working on process improvements. Sara is the public records request liaison and handles investor revenue distributions.

Sara says: “I love working at COMOTION. It’s a great mix of accounting, working with people, and helping to support the great innovators coming out of the U of M. It’s a job that never gets boring.”

JOIN THE JOURNEY

Our Celebration team guides you on your journey from idea to impact.

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