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## Science valleys and technological incubators of Alexandria University

This is one of the goals of the community service and environmental development sector strategy to investment in the existing scientific, innovative and administrative capabilities and expertise available at the university.

It is also part of the university vision and goals , where the university realized that its strength lies in the scientific and intellectual capacity of its youth and in turn will lead to the formulation of investment of innovations and promotion of cooperation with international institutions and industrial sector with the focus investment emerging in industries or markets.

A dedicated committee is initiated for the science valley with the role of transferring ideas, innovations and research outputs to emerging technology companies as spin-offs. This role is in line with the National Strategy for Science, Technology and Innovation 2030. This committee pays an important role in catalyzing to raise the level of scientific capabilities and achieve optimal investment of available resources and competition with their products in global and regional markets.

### General objectives of the committee

- Promoting innovation, technology development, transfer and marketing in cooperation between local and international stakeholders, in order to support the knowledge-based economy and to access home-made products.
- Enhancing the utilization of the university's current resources to establish technology incubators in cooperation with industrial entities.
- Study the applications submitted by the university to establish valleys, technological incubators and companies, and make sure that they are used to achieve the university's vision

#### Pillars:

- The National Strategy for Science, Technology and Innovation 2030
- Law No. 1 of 2019 establishing the Innovators and Innovators Care Fund
- Science, Technology and Innovation Incentives Law No. 23 of 2018 and its implementing regulations.
- The guidelines for establishing technology incubators within the framework of the National Program for Technology Incubators (INTALAQ) issued in January 2020.

The valleys of science and technology are the avenue where technology incubators and companies have emerged, aiming to promote innovation, technology development, transfer, and marketing in cooperation between local and international stakeholders, in order to support the knowledge-based economy, and to access home-made products, referred to in this bylaw as medicines.

#### Technological incubators

Laboratories and entities supporting scientific research and innovation that are established for the purpose of providing business services and technical and scientific facilities for scientific research projects, support mechanisms and technical consultations for innovators and emerging companies through the outputs of scientific research, in order to reach prototypes that can be manufactured.