

Affiliated Partner Program – Terms & Conditions Knowledge Institutes

Cases (inventions/ ideas) for potential startups are scouted and selected for the TTT-AI program (Pillar 1/ Venture Building) by the Knowledge Transfer Office (KTO) of the Affiliated Partner.

The KTO of the affiliated partner can propose a case to the TTT-AI Business Developers (BD) Team for support using an intake form from the website and enclosing any other relevant information any time. It is to the sole consideration of the TTT-AI BD team to decide whether a proposed case is accepted into the TTT-AI program. However, the acceptance shall not be unreasonably withheld and based on clear criteria published on the TTT-AI website. The main criterium is that it should be feasible to develop the case into an investor-ready AI venture within one year.

Package for the Affiliated Partners

Once the TTT-AI BD team accepts a proposed case from an Affiliated Partner, the Affiliated Partner will be granted access to the following “Affiliated Partner Package” of TTT-AI pillar 1 activities and facilities:

1. Early investigation of crossovers and aggregation opportunities.
2. Preparing a joint Plan of Action (PAO) by KTO and TTT-AI BD which is a plan outlining the steps towards the new venture.
3. Advice and support by TTT-AI BD on team / team formation, potentially bringing in extra team members from the network.
4. Executing POA, including case guidance/ build on uses cases from partners : continuous advice by TTT-AI BD team on case development (joint effort in venture building program).
5. Access to TTT-AI network of mentors, specialists, entrepreneurs and venture builders.
6. Access to TTT-AI network for technology, applications, use cases and data.
7. Access to TTT-AI incubation programs, trainings, workshops and events.

Collaboration and Reciprocity

The Affiliated Partner is expected to assign at least one of their business developer to the case. This business developer and the KTO of the Affiliated Partner remains solely responsible and liable for the execution of the POA and case development.

Upon accepting the case, the TTT-AI BD team and KTO of the Affiliated Partner shall agree on an estimated amount of hours to be invested by the TTT-AI BD team regarding point 1-4 above. This is an obligation of reasonably best effort on the part of the TTT-AI BD Team and the Affiliated Partner that cannot rely on any expectation regarding certain results. It remains an estimation and intention and does not comprise an actual offer that can be claimed by the Affiliated Partner. The activities mentioned under points 5-7 above are continuous and should always be facilitated by the TTT-AI BD team.

By proposing a case to the TTT-AI BD team, the Affiliated Partner also grants the TTT-AI consortium access to their network (the activities under points 5-7 are reciprocal) unless the technology, applications, use cases and/or data can reasonably be deemed confidential or business sensitive, or if the Affiliated Partner is under an obligation or confidentiality to a third party.