



The Center for Entrepreneurial Innovation (CEI) offers award-winning business incubation, startup resources and workforce development training to innovators at every stage of growth. With two central locations in Phoenix and virtual programming that spans a wide range of industries, we provide hands-on support when it's needed most.

Business Incubation

CEI's business incubator helps bioscience, medical device, sustainable tech, and high-tech startups get from R&D to commercialization. Prospective clients can apply online to be considered for our resident program or affiliate program. Applications are reviewed on an ongoing basis and candidates undergo an extensive selection process before being selected to join CEI's incubator.

Resident

- 18 - 36 months
- Long-term support with a customized business roadmap
- An office and/or lab onsite

Affiliate

- 3 - 6 months
- Hands-on coaching to achieve an established outcome
- Access to CEI's shared facilities

Entrepreneurship Training

CEI offers training and one-on-one mentorship for entrepreneurs that are focused on specific phases in business. These courses are offered periodically throughout the year and each cohort comes together over 4 - 12 weeks, either in person or virtually. Below are the first three of six programs that will be available in 2021.

Market Validation Essentials

An 8-week, research-based program that helps you make sure your business idea has a solid market fit before launching.

Capital Cure

A practical approach to securing startup investment, led by Mark Schwartz, PhD.

Founders Sales Series

A 4-part course that gives you hands-on experience building sales skills and a sales team for your startup.

Contact

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Business Incubator on the GateWay Community College Campus

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CEI LabForce

Training center, co-working and event space at the Phoenix Biomedical Campus

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