Innovation Advancement Clinic

The Innovation Advancement Program (IAP) is an innovative program that pairs inventors, technology entrepreneurs, tech transfer professionals, and emerging technology companies with some of ASU’s brightest law students.

Students help entrepreneurs with technology start-up efforts by:

- Defining and resolving legal solutions for tech startups
- Drafting contractual solutions to startup-related legal issues
- Performing intellectual property analyses.
- Advising on business entity formation issues
- Analyzing technology related issues and providing legal opinions
- Recommending commercialization strategies
- Learning how to practice law and manage client deliverables with practicing lawyers

Course Information and Time Commitment

- Law students must complete 300 clinic hours during the semester, including class time of 20 hours per week
- Students receive six units of credit
  - Two hours graded/seminar
  - Four hours pass/fail client
  - 10 - 15 hours per week on project(s)
- Two-hour seminar each week (ATTENDANCE REQUIRED)
- Four student scheduled ‘office hours’ per week at IAP Clinic Space M-TH, between 8 am and 5 pm

To Apply: law.asu.edu/innovation-clinic