

Oulu Innovation Alliance — City-University-VTT Partnership to Commercialise Research

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Quality score: 62/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Since 2009 the City of Oulu, University of Oulu, Oulu UAS, VTT and Technopolis have run a renewed alliance (to 2027); in 2024 the university logged 72 invention disclosures.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured results	1/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	2/3
Scalability	1/3
Sustainability / continuity	3/3
Innovation	2/3
Inclusiveness / equity	1/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	3/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-10-19

[Oulu Innovation Alliance \(City of Oulu, University of Oulu, Oulu UAS, VTT, Technopolis\)](#) — accessed 2026-10-19

[Interreg Europe good practice](#) — accessed 2026-10-19

[University of Oulu 2024 innovation milestones](#) — accessed 2026-10-19

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