**Technology Entrepreneur at the Siemens Technology-to-Business Center, Berkeley, California (USA)**

Bridge the Technology-Business Gap

One of the greatest rewards of a career in engineering is to see your ideas impact the lives of real people. Unfortunately, most doctoral studies do not train young innovators in how to push their ideas through to this ultimate goal. Many young technologists endure years of seeing their best ideas shelved before learning these skills. The Siemens Technology-to-Business Center (TTB), in Berkeley, California offers a new program to bring entrepreneurship training to graduating doctoral students.

The program is an opportunity for a recent doctoral graduate to learn and practice entrepreneurial business development, based on his or her own technical expertise, and includes coursework, entrepreneurial training, and real business development with our Venture Technologists. The two essential goals of this assignment are: first, to learn entrepreneurial business processes that will aid in defining and validating a potential innovation, and second, to take an innovation and build it into a real Siemens business.

TTB pursues research broadly in the domains of information, communication and automation, and interested candidates from any of those domains are encouraged to apply.

**Applicants should submit:**

(1) Technology description (2 pages). Applicants should describe their doctoral research with an emphasis on the following points: what is the innovation; how it is different from previous approaches; how it has been proven or tested; and what commercial uses are foreseen.
(2) Curriculum Vitae. Applicants should list and describe past experiences and qualifications. No personal photos please!
(3) One technical paper related to their doctoral work, preferably refereed and published.

All submissions must be in English. Applicants must have completed a doctoral degree in engineering, computer science, or a related field, or be in the final year of such a degree program.

Top applicants will be invited to our Post-Doctoral workshop, a chance to learn some basic business skills and get to know the TTB team.

Please submit your complete application by March 12, 2007 to **TTB-jobs.SCR@Siemens.com**

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