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Course location and date:

Fit With I-Corps Teams Program Requirement

Enter one answer for each row in the final column. Team should be entirely in "Ready" column before applying.

	Not a fit	Could be a future fit	Ready for I-Corps Teams
Have NSF lineage	Have no prior NSF research grant related to this tech AND/OR I-Corps Site or Node has declined to nominate.	Node/Site has indicated willingness to nominate, if team completes regional course and can get into alignment with all other NSF criteria.	Have a prior NSF research grant related to this technology AND/OR has completed a regional course and received a confirmed nomination from a Node or Site.
Deep technology innovation	Not "deep technology" — does not stem from fundamental research in science or engineering AND/OR not a "technology innovation" — tech is not novel; it is a remix, or a new market application, of existing technology.	Is "deep technology" because it does stem from fundamental research in science or engineering, BUT not sure if it would be considered a novel "technology innovation."	Is "deep technology" because it does stem from fundamental research in science or engineering, AND is a novel "technology innovation" with potential to innovate the field where it will be applied.
Science is validated	In the "idea" phase. Have a vision for how technology may work, but have not started to work on it yet.	In the "science" phase. Work has started, but still need to validate whether the underlying technology/ science works.	In the "engineering" phase. Underlying science is validated, working on prototype.
Intellectual property (IP) exists	Have not created any original work that could be protected by patent, copyright, etc.	Have started to create original work but it's not yet certain if there will be any IP to protect with a patent, copyright, etc.	Have created original work that could potentially be protected with a patent, copyright, etc.
Have right to pursue commercialization	Someone outside of the team or sponsoring university owns the IP.	Not sure yet if IP is owned by the team or sponsoring university, but it is one of them.	Team member owns IP, or supporting university owns it and has given team permission to pursue commercialization.
Qualified team with time to participate	Team does not think it can find three people who fit the role requirements and can commit the required time.	Team has an EL and has some leads for qualified TL and IM who can commit the time.	Team has identified EL, TL, and IM who fit the role requirements and can commit the time.

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