



Jump
Startup for Women

JUMP STARTUP FOR WOMEN IN DEEPTECH

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Catalan business delegation
on mission to Boston from September 10th to 13th, 2024

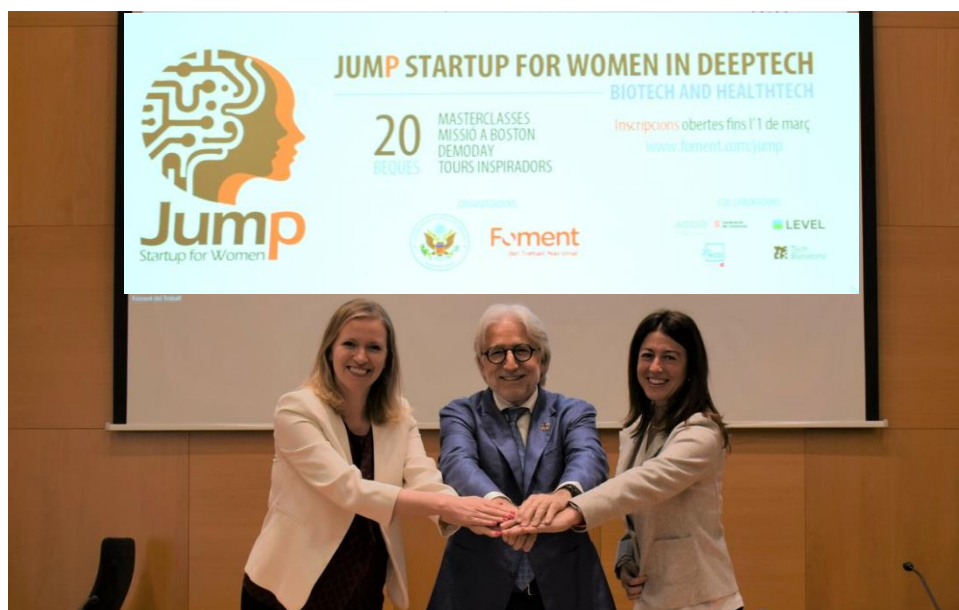
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Jump Startup for Women in DeepTech: Biotech and Healthtech

Foment has a long history of supporting entrepreneurs. Specifically, **we have been collaborating with the US Consulate General in Barcelona since 2020, promoting startups led by women.**

Thanks to this collaboration, and with the support of the consulate, **we have created three editions of the Academy for Women Entrepreneurs (AWE) which has led to the creation this year of the Jump Startup for Women**, our first program focused on a specific sector such as health.



Press conference to present the Jump Startup for Women programme with the participation of Foment's President, the US Consul General of the United States in Barcelona and the Innovation Director at Foment.

The 20 women entrepreneurs participating in the program are basically working in biotechnology and have already raised more than 40 million euros adding public funding and private investment (in fact, these figures have already been exceeded because this July one of the entrepreneurs has obtained +10 million euros from the European Commission).

The goal of the program is to empower and foster growth of Women Entrepreneurs with startups, spin offs and scale ups in health and biotech in Spain. **This program will promote women-led entrepreneurship in health and biotech sectors, favoring their growth and international presence by offering top masterclasses and building synergies** with key stakeholders to better integrate them to the health and biotech of the American and Catalan ecosystems.

The main objective of the Mission to Boston, focused on Biotech and eHealth sectors, is to **build business contacts between both countries, to find technology partners, to debate around challenges and opportunities of AI for companies, to meet potential investors**, and in general, to look for international cooperation in research and innovation projects.

The program has the **support of the Catalan Government —through its agency for business competitiveness ACCIÓ—, LEVEL, the RCD law firm, and Tech Barcelona.**



The 20 women entrepreneurs selected for the Jump Startup for Women grant.

"The aim of this program is to **give visibility to female talent in strategic sectors such as biotech and foster new commercial connections with the United States** and, specifically, with Boston, one of the most important innovation hubs in the world" expressed the US Consul General of the United States in Barcelona, Katie Stana.



Catalan business delegation on mission to Boston

The mission to Boston will be led by Foment's president **Josep Sánchez Llibre**, executive director Laureà Folch, innovation director Maria Mora, communication director Marta Suarez, international director Kilian Garcia and Thais Carrera, member of the innovation department.

In addition to the members of Foment and the participants of the Jump Startup for Women, **representatives of the sponsors will also join the business mission**. They are Miquel Martí, CEO of Tech Barcelona; Ignasi Costas, Founder of the law firm RCD; Miriam Ramos, Head of Communications & Public Relations of LEVEL.



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Attached is a description of the Jump Startup for Women participants with a brief description of their companies:



Nuria Antolí

NURAFRAMES

NURAFRAMES is a new concept of glasses, the only optical wearable that monitors the eyes, for early detection and prevention of visual diseases and other pathologies using AI.

www.nuraframes.com



Yael Azagury

My Medic Eye

My Medic Eye is a free smartphone app that gathers all the medical information about a person: medical tests, medication, symptoms, health habits, etc.

www.mymediceye.com



Angela Jordana

MyMda

SkillzU is the educational game that promotes the emotional and mental health of youth through technology. SkillzU is designed to encourage young people to discover a meaningful life and go beyond any physical, mental or social condition.

www.playskillzu.com/english/



Laura Becerra

FORESEE Medical Tech

FORESEE is an intravascular sensing platform that will help monitor heart failure patients and anticipate complications that lead to hospitalization, providing a smart assessment of the patient's condition.

www.foreseemed.com



Judit Camargo

Roka Furadada

Roka Furadada is a Deep-Tech start-up that aims to reduce the incidence of skin cancer and other skin diseases related to UV radiation.
www.rokafuradada.com



Marta Corral

Nema Health Nema

Nema offers the most effective and comprehensive trauma care, delivered by trained PTSD therapists.
www.nemahealth.com



Mireia Claramunt

Ephion Health

We all share the mission to develop digital tools that help clinicians and patients during the entire therapeutic journey, from diagnosis through follow up and all the way to personalized and efficient treatment.
www.ephion.health



Silvia Gomez

Sens Solution

Provides real-time monitoring of the presence of microbes and bacteria in the air. The detection of bacteria is directly related to infections within health care centres (HAI).
www.sens.solutions/en/home



Alejandra Mancilla

FlorenceCare

Transforming healthcare at home for elderly or their family caregivers.
www.florencecare.eu



Diana Ballart

The Smart Lollipop

The Smart Lollipop is a medical device based on a smart candy that diagnoses diseases through a saliva sample.
www.thesmartlollipop.com



Isabel Huber
SUCCIPRO

Succipro aims to exploit the succinate-metabolic-inflammatory axis to create novel, first-in class therapeutics for inflammatory and metabolic diseases.
www.succipro.com



Ma. Alejandra Ortega
Vitala Technologies

A groundbreaking technology to gain unparalleled insights into metabolic kinetics.
www.vitala.tech



Esther Riambau
ONIRIA Therapeutics

A shift in cancer treatment: directly activating a tumour suppressor to overcome cancer persistence.
www.oniriatherapeutics.com



Monica Rodriguez De La Vega
Manina Medtech

We work to improve the success of embryo transfers detecting endometrial receptivity non-invasively and immediately.
www.maninamedtech.com



Avencia Sanchez-Mejias
Integra Therapeutics

At Integra Therapeutics we are committed to create new gene writing tools that help to improve the scope, efficiency and safety of advanced therapies.
www.integra-tx.com



Teresa Tarragó
Beyond You

We measure +17,000 mRNA blood biomarkers related to inflammatory status, metabolic health, longevity, and the state of organ systems, among others.
www.beyondyou.life



Meritxell Teixidó

Gate2Brain

Gate2Brain is a biotech company focused on the development of therapeutics that efficiently cross biological barriers such as the blood-brain barrier.

www.gate2brain.com



Sara Toledano

Sycal Medical

Empowering healthcare professionals through AI, we automate the detection and surveillance of lesions in the abdomen that may evolve into cancer through a disruptive radiology assistant.

www.sycalmedical.com



Isabel Turpin

OrganAID

The OrganAID is a lab-based organoid technology designed to enhance the selection of the best treatment for every patient.

www.organoids.com/en



Boston mission schedule

Monday, September 9	Tuesday, September 10	Wednesday, September 11	Thursday, September 12	Friday, September 13
Arrival Day	Meetings Day	Meetings Day	Meetings Day	Departure Day
9:10pm: Arrival in BOS via Iberia flight 2625 from BCN	9:00am: Depart Hotel	8:30am: Depart Hotel	9:15am: Depart Hotel	8:00am Check out of the hotel and reconcile any incidentals
10:00pm: Arrive at Hotel	9:30-11:00am: Meeting with the Massachusetts Office of International Trade and Investment (MOITI), et. al.	9:00am - 10:00am: Meeting with the City of Boston, Mayor's Office of Economic Opportunity & Inclusion, Segun Idowu	10:00-11:00am (TBD): Meeting with MassBio	8:30am: Depart Hotel via Uber/Lyft
	11:15-11:45am: Lunch at High Street Place		11:15am-12:20pm: Visit to the MIT Museum/ MIT Media Lab	9:00-2:30pm: Meeting at CIC
	12:00-1:00pm: Meeting with Spanish Consul General at Jones Day	10:15-11:15am: Shopping and Sightseeing at Faneuil Hall	12:20-1:05pm: Lunch at Commonwealth Cambridge	3:00pm: Return to the hotel
	1:00-3:00pm: Free time	12:00pm-1:00pm: Lunch with MIT Sloan, David Capodilupo	1:15-2:30pm: Meeting with LabCentral	8:00pm Depart hotel for Boston Logan Airport
	3:30pm-4:30pm: Meeting with MassChallenge	1:30pm-3:00pm MIT The Engine Ventures	2:45-3:45pm: Visit to the MIT Museum/ MIT Media Lab	8:15pm TBD
	5:30pm-7:00pm Reception with Innoventures/North Shore Tech Council	3:30-4:30pm: Meeting with Harvard iLab	4:30 - 6:15pm Meeting with the CIC & Venture Cafe Tour	8:15pm Arrive at Logan Airport (BOS)
		Free Evening	6:15 - 7:30pm Venture Cafe Networking Event	10:55pm Departure from BOS via Iberia flight IB2626 to BCN

Schedule Key:

Blue – Depart/Arrive at Hotel

Green – Professional Meeting and/or Volunteer Activity

Orange – Lunch

Purple – Cultural Time

Red – Domestic and International Travel



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