



## KickStart Venture Services

### *Intern Program*

KickStart Venture Services, part of the UNC-Chapel Hill Office of Commercialization and Economic Development (OCED), supports faculty startup formation, business development and growth by providing coaching and mentoring, early-stage funding, connection with key service providers, management, investors and space.

**Opportunity:** KickStart works with many early stage startups and business opportunities (pre-startups) that need assistance with developing their business case. We are looking for students with previous experience with technology assessment who can jump into a project and provide deliverables to help move the company along. This is a great opportunity to get experience working with extremely innovative faculty and the KickStart Staff.

**Eligibility:** Previous enrollment in Startup UNC Mod 1, Technology Commercialization, Launching the Venture or other equivalent entrepreneurship/commercialization course or experience as an intern in the SBTDC Summer Intern Program or consulting for an IP based startup company (ask KickStart if you would like to know if your experience qualifies)

**Time Commitment:** 10 hours per week for one or two semesters, depending on availability and scope of the project.

**Example Projects:** Market Analysis, Market Opportunity, IP Landscape, Competitive Analysis, Preparation for STTR/SBIR

If interested, please contact Tim Martin, Assistant Director of KickStart Venture Services, ([tim.martin@unc.edu](mailto:tim.martin@unc.edu)) for more information.