



Transition to a new model of academic library cooperation

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OF LODZ

- The largest Medical University in Poland
- 5 faculties
- 10 000 students
- 600 PhD students
- 1 300 graduates per year
- 2 000 employes
- 1 000 researchers and teachers
- 1 Library ;)

Library building

- mid 70's
- old technology
- no big renovation



Infrastructure



Infrastructure

- **1st stage - 2012/2013**
- **2nd stage 18.05.2015 - 31.12.2015**
- **Grand Opening 24.05.2016**
- **Budget: 5.000.000€**



Mental change

- Patron first
- Openess - 24/7
- Freedom
- Place „to be”

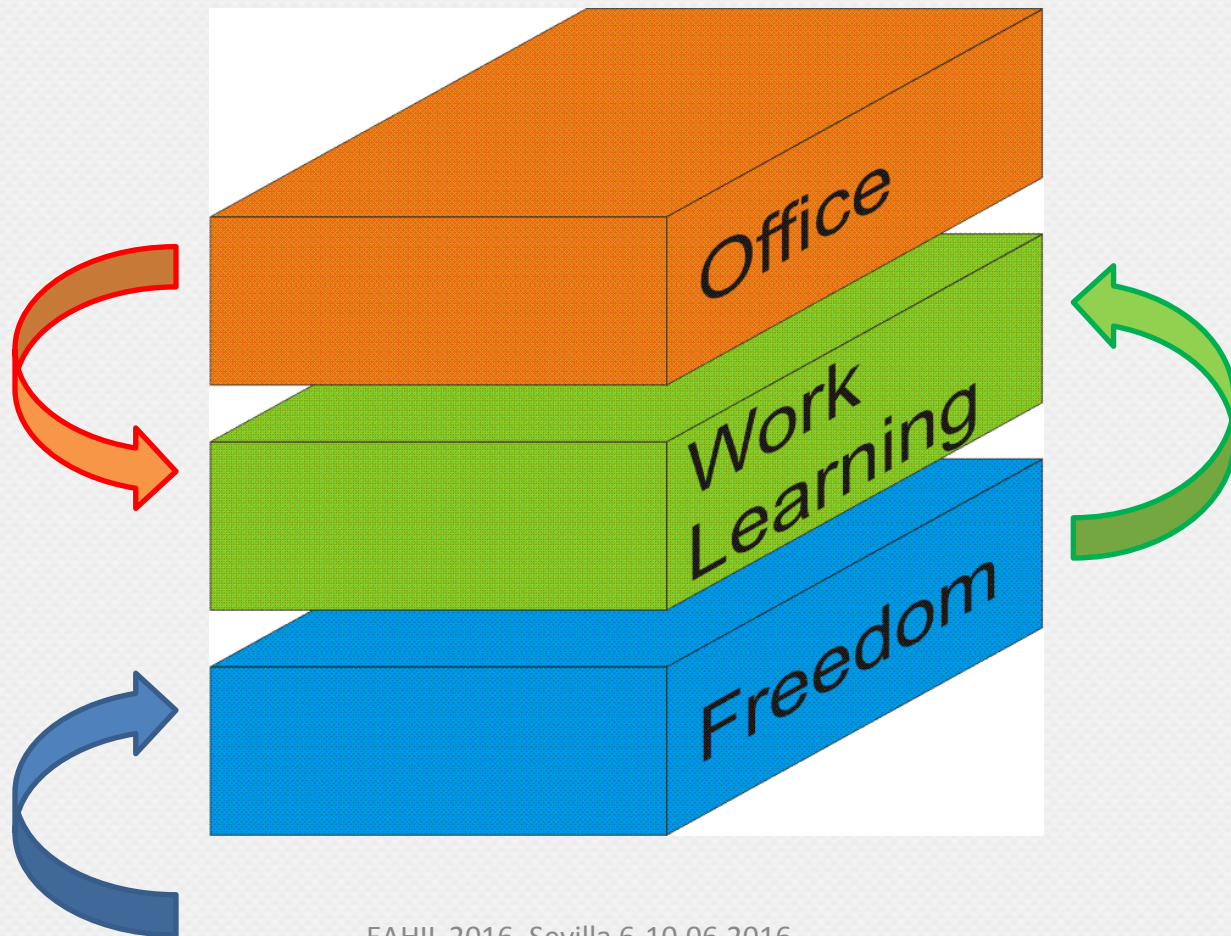


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Openness



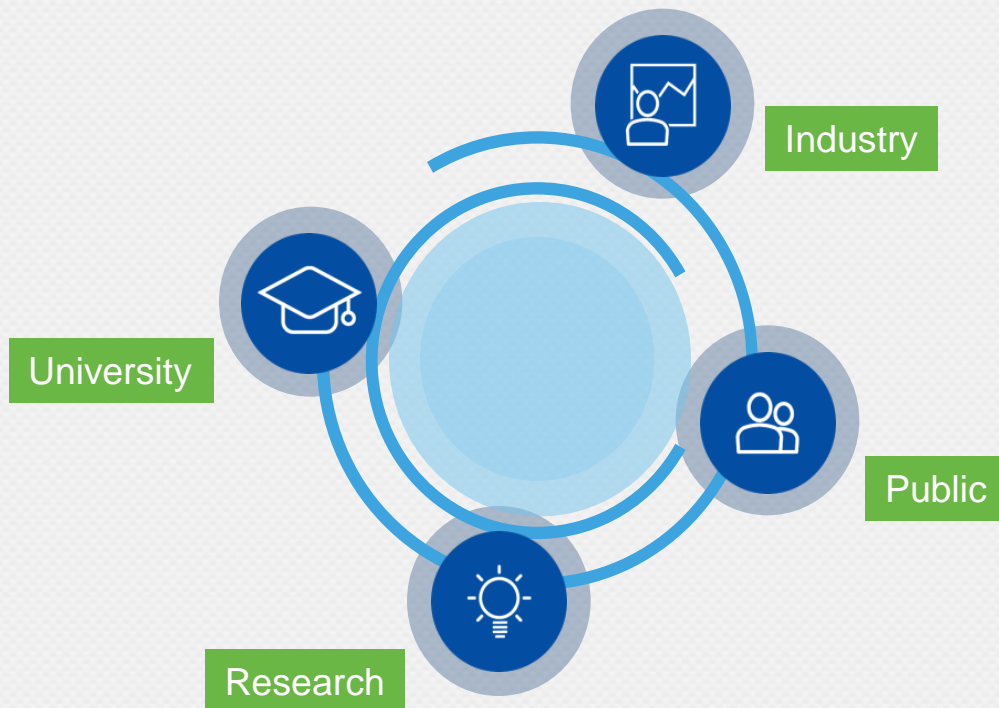
Functional change



Knowledge and Innovation Hub

- Knowledge – Information and Library Center, Archive
- Projects - Office for Research, Strategies and Development
- Innovation – Innovation and Technology Transfer Center
- Bussines Incubator

One of the largest healthcare initiatives worldwide with more than **130 leading organisations**, covering all areas of healthcare.



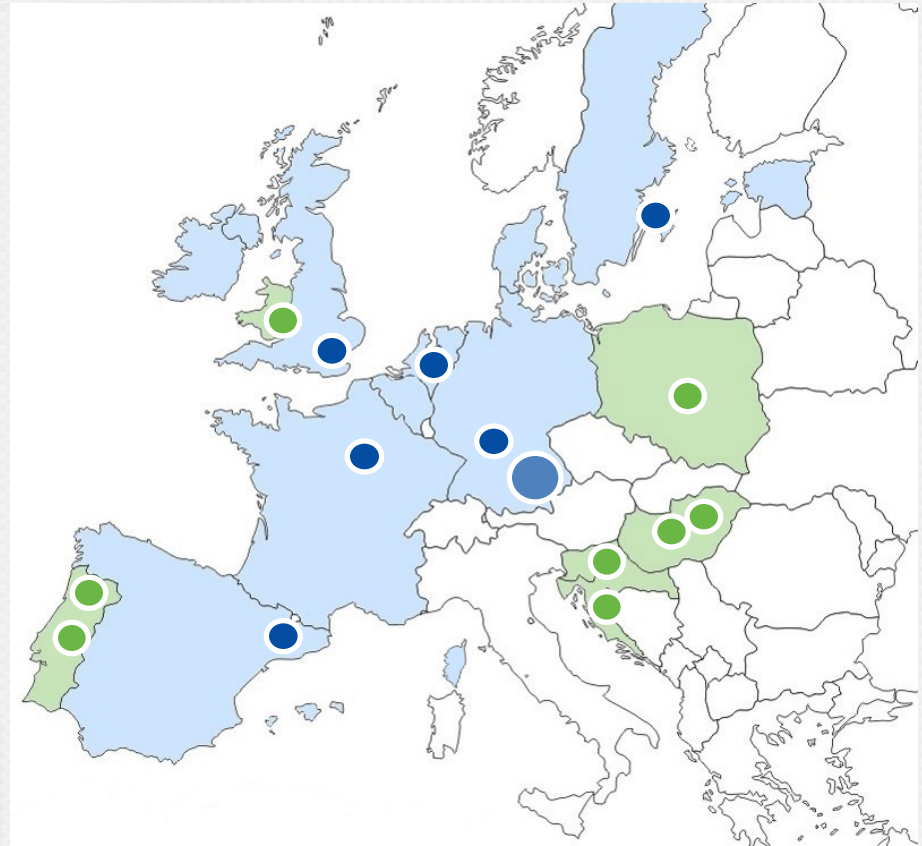
EIT Health

- invests in Europe's **best entrepreneurial talents and creative minds**
- fosters the development and commercialisation of **smart product and service solutions**

EIT Health

- **International Headquarter** at TU Munich
- **6 Co-Location Centres (CLCs):**
 - UK/Ireland (London)
 - Scandinavia (Stockholm)
 - Belgium/Netherlands (Rotterdam)
 - Germany (Mannheim/Heidelberg)
 - France (Paris)
 - Spain (Barcelona)
- **8 InnoStars regions** in 6 countries:
 - Croatia
 - Hungary
 - Poland
 - Portugal
 - Slovenia
 - Wales

- **Co-location centres**
- **InnoStars regions**
- **International HQ**



BRaIn

BRaIn – acronym for Research , Developement, Innovation

BRaIn - interdisciplinary center of basic research, applied bioscience, and clinical laboratory, focused on comprehensive coverage of issues related to the state of public health (esp. in terms of population ageing) in Poland.

BRaIn was established by four research and two business partners with leading role in the field of biomedical sciences in Lodz :

- Faculty of Pharmacy (FPh);
- Faculty of Biomedical Sciences and Postgraduate Training (FBSaPT);

- Institute for Medical Biology of the Polish Academy of Sciences (MB PAS);
- Nofer Institute of Occupational Medicine (IOM);

and

- Bio-Tech Consulting;
- The Foundation for Medical University of Lodz.

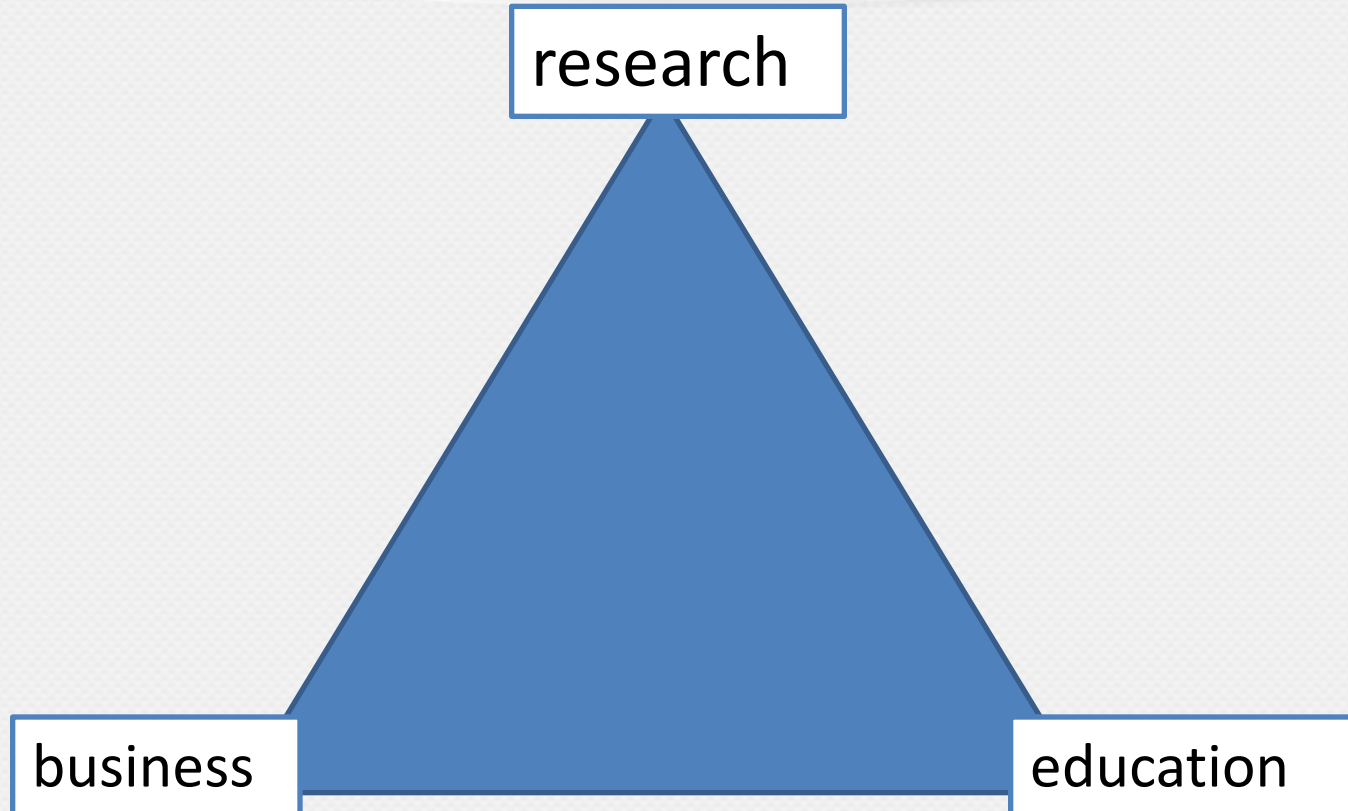


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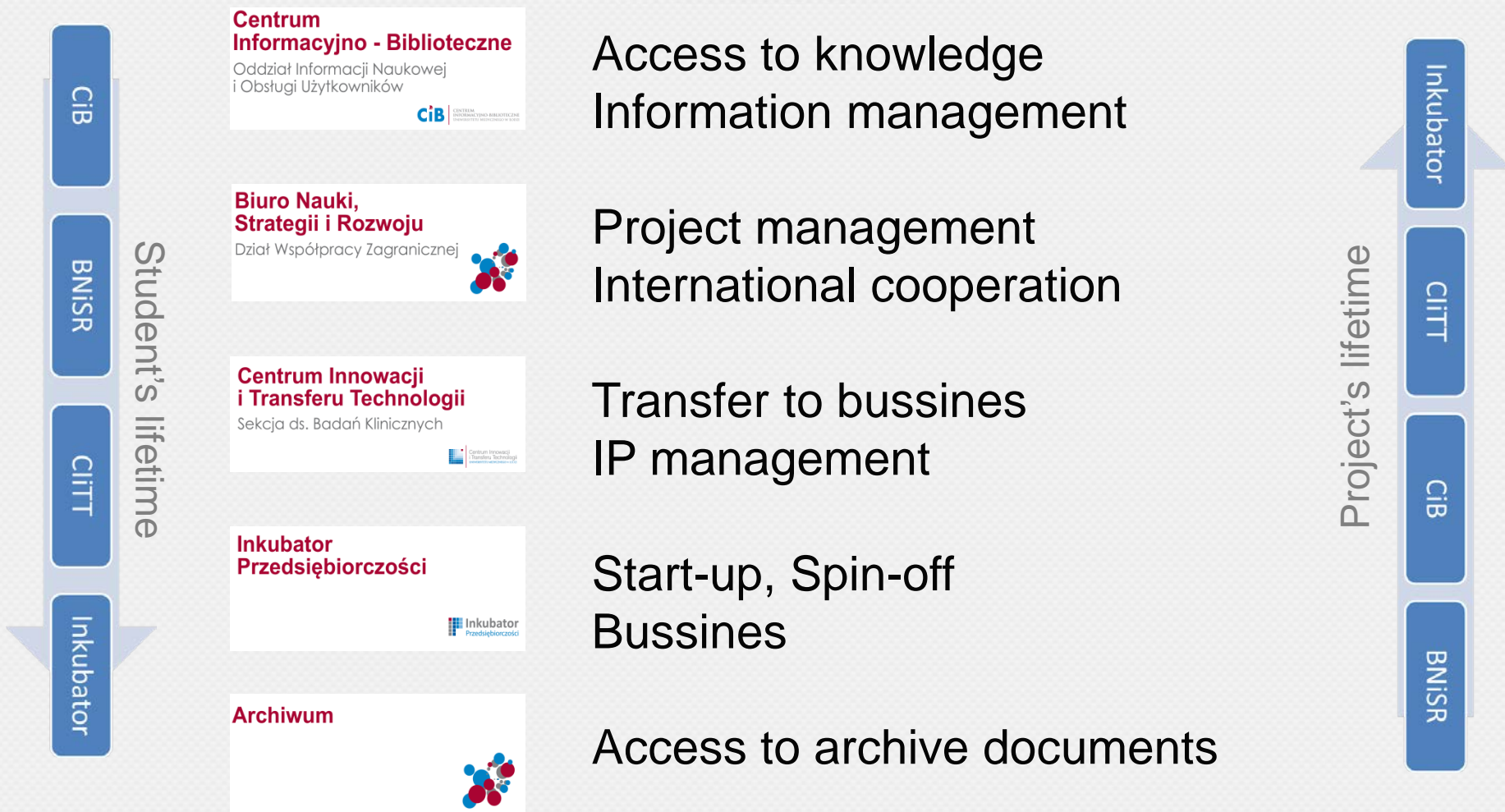


BRaIn will be utilized **22 786** square meters of research space. Our laboratory space will include **10 092** square meters in the brand new FBSaPT - MB PAS building, **12 694** square feet in the renovated Pharmacy and Nofer Institute, and additional space in the UMED Library - Knowledge and Innovation Hub.

Knowledge Triangle



KIH functional model



Library – spring 2015

- 33,5 staff
- departments
 - Acquisiton and Cataloguing
 - Patron Service
 - Scientific Information
 - Preservation
 - IT

Information and Library Center- Spring 2016

- 25 staff
- departments
 - Preservation, Acquisiton and Cataloguing
 - Scientific Information and Patron Service
 - Bibliography and Bibliometry
 - IT

„Library” Space

network zone for students, academic teachers and researchers as well as small business representatives, inventors and innovators accessible within one location.



Librarian Role

- **collaborate with other groups**
- provide data management services.
- systematic reviews,
- literature search
- deliver relevant and useful results
- embedded librarians - members of research teams

- bibliometrics librarian
- find collaborators for the next projects
- track newest research trends in biomedical fields
- provide trainings related to area of subject expertise.

Challenges for us

- adapt to the new environment - lack of experience and standards in this kind of partnership.
- new centre requires the new skills and competencies from librarians.
 - open to new directions and opportunities
 - assume more responsibilities.
- have to adjust library services to contemporary demands of the clients (especially in area of information technology, information literacy, metadata creation).

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED



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- New project of KIH
 - Information and Library Center – 2 tasks
 - Innovation and Technology Transfer Center
 - Clinical Trials Section – 1 task
 - BioBank – 1 task
 - Faculty of Pharmacy - 1 task
 - Office for Research, Strategies and Development - 1 task
 - IT Center – 1 task
- 2.000.000,00€
- Waiting for final evaluation



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Thank you

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