

Tunisian Republic Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research



# Sustainability of National Technology development & Transfer Systems

Regional Forum « National Knowledge and Technology Developpement and Transfer Systems



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# **SUMMARY**

Brief historical overview of the NIS

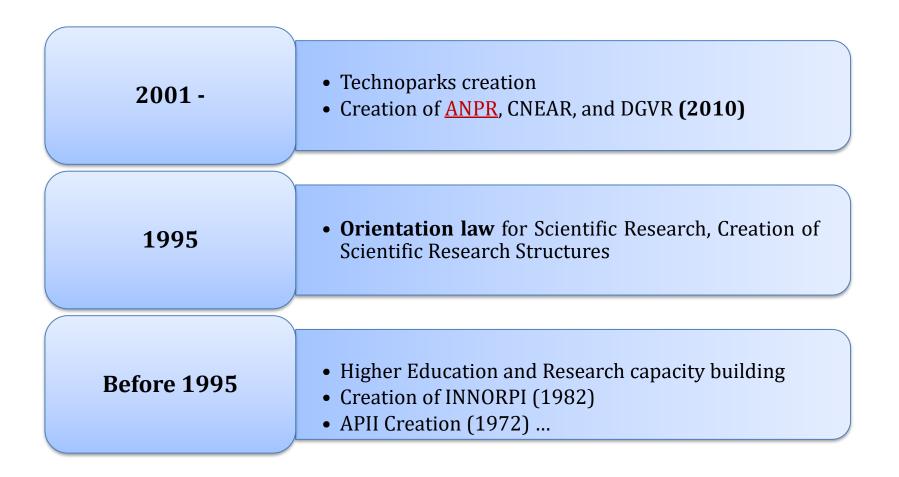
Description of the ANPR

Main Transfer Technology (TT) projects managed by ANPR
Advantages for establishment an NTTO in ANPR

How can we make (TT) a sustainable system for the developpement

of the sosciety through NTTO?

# **BRIEF HISTORICAL OVERVIEW OF THE NIS**





# **DESCRIPTION OF THE ANPR**

- □ A public scientific and technical establishment with a financial and administrative independence.
- □ Under the authority of the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research (MHESR).
- **□** Established in 2008 and started its activities in 2010.

# **DESCRIPTION OF THE ANPR: MISSIONS**

- □ Contribute to the implementation of national research programs;
- □ Support the creation of transfer technology offices,
- Attend public structures in the fields of intellectual property, promoting the results of research and technology transfer;
- □ Contribute to the establishment and animation of research consortia,
- □ Financial management of research projects,
- □ Intermediation between research structures, companies and foreign partners,
- Disseminating mechanisms related to the valorization of research results, technology transfer and the promotion of innovation concept;
- The exploitation of results related to scientific and technological scouting,
- Give opinion in which concern the acquisition, the maintenance and the exploitation of heavy scientific equipements .

## **DESCRIPTION OF THE ANPR: PARTNERSHIP**

### **National Partners**

- Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research: public and private universities, research structures, Doctoral schools, CNEAR...
- •Sectoral ministries: Agriculture, health, Industry...
- Ministries : MAE, MDICI, MF...
- •Agencies: APII, APIA, FIPA...
- •Central Bank of Tunisia
- •Sectoral technical centers
- •INNORPI
- •Technoparks, Clusters and competitive clusters
- •Inter-professional groupings
- •Chambers of commerce
- Employers' organizations: UTICA, CONECT...
- Public Companies: STEG, SONEDE, GC, CPG...
- Private Companies: TELNET, POULINA, Orange...
- •Acteurs de Financement de l'innovation: Business Angels, SAGES, Wiki Start-Up, BFPME, CDC, BMN...
- Civil Society
- •Tunisian Diaspora

#### **International Partners**

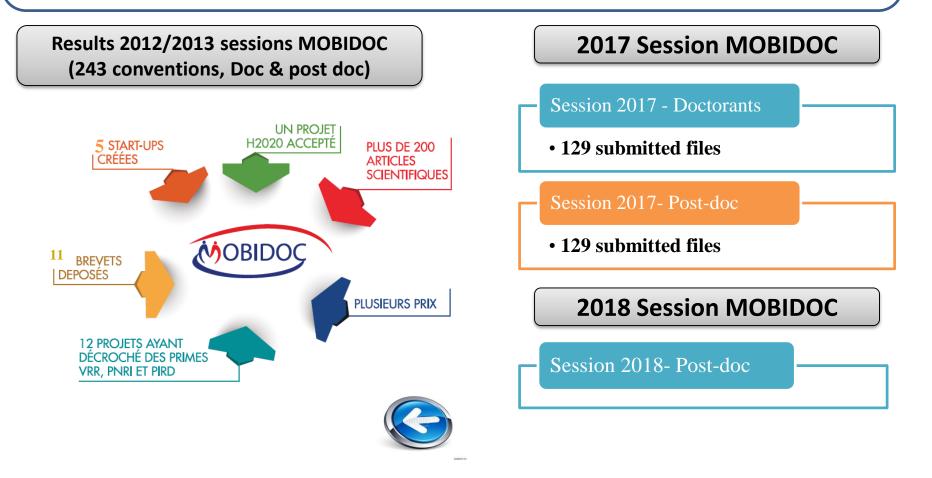
• European Union: DUE, CE, JRC, ETF... •United Nations: Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia (UN-ESCWA), UNESCO, UNIDO •World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) •OECD The World Bank: PROMESSE Regional association : FEMIA •France: MENESR, MEIRIES, CNRS, INRIA, ANR, ANRT, Agoranov, Instituts Carnot, IFT, AMU, ProtisValor, UPMC, CNAM, UM, UPVD, UNICE •USA: Ministère du Commerce / Commercial Law Development Program (CLDP) •Germany: GIZ, DLR Project Management Agency •Belgium: ARES, EBN •UK: Europe For Business (EFB) •Italy: CESIE, U. Trento, U. Catane, Innova Bic... •Spain: UIB • Japan: Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) •Corea : KOICA, STEPI, IICC •Ireland : WIT •Algeria: MESR, CDER, ENP, U. Tlemcen, U. Ouargla, U. Canstantine. •Marocco: MESRFC, UCD, UM5, UMI

# **ROLE OF ANPR IN TT AND INNOVATION**

- Communication and technology scouting: tunisie Innovation
- □ Capacities bulding for/by R&I
- □ <u>Mobidoc: Mobility of reaserchers</u>
- Technology transfer: TTOs
- Creation of innovative entreprise
- □ Intellecual property
- Technical assistance
- Financial Management of projetcs

# MOBIDOC

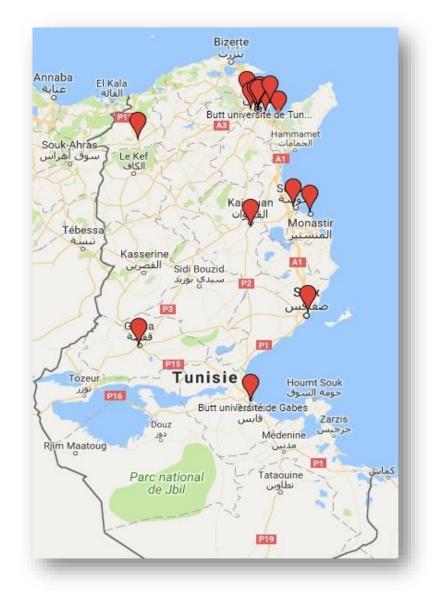
The MOBIDOC is a mobility device (MOBI) for doctoral and postdoctoral researchers (DOC) to carry out applied research in the socio-economic environment according to two models and against remuneration payable as follows: 80% by the ANPR and 20% by the Beneficiary Organization (OB).

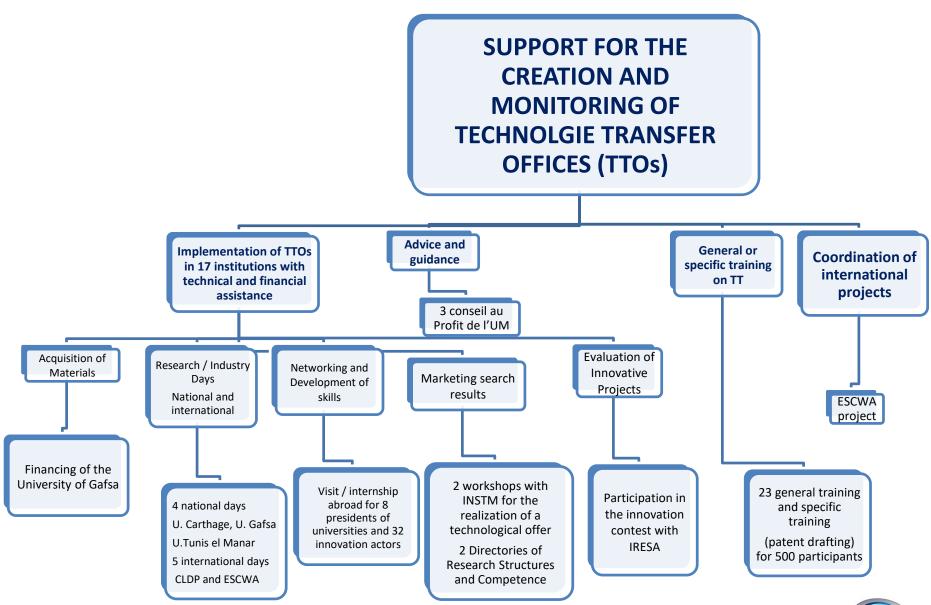


# SUPPORT FOR THE CREATION AND MONITORING OF TECHNOLGIE TRANSFER OFFICES (TTOs)

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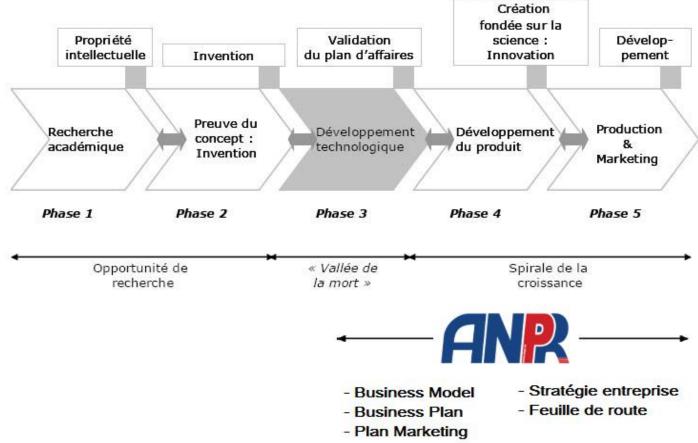
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- 6 U. Kairouan
- 7- U. Gafsa
- 8- U. Monastir
- 9- U. Sousse
- 10- U. Sfax
- 11- U.Gabes
- 12- INRAP
- **13- IPT**
- 14-DGET
- **15- IRESA**
- 16-CRTEn
- **17-CITET**







# **Creation of innovative companies**



- Identification of the opportunity

- Development of the business plan Identification of financing mechanisms.
- Accompaniment and technical assistance in the implementation of the company.



### MAIN TT PROJECTS MANAGED BY THE ANPR



# Partner (2012-2016)

Promotion to the Developpement of an ecosystem of TT throughts TTOS



✓ Mobidoc: 243 contracts and 5 start ups and 67 reaserch contract employment

✓ Creation of TTOs

✓ Trainings in TT

✓<u>http://www.anpr.tn/portail-tunisie-innovation/</u>

✓Initiation for the création of 4 clusters

✓ Guides for the négociation of contrats and IP



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Program for supporting Eductaion, Mobility Research and Innovation (EMORI)

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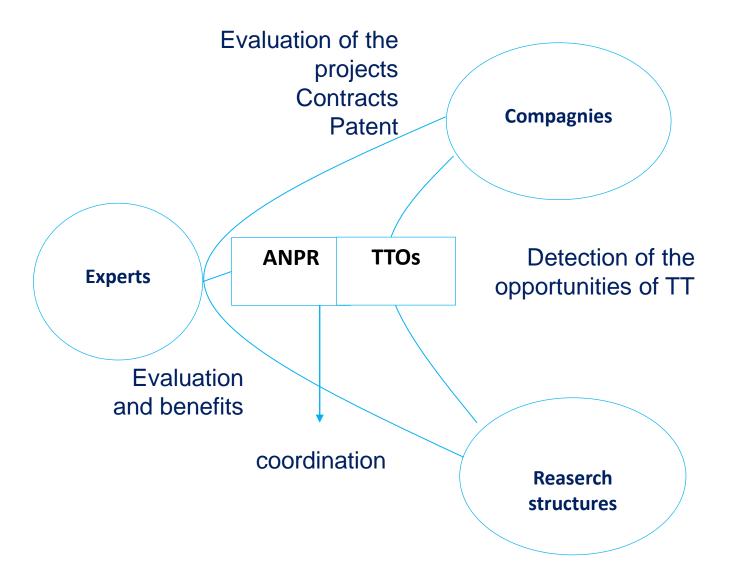
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#### **World Bank Project**

Partner (2017-2021)

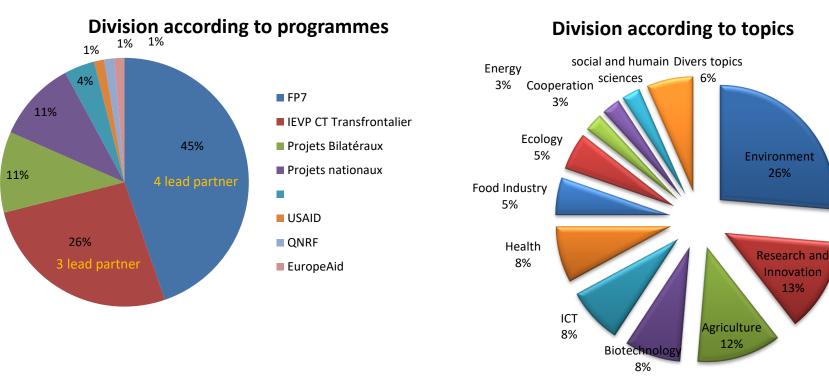
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### **PROJECTS FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT**







ANPR has a large experience in projects financial management for the benefit of research institutions, in accordance with the Tunisian and European legislations.

About 80 projects indifferent research programmes



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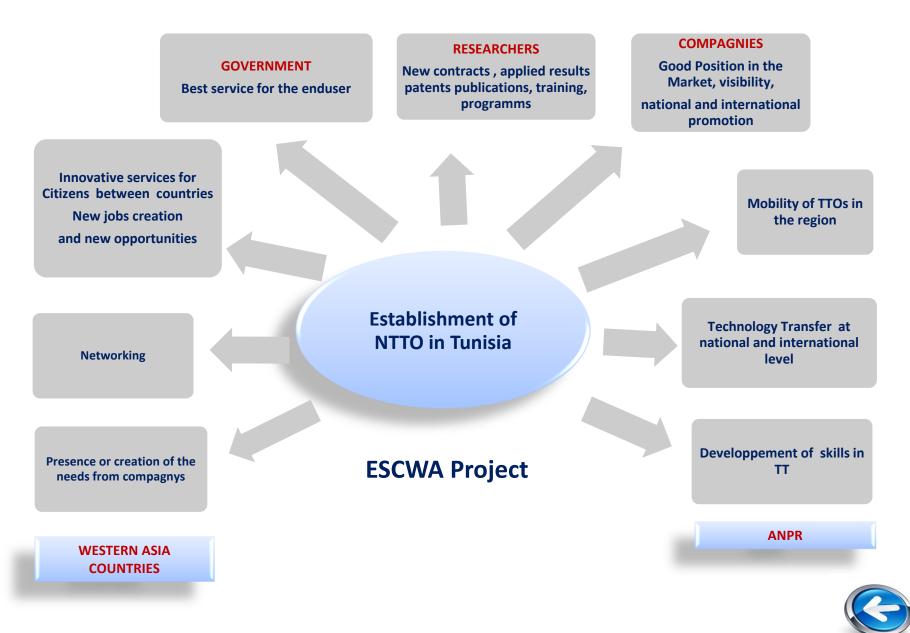
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## **ADVANTAGES TO ESTABLISHMENT OF AN NTTO IN ANPR**



# HOW CAN WE MAKE (TT) A SUSTAINABLE SYSTEM FOR THE DEVELOPPEMENT OF THE SOSCIETY THROUGH NTTO ?

All this point are noted by the national commission of valorization and internationalisation in the Minestry

Developp a legal framwork for TTOs
Professional Comittee for TT with Experts
IP Policy and patenting process
Define the environnement of TT: Technology needs, technology Markets
Organisationnal and operationnal procedures for TT
Incentives for reaserchers
An accreditation for Laboratories
Communication plan to promote all the Financial mechanisms
Encourage practical reaserch wich solve problems in the society



