

### **Ideal of the Bundesverband Innovationszentren**

We promote the growth of the economy and lead and support innovation-oriented structural transformation in Germany. With our many years of experience and unique expertise we work for the creation of favourable framework conditions for start-up companies and growth in Germany.

We support our member centres as agents of regional promotion of the economy, in particular in the planning, construction and operation of centres, in the initiation and consultation services of start-up companies, and in knowledge and technology transfer and networking in Germany and abroad. In meetings and working groups we offer regular opportunities for continuing education on up-to-date topics and a collegial platform for exchange and discussion.

### **Mission of the Bundesverband Innovationszentren**

We promote sustainable innovation, start-up companies and their development and represent these fairly in public and politically. We make contributions so that Germany remains a high technology country with innovative products and companies in view of demographic development of the country in the future.

### **Vision of the Bundesverband Innovationszentren**

As a leading German Association of Innovation, Technology and Business Incubation Centres for innovation-driven entrepreneurship we stand for a dynamic start-up culture and successful growth based on the infrastructure of our member centres. This dynamic is the basis of the innovation location of Germany and thereby an essential building block of its future and international competitive capacity.