

INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIP FUND (IPF): HAVE A DIRECT IMPACT ON SOUTH CAROLINA

SCRA has allocated **substantial additional funding** in grants and investments with a particular focus on current Client Companies to assist them in navigating through these unprecedented times. Your contribution to the IPF helps to make this possible.

Have an impact.

Make a difference.

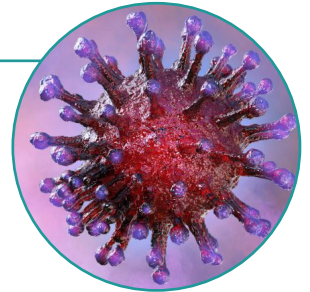
Contribute to the IPF today.

BENEFITS OF CONTRIBUTING TO THE IPF

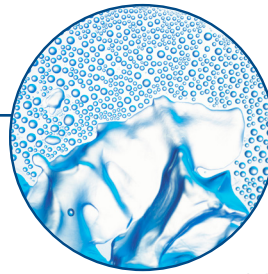
- **It helps early-stage companies during this current crisis – especially those contributing to solving this situation.** The IPF funds innovative companies, such as those highlighted on the right.
- **It improves your cash flow.** A check to the IPF can be submitted today but dated as late as December 1, 2020, preserving needed cash.
- **It allows you to direct your tax dollars.** A check written to the South Carolina Department of Revenue goes into the state's general fund. A check written to the IPF, which creates a dollar-for-dollar South Carolina tax credit, is directed to fuel our innovation economy. In particular, these funds assist our early-stage Client Companies.
- **It is deductible as a business expense for federal tax purposes.** SCRA provides numerous marketing and business development benefits to companies that contribute to the IPF, which support the treatment of IPF contributions as business expenses for federal tax purposes.
- **It is simple to do.** Make a check payable to "IPF" and send it to SCRA, P.O. Box 95, Columbia, SC 29202. Upon receipt, contributors receive a letter that acknowledges their contribution. When the 2020 tax return is filed, submit SC Form TC36 with the return. It is that easy!



SC Launch, Inc. Portfolio Company, **ZVerse**, is addressing the COVID-19 medical supply shortage with direct manufacturing, responding to the crisis by providing face shields and other medical supplies that are urgently needed by the healthcare community.



SC Facilities tenant, **Vikor Scientific**, understands the importance of the detection of emerging pathogens like Coronavirus and has developed testing kits that not only detect COVID-19, but also over 40 pathogens known to cause respiratory illness.



SCRA Client Company, **Elastrin Therapeutics**, has demonstrated proof-of-concept for a patented therapeutic compound that may provide needed repair and restorative function to lungs that have been damaged by the COVID-19 virus.



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INNOVATION ECONOMY



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