One of the finest on-campus business incubation facilities in the United States.
The Innovation Center located on the sixth floor of the Photonics Center provides smaller companies with the tools necessary to accelerate their growth and enter new markets.

Faculty and industry collaborations are encouraged and the Photonics Center staff, with extensive industry contacts, plays “matchmaker” where overlapping research interest enhances Research and Scholarship and increases opportunities for sponsored research and accelerating technology transfer.

Benefits:
- Streamlined and standardized transaction management process
- Facility management
- EH&S support
- Conference and catering services
- Library resources
- Access to shared laboratories with specialty Photonics equipment
- A member of the Photonics Center community including invitations to conferences, symposia, guest lectures and all social networking events
- Collaboration opportunities with leaders in Photonics, Nanotechnology and Materials research
- Pipeline of talented and entrepreneurial young scientist/engineers

Shared Office Space offers cubicles for 1 to 3 people that include access to private offices, conference rooms, kitchens and other shared spaces.

Private Office Suites are fully furnished secure offices that are tailored to meet a company’s requirements, while still offering the benefits of the larger Photonics Center community and full access to all shared spaces.

Wet lab and optical Laboratory Spaces are specified to meet a start-up company’s requirements and include lab benches, sinks, hoods, services and safety equipment.

To ensure that the labs meet all functional and safety requirements, we work with a company’s technical team and the BU Environmental, Health and Safety organization to review laboratory design and equipment requirements and hazardous material handling. More fully equipped Bio-safety Level-2 (BSL-2) laboratory space is also available.

“Access to remarkable facilities and services and a talented pipeline of students has enabled our company to accelerate research and focus resources on product development.”

Howard Seeherman
Vice President, Bioventus