

Boston E-Net, January 16, 2018 Trish Fleming, Director of Mentoring





NSIV Overview

 What we do: Develop young biotech & cleantech companies through superior mentoring, first-class lab facilities and a vibrant business-focused community.



 What we have: 13,000 sq. ft. of well-equipped labs, conference and office space, a deep mentor and advisor pool, a deeper network, and a commitment to our clients.



 Where we are: 45 minutes outside Boston on commuter rail line in a growing cluster of technology businesses and service providers



 Impact! 50 companies created 282 jobs & secured \$193M in investment and grants.



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NSIV Mentoring

- One-on-one mentoring
- Informal mentoring
- Formal trimester reviews
- Monthly education program
- Introductions, networking
- Model good business practices & culture





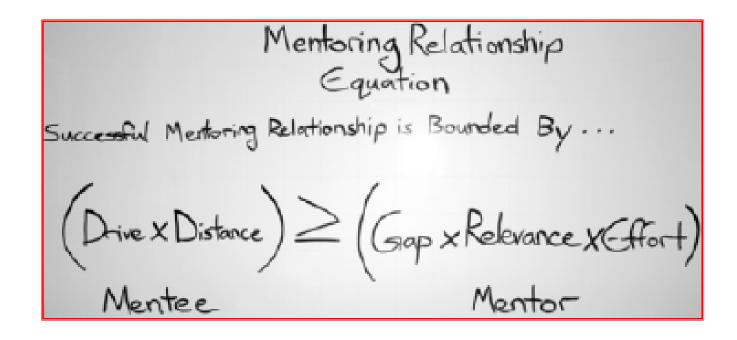
Mentoring Philosophy

Success is where opportunity and preparation meet





Mentoring Equation



Source: Get the Mentoring Equation Right by Whitney Johnson, Harvard Business Review, 2011.

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NSIV Process

	Member	Mentor
Assessment	Drive, Distance	Gap, Relevance, Effort
Goal-Setting	Short- and Long-term	Availability
Training	Managing the Relationship	







Key to Success



Coachability





Warning Signs

- Solicitation
- Transactional expectations
- Looking for validation
- Non-engagement

