SOCIETY OF UNIVERSITY PATENT ADMINISTRATORS (SUPA)

SUPA was organized in 1975 to fill a growing need to more fully exploit the university patent resource.

The membership of SUPA shall consist of any person who in his university or business activities has some responsibility for the administration of university-generated intellectual property.

SUPA hopes to stimulate and foster the transfer of university patent resources to the public sector by:

* presenting educational seminars to the membership on all aspects of technology transfer from the university point of view
* generating self-help programs to enable universities to establish an in-house patent technology and licensing capability
* developing a unified university position on legislation that may have impact on university patent rights
* effecting interchange of views amongst university patent administrators.

For further information, those interested in becoming members of SUPA may contact:

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