

50 years of Max Planck Innovation

1970

Founding of "Garching Instruments" with headquarters at the IPP [Max Planck Institute for Plasma Physics] in Garching (March 20, 1970)



1985

Filing of patent for FLASH

1991

First start-up with MPG as a participant: Sugen, Inc. (U.S.)

1992

First approved drug from MPG technology: Miltefosine (Miltex) for treating cutaneous metastases of breast cancer



1993

First German start-up with MPG as a participant: Evotec (Hamburg)

1993

Company name changed to "Garching Innovation GmbH – Technology from the Max Planck Society"

1996

All major medical technology companies have licensed FLASH → Large revenue growth

**2002
2004**

Approval of miltefosine (Impavido) for treating leishmaniasis

2006

Approval of Sutent as a cancer drug

2008

Lead Discovery Center (LDC) founded in Dortmund

2000

"Tuschl patents" filed for RNA interference

2006

Company name changed to "Max Planck Innovation GmbH"

2007

Life Science Incubator founded at caesar in Bonn

**2018
2019**

Approval of Onpatro and Givlaari by Anylam → First RNAi-based drugs



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