

## Innovation & Startups

### Active Introduction of Startups

In 2014, the presence of ten startups at the STSP, including two in the IC industry, two in the optoelectronics industry, and six in the biotechnology industry, invested NT\$36.21 billion in total.

### Innovation & Startups Incubation

Since May, 2013, the STSPB has integrated internal resources with external ones under the "From IP to IPO" (FITI) of the Ministry of Science and Technology and provided a place for entrepreneurship and mentor and incubation services. By the end of 2014, 51 startup teams were incubated, and among them six teams were awarded with the startup grants at an amount of NT\$2 million, 12 set up companies, two were Park enterprises, and four were present at the incubation center at the STSP.

### Innovative Projects

Under the "Southern Taiwan Biomedical Device Industrial Cluster Development Plan" and the "Promotion Project for the STSP Green Energy and Low Carbon Industrial Cluster," innovative projects were added to encourage the participation of enterprises or academic and research institutions in pilot innovative studies. Additionally, the industrial consultation platform was established to provide resources for creative commercialization and industrialization. In 2014, 11 projects under the former category were granted to the relevant enterprises successful in technology transfer while six of the latter were awarded with the grants.



■ The Former Director-general of the STSPB Chen Chunwei (in the middle) and the Startup Grant Winner of NT\$2 million "MIT DESIGN" at the Award Ceremony (March 23, 2014)



■ The Former Director-general of the STSPB Chen Chunwei (in the middle) and the Startup Grant Winner of NT\$2 million "NCKU Blue Chip Fairy" at the Award Ceremony (July 20, 2014)



■ Consultation Given to CLOUBBER MATERIAL by Secretary General of TVCA, Mr. Su Shichung (the third from right) and Accountant from PwC Taiwan Mr. Chen Bohan (the first from the left) (May 27, 2014)