



Welcome to

QATAR FOUNDATION

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for Education, Science and Community Development

“The sharing of knowledge,
ideas and values is the noblest
way to transcend barriers...”

Her Highness Sheikha Mozah Bint Nasser Al-Missned, Chairperson of Qatar Foundation



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An independent, chartered, nonprofit organization committed to the development of Qatar and its people.

Founded in 1995 by HH the Emir
Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al-Thani

Chairperson: HH Sheikha Mozah bint
Nasser Al-Missned



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Mission and Vision

Qatar Foundation is guided by the principle that a nation's true wealth is its people. Our goal is to develop that human potential:

- by creating a network of centers committed to delivering first-rate education, supporting science and research and promoting community development
- by partnering with world-class educational and research institutions
- by building a unique Education City, featuring state-of-the-art technology and facilities, that is a hub for the creating, sharing and finding practical uses of knowledge



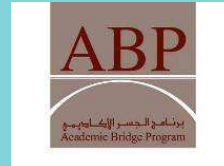
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Serving the whole citizen



- Early Years Education
- Specialized Education Program
- Primary, Secondary, College Preparatory Programs
- University Branch Campuses
- Public Policy Research
- Commercial Research and Development
- Community Outreach

Early Years through College Preparatory Education



UNIVERSITY BRANCH CAMPUSES AND GRADUATE STUDIES



Graphic Design
Interior Design
Fashion Design and
Merchandising



2 year Premedical Program
4 year M.D. Program



Chemical Engineering
Electrical Engineering
Mechanical Engineering
Petroleum Engineering



Business Administration
Computer Science
Information Systems

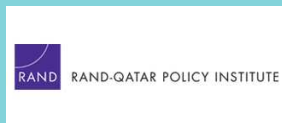


International Relations



Islamic Studies Program
Contemporary Fiqh

RESEARCH CENTERS



COMMUNITY OUTREACH



QF Research & Innovation Portfolios

National Coordination of Science and Research

Assembly of members
(constitutional)

Supreme Council of Education

General Secretariat for Development Planning

Supreme Council of ICT

Ministry of Energy and Industry

Consultation

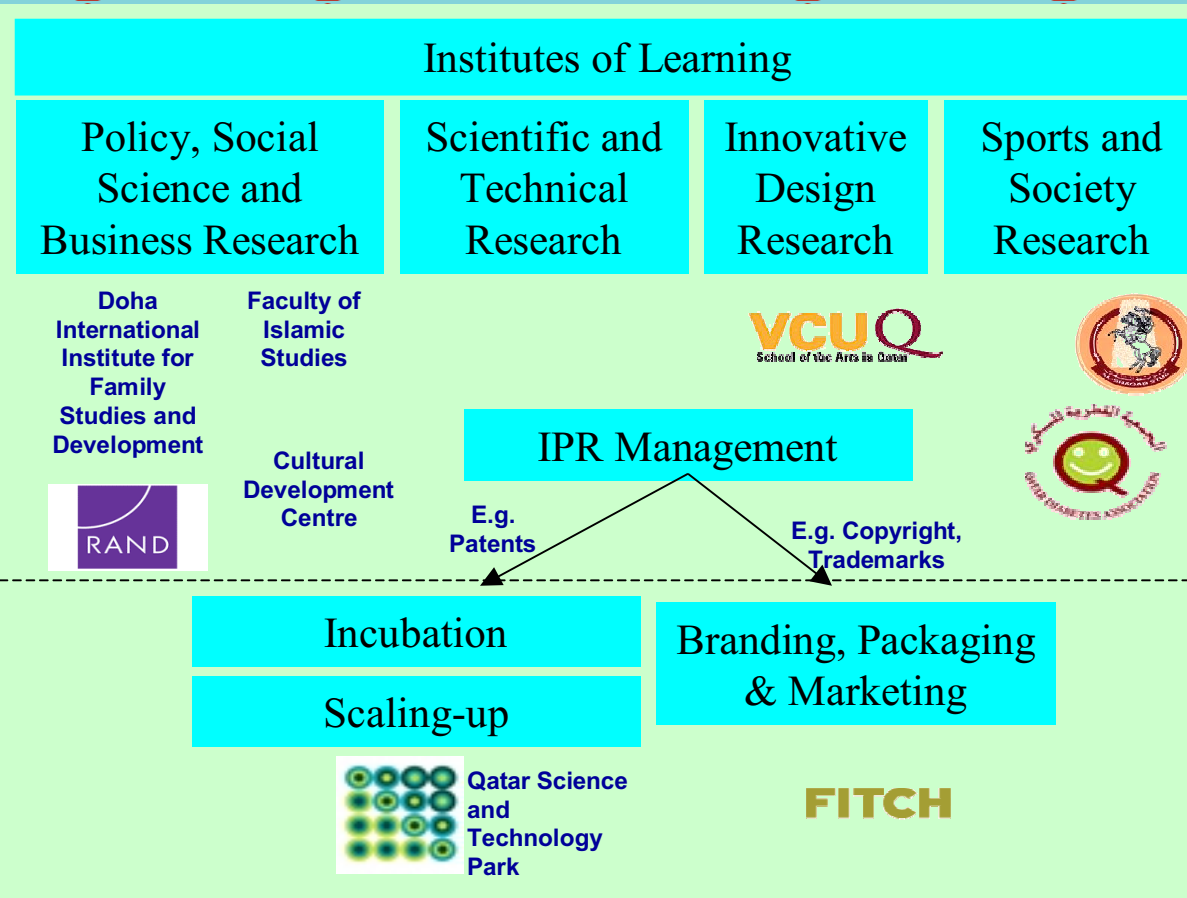
Scientific and Technical Advisory Board

Institute Boards of Trustees (External)

Qatari Chamber of Commerce & Industry

Qatar Governmental Institutions

Qatar Business & Research Organizations



Qatar National Research Fund

Venture Capital



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Goals

As part of Qatar Foundation supporting national aspirations for research and development for the future, the Research Division will contribute to efforts to build a diverse set of research and development capabilities that will optimize economic and social transformation. Those efforts will be related to achieving the four goals of the Research Division.

Goal 1: To be known in niche areas of research at the national level (with education city branch campuses and research centers).

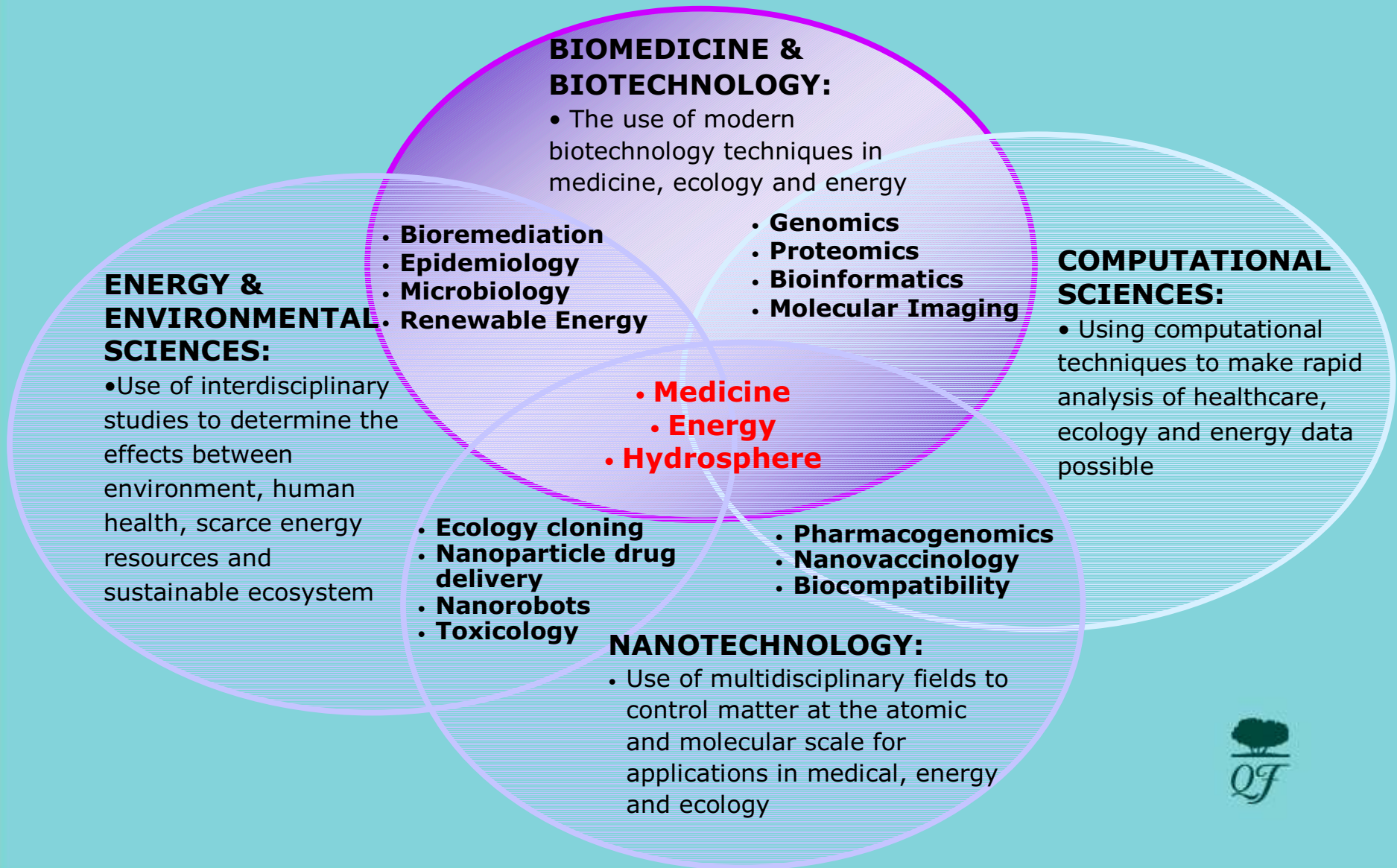
Goal 2: To make an impact to society that will advance national health in Qatar (with SIDRA Medical & Research Center and branch campuses).

Goal 3: To contribute to the creation of innovative applied research centers and companies leading to the emergence of a new industry sector for Qatar (with QSTP)

Goal 4: To attract international research institutions, private or governmental institutions to either partner or invest in Qatar research and development (with QNRF).

Convergence of Platform Science & Technology - The Future

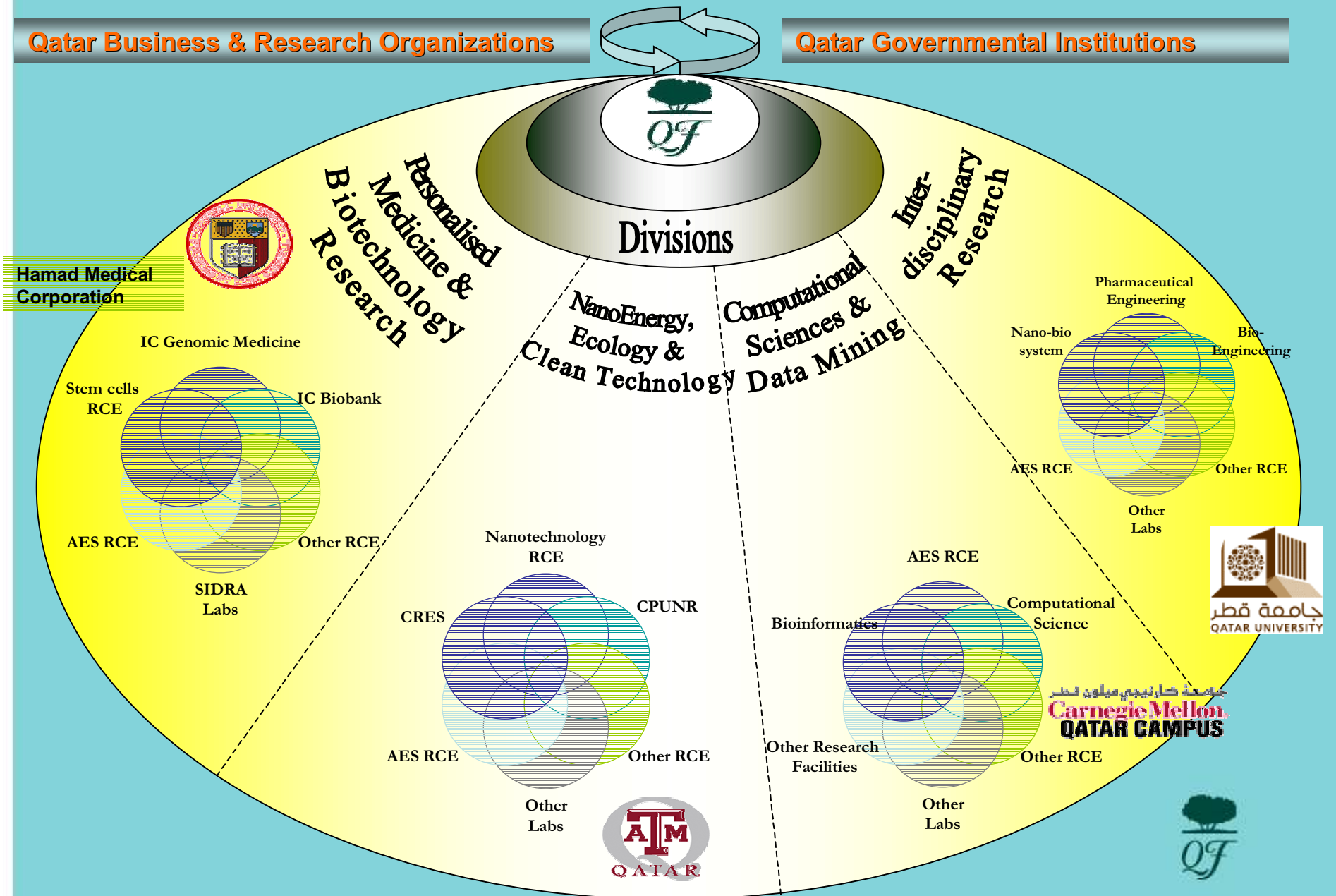
QF Scientific and Technical Research - Proposed Themes



QF Model for Research Integration and Coordination

Qatar Business & Research Organizations

Qatar Governmental Institutions



Note: Dotted lines between entities indicates free flow of information and the support for open collaborative approach for research

QF' Research, Science and Technology Division: Long Term Vision

2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022

Phase 1: Pursuit of Cutting Edge Science

Enrich people skills and research capabilities through the pursuit of cutting edge science in Qatar:

- Specific programmes initiated in year 1 (14 new programmes)
- Support other ongoing programmes and initiatives

Phase 2: Position Qatar as Major Regional Contributor of Science

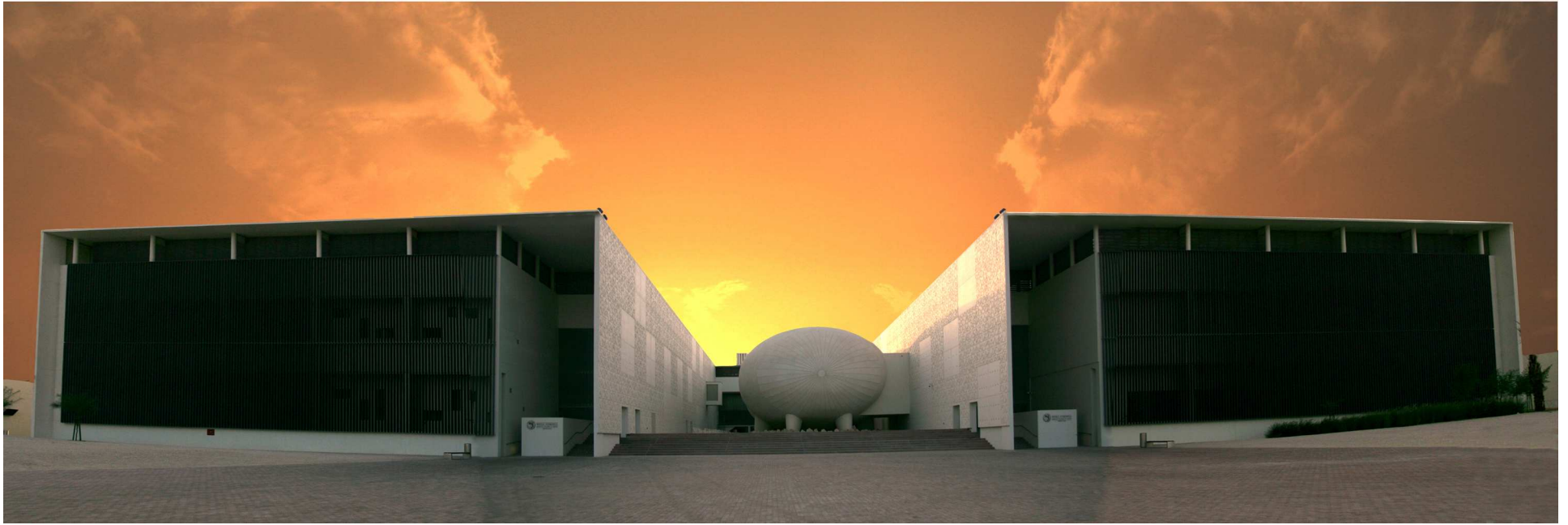
Advance the national ability to become a major contributor of science and technology at regional stage and position among the world leaders in patent filings

Phase 3: Become A Magnet for Innovative Companies Worldwide

Achieve significant advancement in niche areas of research and ensure this step forward becomes the growth sectors of tomorrow

Building Qatar's strength from Day 1 progressing in parallel





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