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TEES VALLEY INNOVATION ACCELERATOR (TIA)

FUNDED SUPPORT TO BRING NEW PRODUCTS AND SERVICES TO MARKET



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FULLY FUNDED INNOVATION DEVELOPMENT SUPPORT FOR ELIGIBLE COMPANIES

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- *Are you a small to medium sized enterprise (SME) operating in the Tees Valley area or the surrounding counties?
- Is your company focused on innovation and new product development?
- Are you seeking to leverage public funding to help your business realise its ambitions?

If the answer is yes,

then your business could be eligible for tailored innovation support delivered by technology experts from TWI and Teesside University.

PARTICIPATING COMPANIES WILL RECEIVE SUPPORT FROM TWI'S TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION MANAGEMENT TEAM WHO CAN:

- Help you turn your innovative idea into a new product that has the potential to attract collaborative public grant funding
- Bring together a consortium of experts from TWI's Industrial Membership base and innovation networks to work with you on developing your concept and taking it to market
- Provide advice and guidance on writing proposals for public grant funding bids
- Manage the end-to-end process from consortium building through proposal development to the final submitted bid



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WORKING WITH TEESSIDE UNIVERSITY, OUR PRODUCT PROTOTYPING TEAM CAN SUPPORT YOU WITH:

- Key enabling technologies in electronics, mechanics, photonics, Internet of Things (IoT), manufacturing simulation, chemistry and biology to realise the proof-ofconcept or prototype of your idea
- The development of smart products, bringing together physical components with sensing and actuating elements as well as computing devices and connectivity
- Facilities for manufacturing including inkjet 3D printing and micro-milling

BRING NEW PRODUCTS TO MARKET

Don't delay if you would like to discuss taking up this opportunity to accelerate your business's innovation activities.

Email us today

via **technologyinnovation@twi.co.uk**, and a technology expert will be in touch to explain more about this tailored innovation support.

TWI's track record since 2008:

Over

£600

Funding secured

400 Funded projects and counting

1,000+ Companies assisted

120+ Projects co-ordinated by TWI

*To be eligible for this funded support, companies must meet the European Union's definition of an SME: employ 249 people or less, have a turnover of less than €50M and a balance sheet total less than €43M