



Oxentia Foundation International Innovator's Programme (OXFIIP)

Terms and Conditions of participation

1. Overview

The Oxentia Foundation International Innovator's Programme (OXFIIP, "the Programme") provides fully-funded innovation support to a selected number of innovators. This support will be delivered by the Oxentia Foundation. Selected innovators will be supported for up to six (6) months through 1:1 mentoring, and will receive exposure and promotion support through the Oxentia Foundation networks.

2. Application and selection process

Applications to OXFIIP will be on a rolling basis. Up to 5 innovators will be supported concurrently by the programme (Oxentia foundation reserves the right to increase this in the future). Innovators will be nominated by in-country nominating partners (a full list of these partners is shown in Appendix 1).

Before applying for the Programme, please take the time to read through the Terms and Conditions and ensure that you meet all the criteria listed below. We also recommend that you consider the time commitments necessary to participate in the Programme.

If, after reading the Terms and Conditions, you would still like to apply, you must complete an application form, which will be sent to you privately from OXFIIP@oxentiafoundation.org. You will have two (2) weeks to complete the application form. If selected, you will have a 30-minute consultation interview with the OXFIIP programme manager, to determine the primary need and to agree the length of support provided, leading to a formal agreement between you and the Oxentia Foundation regulating the duration and nature of the support provided.

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3.1 Eligibility criteria

To be eligible for the OXFIIP programme, candidates must:

- Have been nominated by an in-country partner organisation of Oxentia Foundation
- Have an intermediate or advanced level of English
- Have developed a solution/project/innovation with high impact potential that has, as a minimum, initial market validation
- Looking to grow their project/solution/innovation and strengthen their business and teams
- Have knowledge and understanding of the current market and its competitors
- Be working on their project/solution/innovation at least part time (1-2 hours a week minimum)

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3.2 Evaluation criteria

Applications will be evaluated by Oxentia Foundation experts in innovation, who will use the following criteria:

- Description of the problem the idea/product/service addresses and how it addresses the problem
- What is the best alternative to the product/service (e.g. how does the market solve this problem now)
- Evidence of market validation and market traction (including sales)
- Amount of time the applicant is able to dedicate to the project
- Understanding of barriers facingd in commercialising the product/service
- Understanding of what support the Oxentia Foundation can provide, and what support the applicant is seeking

3.3 General terms and conditions

- 3.3.1 Prospective applicants who are nominated by an OXFIIIP nominating entity (see Appendix 1) can apply multiple times to the programme
- 3.3.2 It is the Applicants' responsibility to ensure they read and understand the eligibility and evaluation criteria and submit their application appropriately, on time and following the application instructions / requirements and in accordance with these terms and conditions.
- 3.3.3 Successful applicants must commit to the time required to receive the support, and to fulfilling promotional obligations with the Oxentia Foundation team. These may include:
- 3.3.3.1 Writing a short biography and providing a picture for the OXFIIIP website
 - 3.3.3.2 Participating in interviews with the Oxentia Foundation marketing team
 - 3.3.3.3 Providing monthly written updates on the project's progress and support received
 - 3.3.3.4 Participating in any data collection activity for the purpose of monitoring and evaluation up to 3 years following the end of their participation in OXFIIIP.
- 3.3.4 Any decision made by the Oxentia Foundation on accepting or rejecting an applicant to OXFIIIP is final and unappealable. Feedback on the application may be sought by email to OXFIIIP@oxentiafoundation.org
- 3.3.5 The Oxentia Foundation reserves the right to withdraw any application to the Programme that is found to be in breach of any of the pre-established conditions and / or rules laid out in the Term and Conditions.
- 3.3.6 The Oxentia Foundation reserves the right to update or amend these Terms and Conditions or foreclose the Programme without prior notice at any time.
- 3.3.7 The Oxentia Foundation reserves the right in its sole discretion to disqualify any individual that corrupts or affects the administration, security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of this Programme.
- 3.3.8 The Programme and these Terms and Conditions are governed by English law and any disputes will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England.
- 3.3.9 To the fullest extent permitted by law and excluding death or permanent injury caused as a result of the Oxentia Foundation's negligence, the Oxentia Foundation accepts no liability for loss or injury as a result of the Programme or receipt or misuse of any support received.
- 3.3.10 No cash or other alternatives to the prize fund will be offered and the place on the programme is not transferable.

3.3.11 The Oxentia Foundation accepts no responsibility for applications lost, damaged or delayed in transit.

3.4 Costs

The programme is free of charge to participating innovators. Applicants/participants will be responsible for any costs incurred in the process of the programme.

3.5 Data protection

For information on how Oxentia Foundation processes applicants and participants personal data, please read the Oxentia privacy notice in the link below. Alternatively, the privacy notice will be available to read and download on the Programme application landing page. <https://www.oxentia.com/privacy-policy/>