

French - South Africa, Cross Acceleration Programme 2021 - Application Form

TuksNovation, the high-tech business incubator at the University of Pretoria (UP) is pleased to announce their partnership with the Institut Mines-Télécom (IMT) Lille Douai, the French National School of Engineering, and their business incubator, EuraTechnologies in an incubation exchange programme between South Africa and France that will offer technology start-ups the opportunity to test and validate their business models and solutions in a foreign market. Please submit your application on with your 10 minute video presentation on the online form:

[Application Submission](#)

Scope of Entries

The start-ups must be a technology start-up company from the University of Pretoria or an incubatee at TuksNovation. Entries must be a registered company with a Tax Clearance pin. NO entries at "idea" stage will be accepted. Entries will be accepted for technologies from companies which demonstrate innovation in the business model, underlying technology, or the application of the technology. Entries must demonstrate a need in a specific market for the relevant technology through user or customer validation or preliminary market research. A demonstrated commercial feasibility and a need for access to French markets could be beneficial for the applicant.

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| Registered Company Name: | |
| Main contact person. Title, name and surname: | |

Employee/ Team members

| Title, Name and Surname | Role in the business | Email address | Phone number | ID Number |
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| Team member who will represent the company | |
| Name of Institution/University: | |
| Focus Industry: | |
| 1. Business description: | |
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| 2. Describe how your business will benefit from the programme. | |
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Programme costs

Exchange programme

The following costs are to be covered: One person for the 2 months in France includes, accommodation, flights to and from South Africa and France, incubation program fees, an entrepreneur stipend, and marketing for the start-up to potential customers. Meals, drinks and local transport fees are excluded.

3. Describe how the team can allocate time and resources to take part in the incubation programme.

4. Describe the technological innovativeness of your business and how to whom does it deliver value?

You are welcome to submit supplementary documents on the online submission form. [SA Online Application](#)