

ENABLE– INNOSEED ENAC CALL

APPLICATION FORM

All applicants must complete this grant submission form, which should be countersigned by the professor hosting the project, and sent to:

enable-innoseed@epfl.ch

Key dates

Submission deadline: by 30th March 2017

Final selection decision: by 30th April 2017

Start of funding: within 3 months following decision

Funding regulations

(For any further question, please send an email to enable-innoseed@epfl.ch)

The Enable-InnoSeed ENAC call for projects is a joint initiative of the School of Architecture, Civil and Environmental Engineering (ENAC) and the Enable Program of the Technology Transfer Office (TTO) aiming to ease the path to commercialization of promising innovation projects stemming from ENAC.

The grants under the call are to refine or upgrade an invention, validate specific applications and explore markets, and should be pivotal for the invention/technology to bridge to private-sector funding through industrial collaboration, licensing or start-ups. The funding should also help scientists and engineers develop a business-minded perspective on their work.

This call is open to ENAC researchers who have submitted or wish to do so, an invention or software disclosure to the EPFL's Technology Transfer Office ([TTO](#)).

The InnoSeed ENAC and Enable Program will provide guidance of the grantees during the project.

Grant amount	Up to 60kCHF per project
Project duration	6 months maximum
Starting date	Anytime within 3 months following decision
Submission deadline	By March 30, 2017
Decision delay	By April 30, 2017
Costs covered	Salaries (internal and outsourcing), hardware, software and consumables
Pre-condition	Patent application filed or in the process of being filed with the TTO or existing software code
Responsibilities & reporting	Manage the project and resources
	Follow-up meetings to be scheduled with the enable-InnoSeed team
	Submit final project report
Evaluation criteria	Innovation impact and addressable market
	Scientific relevance to ENAC's research topics and societal concerns
	Technology readiness level
	Relevance for future steps towards commercialization
Questions & application	enable-innoseed@epfl.ch

Project Title:

Research Field

Applicant(s)

Main Applicant: *(Name, email, phone, laboratory)*

Other applicant(s): *(Names, emails, phones, laboratories)*

Grant Application

Total amount requested (CHF)

Requested starting date (max duration 6 months)

CONTEXT & PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Describe here the context of your project, the state of the art, applications and potential market impact. Explain the "issue" addressed by your project (300 words max)

CURRENT STATUS & EXPECTED OUTCOME

Describe here the current status of the project and the expected deliverables of the grant (300 words max.)

TIMELINE & BUDGET

Timeline of the project, amount and allocation of the grant (salaries, hardware, software, outsourcing, etc.)

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Is your invention or software already disclosed to the TTO?

NEXT STEPS

Tell us in a few words what would be the next steps after this grant (industrial collaboration, licensing, start-up, future applications for grants, etc.)

PARTNERSHIPS

Do you have initiated/established partnerships with other laboratories, private or public institution or Industry?

OTHER FUNDING SOURCES

Is your project funded by other sources ? (if yes, please indicate which ones)

SIGNATURES

Applicant(s)

Head of Laboratory