

University of Western Australia
Fully Funded Curtin Ignition Sponsorship 2018
Background and Eligibility

UWA's Research Development and Innovation (RDI) is sponsoring two UWA students or staff to attend the Curtin Ignition Program in 2018.

UWA's Research Development and Innovation (RDI) office works with researchers to:

- Develop research opportunities
- Create impact from research
- protect and commercialise intellectual property created at UWA

RDI also works with industry to facilitate collaborative research projects and access to new technologies.

An **information session** will be held at UWA as follows:

- Date: Wednesday 4th July
- Time: 3.30-4.30pm
- Venue: **UWA Reid Library Circle**, University of Western Australia, Stirling Highway, Crawley
- RSVP for the information session required : execed@curtin.edu.au

Ignition is an intensive 5½-day education program for aspiring entrepreneurs, academics and corporate innovators to trial and prepare their business ideas for the commercial environment.

Ignition is open to anyone with a business idea, research project or early stage business venture that could become a high growth business. Application from new and aspiring entrepreneurs with limited experience of starting a business are encouraged to apply. Passion and ambition to take ideas forward and 'make it happen' are highly important attributes for success at Ignition.

Applicants must be prepared to commit one full week (1.30pm Sunday 26th to 9pm Friday 31 August, 2018) of their time to an intensive and results-focused program. Fluency in spoken and written English is essential.

Scholarship applications are judged on their individual merit based on the following eligibility criteria:

- The applicant is currently a UWA student or staff
- The novelty of your business, idea or invention
- The market potential and uniqueness of your proposal
- The applicant is willing to assign IP rights to UWA and commercialise in line with UWA's IP policy

Award of sponsorship places are made based on the written information provided in the application form.

Apply online at: www.ignition.curtin.edu.au; students, please state your student number and course and Staff please state your staff number and staff position.

Closing date is July 13th 2018.

Scholarships are limited to one per business, and terms and conditions apply.

For information regarding the sponsorship please contact RDI:

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