**Research Ireland Enterprise Fellowships Programme 2025**

**Indicative Enterprise Mentor Form**

This word document is provided solely for information purposes. All Enterprise Mentors must complete their form through the online system by the exact stated deadline**.** Please see the Enterprise Mentor’s **Guide to the Online System** document on the Irish Research Council [website](https://research.ie/funding/eps-postdoc/) for more information on registering and submitting your form online.

* All sections must be completed

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| **Application in Irish:**  Yes 🞏  No 🞏  There is the option on the online system at this point to upload an English translation, should you wish to do so, which will accompany your submitted mentor form. Should you submit a mentor form in Irish without submitting your own English translation, the Council will arrange for a translation of the form. The online system will only accept documents in PDF format. |

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| **ENTERPRISE PARTNER DETAILS** |

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| **Enterprise Partner Name** |

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| **Enterprise partner type:** (tick box as appropriate)  🞏 For Profit Company 🞏 Multinational Corporation🞏 Small/Medium EnterpriseA white background with black text  AI-generated content may be incorrect.MicroSmallMedium🞏 Not For ProfitRegistered Charity Registered Charity No:Private company limited by guaranteeSocial and recreational ClubEmployee beneficiary associationsPrivate foundationCharitable trustsCommunity groupsReligiousOther Please specify 🞏 Public/State body  Parent Department |

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| **Is your Enterprise located in the Republic of Ireland?**  Yes/No  Address in Ireland: | |
| **Total Annual Turnover:**  **Annual Turnover excluding state funding and private donations:**  **Description of activity:**  **Total number of employees (FTEs)**  **Number of employees in R&D (FTEs)**  **How long has the company/organisation been operating in Ireland/abroad (as appropriate)?** |  |

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| **ENTERPRISE MENTOR DETAILS** |

The Enterprise Partner will nominate a research mentor from within the organisation to assist the Researcher, to act as part of the supervisory/mentorship team and to contribute to the overall development of the Researcher.

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| **Enterprise Mentor Name:**  **Gender:** (this is for internal reporting purposes only and has no impact on the application)  **Enterprise Mentor Job Title:**  **Contact Telephone:**  **Contact E-mail:**  **Please provide details of relevant mentoring experience to date:**  **[Max 250 words]** |

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| **ENTERPRISE PARTNER HOST ENVIRONMENT – FACILITIES AND SUPPORTS** |

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| **Please provide details of relevant Company/Organisation work in the research area proposed:**  [Max 250 words] |

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| **How will collaboration with the Irish Research Body benefit the Company/Organisation?**  [Max 250 words] |

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| **Is the Enterprise partner an Undertaking, as defined by the European court?**  *The State aid rules only apply where the direct or indirect beneficiary of a measure is an “undertaking”. An undertaking is broadly defined by the European Court as any entity engaged in economic activity, regardless of their legal status and the way in which they are financed. An economic activity consists of offering goods and services in the market.. Please refer to the Call Document for more details*  Yes 🞏  **If Yes, is this project likely to give rise to state aid?**    No 🞏  **If No, please justify why the enterprise partner is not an undertaking** |

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| **Please describe how the research project will comply with conditions of “effective collaboration”[[1]](#footnote-1) and that the conditions relating to the allocation between the parties of the results and/or intellectual property rights arising from the collaboration comply with one of the conditions set out in paragraph 29 and 30 (as appropriate) of the European Commission Framework for State aid for research and development and innovation (2022/C 414/01)[[2]](#footnote-2). Please review the Call Document for further context around and guidance on what is required in response to each of these questions.** |

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| **If the researcher is supported by a Research Ireland award, how will he/she make a specific contribution to the work of your Company/Organisation?**  Please use ‘the Applicant’ rather than the person’s name, s/he, or his/her. This is to avoid potential unconscious gender bias in the evaluation of applications.  [Max 250 words] |

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| **Please provide details of how the Researcher will benefit from working with your Company/Organisation on the research as proposed.**  Please use ‘the Applicant’ rather than the person’s name, s/he, or his/her. This is to avoid potential unconscious gender bias in the evaluation of applications.  [Max 250 words] |

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| **Are you intending to support more than one application to this year’s programme?**  \*Please use ‘the Applicant’ rather than the person’s name, s/he, or his/her. This is to avoid potential unconscious gender bias in the evaluation of applications.   * **Yes** * **No**   **If yes, please confirm that the projects are different and explain how.**  [300 words] |

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| **IRISH RESEARCH BODY DETAILS** |
| **Irish Research Body Name:**  **Do you support the participation of the Higher Education Institute/Irish Research Body to mentor the Applicant in the Enterprise Partnership Postdoctoral Scheme?**  Yes 🞏  No🞏 |

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| **Please provide details of discussions you have had with the Irish Research Body/HEI about the proposed research.**  Please include details of previous collaborations with the Irish Research Body if any.  **[Max 250 words]** |

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| **DECLARATION** |
| **I hereby declare that I have read and accept the requirements for this scheme as set out in the associated Call Document and the Terms and Conditions on the Research Ireland website.**  I agree 🞏 |

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| **A Research Agreement (in particular relating to intellectual property, foreground IP and publishing) is agreed, or will be agreed, between the Enterprise Partner and the host Eligible Research Body and a copy of the Research Agreement will be made available to the Research Ireland (if requested) prior to commencement of the Award.**  I agree 🞏 |

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| **I confirm that the information supplied in this Enterprise Mentor Form is correct**  I agree 🞏 |

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| **I confirm that I have not disclosed the name, gender, or the nationality of the applicant in this form**  I agree 🞏 |

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| **Where state aid applies to this award, I accept that the funds provided under this programme will be granted under the Effective Collaboration exemption for State aid.**  I agree |

1. Effective collaboration is defined at paragraph 28 of the RDI Framework [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. <https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/ALL/?uri=uriserv:OJ.C_.2022.414.01.0001.01.ENG> [↑](#footnote-ref-2)