

Technology Start-up Support Scheme for Universities (TSSSU)

Objective

To provide funding support to 6 local universities to encourage their students and professors to start up technology businesses and commercialise their research and development (R&D) results

Details

Funding Amount:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• HK\$8,000,000 for each university per year• HK\$1,500,000 at maximum for each technology start-up per year and for not more than 3 years
Funding basis:	Funding is provided to the universities on a reimbursement basis after the close of each Government financial year
Scope of funding:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Operational expenses• R&D expenditure• Marketing expenses
Applicable to Universities as follows:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• City University of Hong Kong (CityU)• Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU)• The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK)• The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (PolyU)• The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST)• The University of Hong Kong (HKU)

Eligibility & Requirement

1. It is registered in Hong Kong under the Companies Ordinance for not more than two years as of the date of the application deadline; and
2. The team forming the start-up may have any mix of the students and professors of the university
 - Undergraduates, postgraduates or alumni; and/or
 - Professor(s) serving as consultant(s) providing technical expertise and direction of the R&D

Application Procedure

You may contact the Knowledge Transfer Office/Technology Transfer Office of the host universities for their own application procedure and deadline.

Implementation Agent

Innovation and Technology Commission

Please [click here](#) for further information or **contact SME ReachOut at +852 2788 6868**.

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