

LEAP Entrepreneurship grant

The LEAP Entrepreneurship Grant is competitively awarded to commencing candidates in the MPhil in Engineering Entrepreneurship. The grant is designed to recognise and support innovative research projects with strong entrepreneurial potential. UNSW Engineering has a strong history of innovation, entrepreneurship and successful translation of research to benefit society. This award seeks to further build our culture of innovation in its research students.

Value

Valued at up to \$10,000, this grant supports research project expenses including consumables and infrastructure access.

Eligibility

Domestic and international applicants for the MPhil in Engineering Entrepreneurship.

Scope of funding

This award contributes towards research project expenses, including consumables and infrastructure access. Funds will be allocated to a project managed by the UNSW Engineering primary supervisor with expenditure required within 2 years of release. This award must not be used to fund salaries, stipends, IP filing or maintenance costs, conference registration or professional development.

Application process

Applicants submit an [Expression of Interest](#) for the MPhil in Engineering Entrepreneurship and complete the relevant section in the EOI to be considered for this competitive award. Shortlisted applicants and their proposed UNSW primary supervisor will progress to the interview stage. Following the stage 2 interview, applicants will be notified of the EOI outcome, including the LEAP Entrepreneurship Grant, prior to the UNSW deadline to apply for entry to the program. *Please note that a successful EOI or Grant outcome does not guarantee an offer of admission to UNSW.*

Evaluation criteria

EOIs will be evaluated for:

- the originality and creativity of the research idea,
- the practicality and potential for successful implementation,
- the potential to address a significant challenge or create a new opportunity for the field,
- the strength of the budget justification

Post-award requirements

A report upon project completion, detailing project outcomes, budget expenditure, and future plans.

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