



Global Victoria EdTech Innovation Alliance

Program Overview

Timeline

Activity	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
Education Innovation Workshop			☑											
Conduct EOI Process			☑	☑										
- Announce successful projects					☑									
Innovation Sprints						☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑			
Innovation Symposium														☑



Eligibility



EdTech Company

Victorian EdTech company

- Financial viability test will apply
- Need to be export ready

Education institutions

- Victorian institutes
- International education institute

Researcher

- Appointed by EduGrowth



Innovation Sprint Organisations

	Option 1	Option 2
Researcher	Appointed by EduGrowth	Appointed by EduGrowth
EdTech Company	Victorian EdTech Company - may be project lead	Non-Victorian Company - With Victorian operations - Intention to establish in Victoria - May NOT be project lead
Education Institution	Victorian Public Education Institution - may be project lead & International Education Institution - May NOT be project lead	Victorian Public Education Institution - MUST be project lead & International Education Institution - May NOT be project lead





Submission Deadline

18 October 2021
5:30pm (AEDT)

Key Selection Criteria

Criterion 1: Project Objective

- a. Provide an overview of your proposed project, the activities that will be undertaken and the impact and benefit for all partners.
- b. Outline the role of each Partner in the project.



Key Selection Criteria

Criterion 2: Project Outline

- a. Describe the education problem your project addresses, the target audience and the EdTech solution you will deploy.
- b. Describe the implementation plan for your EdTech solution including the engagement with each Partner and the proposed evidence you will collect to demonstrate the efficacy of your solution.
- c. Upload a basic timeline outlining your project delivery.

Things to Consider

Target Audience could include, but is not limited to: Learners, Teachers, Institutions, Parents. Any target audience must have a direct connection to your proposed evidence collection and efficacy analysis.

Ensure your evidence and efficacy plan is connected back to your target audience.

Projects are capped at 26 weeks maximum. Your project needs to address the academic year with each of the partners you are working with. Please limit your project plan to a 1 A4 page high level plan.



Key Selection Criteria

Criterion 3: Research Output and Impact

- a. Describe the evidence you propose to collect, how will it demonstrate the efficacy of your solution and how you plan to engage the EdTech Innovation Alliance research partner.
- b. Outline the benefits to each of the partners from your project and the long term benefits you expect beyond the project.

Things to Consider

Note that EduGrowth will appoint a Research partner on your behalf.

Benefits for partners could include:

- Education outcomes
- Impact on the users of the EdTech solution
- Commercial benefits including increased export opportunities
- Improved profile for the education partners



Key Selection Criteria

Criterion 4: Partner Experience

- a. Outline your experience in deploying EdTech solutions. Detail all partner's experience in education, research engagement and capacity to deliver the project in its entirety.



Key Selection Criteria

Criterion 5: Finance

- a. Outline the need for funding from the EdTech Innovation Alliance and how the grant funds will be used.

Things to Consider

Matched funding is not a requirement, though cash and in-kind contributions will be viewed favourably.

Successful grant applicants will be subject to a financial probity review prior to entering into a standard grant agreement.



Key Selection Criteria

Criterion 6: Budget

- a. Outline the need for funding from the EdTech Innovation Alliance and how the grant funds will be used. List all projected income and expenditure items for the entire project, including any financial or in-kind contributions by any partners.
- b. Upload a detailed project budget.

Things to Consider

Items to consider:

- Employment costs
- Marketing
- Project management
- Technology
- Marketing and Communications

Budget items should relate back to the key milestones in your project plan.



Timeline for Innovation Sprint Outcome

Activity	Week 27 Sep	Week 4 Oct	Week 11 Oct	Week 18 Oct	Week 25 Oct	Week 1 Nov	Week 8 Nov	Week 15 Nov	Week 22 Nov
Expression of Interest	☑	☑	☑	☑					
EOI Stage 1 Review				☑					
EOI Stage 2 Review					☑	☑			
Grant Agreements Negotiated						☑	☑		
Outcomes Released								☑	
Projects Publicised									☑



Funding



Successful project leads will enter into a funding agreement with EduGrowth which outlines the commitments and obligations under the grant, as well as the general funding terms and conditions.

Successful projects will be required to submit progress reports against milestones and provide evidence of project completion.



Funding Installments

Activity	Date	Amount
Milestone 1	December 2021	40%
Milestone 2	January 2022	30%
Milestone 3	April 2022	20%
Milestone 4	July 2022	10%



Resources



EIA Program Page and Resources:

Application and Grant Guidelines

International Research Partnership
Guidelines.

edugrowth.org.au/eia

EOI Application Page:

edugrowth.grantplatform.com



Any Questions?





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