

Institute of Technology Carlow

Enterprise Platform Programme

An Opportunity To Start Your Own Business In A Supportive Environment

The Enterprise Platform Programme is a one-year full-time professional training and enterprise development programme aimed at giving entrepreneurs who have a well thought out innovative business idea or technology the appropriate support while setting out to establish their business. The programme commences in early 2010.

What you will get from the programme?

- Individual office space at the Institute's Enterprise & Research Incubation Centre
- Hands-on business advice, training & direction
- Introduction to networks and support agencies
- Personal mentoring
- Support funding under Enterprise Ireland's CORD initiative up to a maximum of €30,000 may be available to suitably qualified candidates.

Who is eligible to Apply?

Applicants should:

- hold a diploma, degree or higher qualification in any discipline (though exceptions may be made for non-graduates who show high potential)
- have a business or project idea that is innovative, knowledge based, export focused and has job creation potential
- have enthusiasm, confidence and single-mindedness about setting up and running your own business

For further information or to apply for the programme:

Please call **059 9175220** or email Brian Ogilvie at **enterprisedevelopment@itcarlow.ie** or go to www.eric.ie

Closing Date for Applications is Friday 26th February 2010



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