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An opportunity to start your own business in a supportive environment

ENTERPRISE PLATFORM PROGRAMME

The Enterprise Platform Programme is a one-year full-time professional training and enterprise support programme aimed at entrepreneurs who have a well thought out innovative business idea or technology that has the potential to be transformed into a High Potential Start Up company. The programme commences on the 3rd March 2008.

WHAT YOU WILL GET FROM THE PROGRAMME

- Individual desk space at the Institute of Technology Carlow.
- Hands-on business advice & direction.
- Access to training and consultancy services of partner organisations.
- Introduction to networks of mentors, venture capitalists and other support agencies.
- Personal mentoring relevant to grow the enterprise or product development under the programme mentoring scheme delivered by experts in the field of business management and development.
- Support funding under Enterprise Ireland's CORD initiative 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, has job creation potential and the potential to earn external revenues.
- have enthusiasm, confidence and single-mindedness about setting up and running your own business.

HOW TO APPLY: Please submit a summary of your business proposal (maximum 4 pages) and CV to: Enterprise Development Officer, External Services Department, Institute of Technology Carlow, Kilkenny Road, Carlow
Tel: 059 9176373 Fax: 059 9176372

Email: enterprisedevelopment@itcarlow.ie

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For further information please contact Brian Ogilvie at the above address.

Closing Date for Applications is Friday 1st February 2008



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