UKRI IAA EPSRC Catalyst Fund Call for Proposals

Open Call: Grant Funding Spend Deadline: 31st March 2027

The Impact Acceleration Account (IAA) is a combination of grants awarded to The University of Manchester. IAA funding supports the research and innovation ecosystem to develop wider impacts from research through fast and flexible funding for knowledge exchange activities.

The UoM Knowledge Exchange Partnerships Team, part of Business Engagement and Knowledge Exchange, is pleased to announce an open call for:

EPSRC Catalyst Fund

Support for short-term projects that accelerates research towards impact through partnership and knowledge exchange

- Deadline: Open Call
- Download the Application form
- Download the Quick guide

Eligibility

Projects are no longer required to be directly related to previous funded research, but must fall within the remit and priorities of EPSRC.

Eligible collaborators are UK-based businesses (including UK sites of international businesses), UK charities, and UK public sector organisations such as the NHS. Non-UK based businesses may be eligible where there is demonstrable evidence of the intention for inward investment during or beyond the lifetime of the project (e.g. establishing a UK site, job creation). If you have any queries regarding user organisation eligibility, please contact the Knowledge Exchange Partnerships Team.

Do you have a potential project?

The Knowledge Exchange Partnerships Team provide advice and support for the development of IAA submissions. **You are strongly advised to contact us via** kepartnerships@manchester.ac.uk.

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