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| **ESRC SeNSS Business Boost Funding****Industry Engagement Fund Application** |
| Please refer to the Guidance for the PhD Industry Impact Fund, or contact Nikki Pockett (SeNSS-IAA Business Engagement and Impact Officer, IAADTP@senss-dtp.ac.uk) or your Institution’s ESRC doctoral or IAA support if you have any questions. |
| **Part 1: applicant information** |
| Name: |  |
| UNIVERSITY: |  |
| STUDENT NUMBER: |  |
| Thesis title (even if provisional): |  |
| Year of PhD and expected end date of PhD: |  |
| EMAIL: |  |
| Supervisor(s): |  |
| How is your PhD funded: |  |
| **Part 2: title & dates** |
| Title of proposed engagement activity: |  |
| Proposed start date: |  |
| Expected end date: |  |
| **Part 3: application questions** |
| **QUESTION 1*:* PROPOSED ACTIVITIES (please limit to approximately 500 words)**Please explain how you will use the funding, the proposed activities and the business or industry partners involved.  |
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| **QUESTION 2*:* UNDERPINNING RESEARCH (please limit to approximately 200 words)** Please describe the links to your own research and/or training.  |
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| **QUESTION 3*:* ANTICIPATED OUTCOMES (please limit to approximately 200 words)**Please describe the outcomes you expect from your activities, and whether you anticipate potential for future collaborations or impact activities resulting from this engagement. |
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| **QUESTION 4*:* RISKS & ASSUMPTIONS (please limit to approximately 200 words)**Please describe any potential risks involved with the project and how you will mitigate these. Please also list your assumptions (e.g. contacts being available within the company, etc.) |
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| **PART 4: BUDGET**Provide a **breakdown** of the funds requested, giving: a **description of the expense** (e.g. travel, subsistence/meals, room hire, catering, accommodation, equipment, event fees, other costs); the **amount** you anticipate it costing, as closely calculated as possible; and **the time period** and the activity to which it relates.  |
| **A. Description of expense** | **Amount** | **Time period** |
|  | **£** |  |
|  | **£** |  |
|  | **£** |  |
| **Total:** | **£** |  |

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| **B. In-kind or matched funding (if applicable – not required)** | **Amount** | **Time period** |
|  | **£** |  |
|  | **£** |  |
|  | **£** |  |
| **Total:** | **£** |  |

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| **PART 5: Statement of support from supervisor**To be filled out and signed by your PhD supervisor. Supervisor: please comment on how the funding would benefit the student (either in research, training, or knowledge exchange), and indicate if the level of resources requested is appropriate. |
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| Name & signature\* of supervisor: |

\* An email directly from the supervisor confirming this statement can replace a signature.

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| **Please submit this form electronically Nikki Pockett (SeNSS-IAA Business Engagement and Impact Officer, IAADTP@senss-dtp.ac.uk)** |