"How-To of Innovation, Technology, and Entrepreneurship"

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Innovation ecosystem programmes
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SCOTLAND CAN DO
ACTION FRAMEWORK
Building on our vision to become a world-leading entrepreneurial and innovative nation
Our vision is of Scotland as a world-leading entrepreneurial and innovative nation a CAN DO place for business.

Our ambition is to achieve:

• an increase in entrepreneurship and innovation activity from individuals and businesses in Scotland resulting in more businesses being formed and new products and services from existing businesses;

• more people from all walks of life with the ambition and skills to create, lead and grow successful businesses;

• an education system with entrepreneurship and innovation at its core, seizing the opportunities presented by Curriculum for Excellence, college reform and the world-leading strength of our universities;

• more of our knowledge and intellectual capital being commercialised and greatly increased collaboration between business and the academic sector;

• a greater focus on, and share of, global markets as our business leaders grow in confidence and expand their horizons internationally
Mapping the eco-system

Young Enterprise Scotland (YES)

Young Enterprise Scotland supports young people aged 16-25 across Scotland. We provide training and practical learning experiences to young people of all backgrounds.

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- Aspiring Entrepreneur, In Education
“an education system with entrepreneurship and innovation at its core, seizing the opportunities presented by Curriculum for Excellence, college reform and the world-leading strength of our universities;”
Bridge 2 Business is an interactive and engaging programme to inspire, connect and support college students into business.
INSPIRE..........how?
CONNECT..........how?
SUPPORT..........how?
Summary

• Have high ambitions

• Survey and evaluate the landscape

• Collaborate – do not be territorial

• Think of the long term

• Be prepared to change and be prepared to fail

• Do not lose focus of the outcomes
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