



FOOD WORKS

CREATING GLOBAL FOOD ENTREPRENEURS

Bord Bia
Irish Food Board

ENTERPRISE IRELAND
where innovation means business

teagasc
AGRICULTURE AND FOOD DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

The Five Phases of Food Works



JULY - NOVEMBER 2014

PLAN YOUR PATH

Learn about Food Works and decide if it is for you at our 1:1 clinics.



OCTOBER & NOVEMBER 2014

IMMERSE YOURSELF

Participate in regional information seminars.



NOVEMBER 2014

BOOK YOUR PLACE

The closing date for applications is **20th November 2014**.



JANUARY - MAY 2015

TAKE YOUR FIRST STEPS

Weekly/fortnightly **workshops** and **advisory sessions**.
Output: Feasibility analysis.



JUNE - DECEMBER 2015

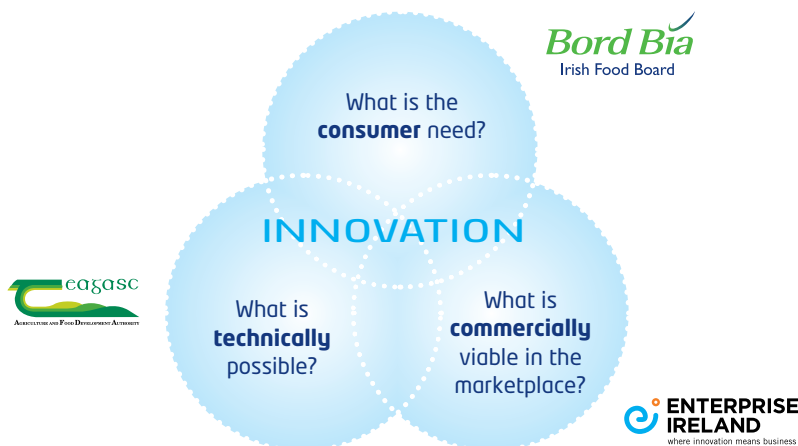
BEGIN YOUR VENTURE

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Output: investor ready business plan.

PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

There is much talk and excitement about the Irish agri-food industry. Recognising entrepreneurship as the seedbed for innovation and growth, Teagasc, Bord Bia and Enterprise Ireland combined its resources and developed Food Works. It is a new innovative initiative aimed at creating and nurturing global food entrepreneurs. The programme is designed for ambitious and experienced teams who want to develop global food businesses for scalable export growth.

It is a five stage programme. Acceptance to stages 4 & 5 is a competitive process. Once accepted, participants will be provided with the tools and supports to undertake a detailed Feasibility analysis in stage 4 and an investor ready business plan in stage 5.



This programme represents the first comprehensive collaboration between the three support organisations, with each bringing something unique to the table. Teagasc can offer its technical expertise; Enterprise Ireland the commercial and business element and Bord Bia, a wealth of marketing and consumer knowledge.

To check programme eligibility, register your interest, and to hear from previous participants go to www.foodworksireland.ie now.

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