

**Collaborative Research Impact Award Nomination Form 2019**

The Collaborative Research Impact Award recognises and celebrates collaborative projects between Irish publicly-funded research performing organisations (RPOs) and industry that have delivered demonstrable impact for the business and the RPO involved.

The demonstrable impact must have been realised during the specified time period between 1st January 2018 – 30th June 2019. However, the collaboration itself may have occurred in previous years.

**Notes for Submissions**

Completed submissions must be received by email to:

awards@knowledgetransferireland.com

Submissions are to be received no later than 5pm on Thursday 5th September 2019**.** Submissions after this time will not be accepted.

Please make sure to read the [**Terms & Conditions**](https://www.knowledgetransferireland.com/Events/KTI-Impact-Awards/KTI-Impact-Awards-2019/2019%20Impact%20Awards%20TAndCs.pdf)before completing your submission.

It is also recommended that you take time to read our [**Tips for Successful Submissions**](https://www.knowledgetransferireland.com/Events/KTI-Impact-Awards/KTI-Impact-Awards-2019/2019%20Impact%20Awards%20Tips%20for%20Submission.pdf)in before submitting your nomination.

The word count in brackets throughout the form indicate the maximum number of words permitted. Submissions exceeding the word count may be discounted.

**SECTION 1 – NOMINATION DETAILS**

**Nominator Details**

*All nominations for the Collaborative Research award must be submitted by a TTO/ILO Director or equivalent.*

**Nominator Name (TTO Director or Equivalent)**

**Nominator’s Current Position**

**HEI/RPO Name**

**Please provide details of the lead researcher(s) that worked together on this project.**

**Name of Lead Researcher**

**Department/Faculty of Lead Researcher**

**Please provide details of the company that worked together with the RPO on this project and the contact person there.**

**Company name**

**Contact person within the company & job title**

**Company url (if applicable)**

**Company Description (150 words max.)**

**Please provide a brief description of the company/companies that collaborated as part of the project, the company size, activity and products and/or services.**

**NOTE: This should be a summary paragraph for the judges’ information. Care should be taken not to simply copy text from company website or elsewhere.**

**SECTION 2 – IMPACT SUMMARY**

**Commercial impact (300 words max.)**

**Please provide a summary of the commercial impact the project has had ensuring you highlight specific outcomes and results. What in particular happened in 2018/19 that was significant as a result of this collaboration? For example, you should include details of new processes developed, new products or services, job creation, sales development or any impact that may have resulted on the decision making within the company.**

**Impact on the RPO (150 words max.)**

**Please describe the impact that the collaboration has had on the RPO.**

**SECTION 3 – COLLABORATIVE PROJECT DETAILS**

**Summary (300 words max.)**

**Please provide a summary of the collaborative research project outlining the background to the project, why the company chose to work with you and what was involved.**

**Subsequent interactions (100 words max)**

**Please detail any subsequent interactions that may have taken place between the company and the RPO since the collaboration detailed in this submission.**

**Please indicate the sources of public funding that may have underpinned this project. This may include funding specifically for the project or any funding that led to the project being undertaken.**

* Science Foundation Ireland [ ]
* Irish Research Council [ ]
* Enterprise Ireland [ ]
* H2020 [ ]
* Other (please detail below) [ ]

**Did the company provide any funding for the project?**

**Yes** [ ]  **No** [ ]

**SECTION 4 – TTO / ILO / RESEARCH CONTRACTS OFFICE**

**TTO/ILO/Contracts Office Support (300 words max.)**

**Please describe the way in which the TTO/ILO or Research Contracts Office supported the collaboration, paying particular attention to the value that the office brought to the project. For example, through business development, contract negotiation, funding application support, relationship management, etc.**

**SECTION 5 – DECLARATION**

**I declare that the information provided by me in this application is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.** [ ]

**I have read and fully accept the Terms and Conditions for the KTI Impact Awards 2019.** [ ]