



Digital Transformation Flexible Fund



The Digital Transformation Flexible Fund (DTFF) is a demand led grant scheme aimed at establishing a Northern Ireland wide fund to stimulate digital innovation.

It seeks to address the financial barriers to the adoption of advanced digital technologies to achieve business transformation amongst small and micro-businesses.

Funding Available:

The DTFF will enable the purchasing of capital equipment and/or resources for 'off the shelf' software solutions and/or bespoke system development, based on the following advanced digital technologies:



Smart technologies/smart environments, the Internet of Things (IoT) and simulation



Process automation via robotics/cobotics, additive manufacturing



Big-data and analytics



Immersive Technologies (AR/VR/MR/Haptics)



Artificial intelligence and machine learning



Horizontal and vertical system integration, distributed ledger systems/ blockchain technologies



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**£5,000 -
£20,000**

Eligible businesses can access between £5,000 to £20,000 ex VAT to cover up to 70% of the total value of an investment project.

30%

All applicants will be required to provide 30% matched co-investment of the overall project costs.

Applicant Eligibility:

Businesses wishing to access the Digital Transformation Flexible Fund must:

- Be based in Northern Ireland and operate within 1 of the 11 local Council areas;
- Be a small or micro-business;
- Be VAT registered;
- Be actively trading for a minimum of 12 months;
- Have a Digital Transformation Plan or equivalent;
- Be centred on one or more of the six advanced digital technologies.

The Programme is open to all sectors with the exception of primary agriculture, forestry and fisheries.



For more information and how to apply, please scan the QR code or visit us online.

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