

EntrePass

Overview

EntrePass is a work pass scheme under Startup SG Talent for promising entrepreneurs keen to start businesses in Singapore. The scheme has been enhanced to facilitate the entry and stay of global entrepreneurial talent who can complement our local skillsets and contribute to a more vibrant high tech startup ecosystem. The enhanced EntrePass scheme will take effect on 3 August 2017.

Partner Agencies

Partner agencies are appointed to assess and support EntrePass applicants who meet the criteria. SGInnovate is one of the partner agencies for the EntrePass scheme, along with SPRING Singapore and the Infocomm Media Development Authority (IMDA). In addition to the basic criteria, applicants need to meet a set of qualifying criteria specific to each partner agency respectively. We will evaluate the applications of participants of SGInnovate's programmes based on the criteria laid out below. Qualified participants should have been informed of eligibility prior to application.

Eligibility Criteria

You are eligible for an EntrePass under SGInnovate if you:

- (a)
- Have (or intend to start) a private limited company registered with the [Accounting and Corporate Regulatory Authority](#).
 - If registered, the company must be less than 6 months old on the date of application.
 - If the company has not been registered, this can be done after the outcome of the application is known.
- (b) Meet any of the following minimum eligibility criteria for application as an Entrepreneur:

+ [1] Has raised funding from a Government-recognised VC or business angel

Your company raised funding of at least \$100,000 from a government investment vehicle, venture capitalist (VC) or business angel that is recognised by a Singapore Government agency. For applicants seeking support from SGInnovate, the following VCs are applicable:

- [SGInnovate](#) (formerly Infocomm Investments Pte Ltd)

Requirement

You must submit a shareholder certificate and other relevant documentation to support your application.

+ [2] Is an incubatee at a Government-recognised incubator/accelerator

Your company is an incubatee at an incubator/accelerator in Singapore that is recognised by the Government. For applicants seeking support from SGInnovate, the following incubators/accelerators are applicable:

- SGInnovate-linked incubation or acceleration programmes

For further information regarding the above stated criteria, please contact SGInnovate at info@sginnovate.com

For detailed requirements on each of the qualifying criteria, visit MOM's EntrePass webpage (www.mom.gov.sg/passes-and-permits/entrepass).

For more information on SPRING's EntrePass qualifying criteria, visit SPRING's EntrePass website (<http://www.startupsg.net/startupsg-talent>)

For more information on IMDA's EntrePass qualifying criteria and programmes, visit IMDA's EntrePass website (<https://www.imda.gov.sg/industry-development/programmes-and-grants/startups/programmes>)

How to Apply?

Please refer to MOM's EntrePass website

(<http://www.mom.gov.sg/passes-and-permits/entrepass/apply-for-a-pass>)