



**THE
DATA LAB**
value from data

INDUSTRIAL DOCTORATES

2018

What will we fund?

University & Industry Sponsor based in Scotland

At least one Industry Sponsor that has an operational base in Scotland. Can be from the private, public or third sector.

Impact for Scotland

The **potential** to contribute to positive social / economic impact in Scotland increased company **revenue** or market share, development of a **new product**, increased number of **exports**, creation of new high-value **jobs** in Scotland. changed **practice** to achieve greater environmental, economic or social benefit

Data Science Research

The project must focus on innovation in or application of data science techniques.

Innovative Research

The project must be innovative. This could include the generation of **new ideas**, the application transformation of new ideas into useful forms, **improving** the application of pre-existing ideas or techniques, or the application of pre-existing ideas or techniques to a **new domain**.

What won't we fund?

We will NOT support projects without co-funding from at least one Industry Sponsor.

We will NOT support projects hosted by a university based outside of Scotland.

We will NOT support projects with Industry sponsors without a base in Scotland.

We will NOT support projects focused on standard business intelligence or data reporting.

We will NOT support projects that focus solely on data capture.

Funding the data lab contribution

We will provide a maximum of **50% funding** for up **to four years** in duration

Fees: RCUK Rates (per annum) as determined by the registering university

Stipend: up to **£16,000** per annum

Additional Funding (Training & Conferences): up to **£1,500** per annum.

Finding a university / industry sponsor

UNIVERSITY SEEKING INDUSTRY SPONSOR

<https://datalab.submittable.com/submit/70255/university-seeking-industry-sponsorindustrial-doctorate-projects>

INDUSTRY SEEKING UNIVERSITY PARTNER

<https://datalab.submittable.com/submit/70256/industry-sponsor-seeking-university-partnerindustrial-doctorate-projects>

MASTS Scholarship



[MASTS](#) aims to enhance the Scottish marine research environment.

Research areas:

- Dynamics and Properties of Marine Systems
- Productive Seas
- Marine Biodiversity, Function and Services

Rolling Call

Applications won't close until all funding committed

Funding for around **6-7 Doctorates**

Reviewed quarterly (next one in April)

Face-to-face with academic & organisation (prove long-term commitment)

We need your help!

All funding committed and all projects underway by the end of 2018

Tell everyone (businesses and academics)

Help reviewing!

Help recruiting