Making Business Happen Awards 2016 – Terms and Conditions

Aspiring Entrepreneurs Award

Entrants must reside in the UK.

Entrants, and all team members, are between the ages of 16-30 (inclusive) on the 1st of September 2015.

The entered business idea must be your own. Franchises or subsidiaries of existing companies are not eligible.

Entries conform to the ethical and moral standards of the University of South Wales. Your idea must be appropriate for a university-sponsored event. The University of South Wales reserves the right to disqualify any entry that we feel infringes the spirit of the competition or exceeds the bounds of social convention.

Only student team members will be eligible to collect their fifty percent of any prize money won. No payments will be made to non-students.

By accepting their fifty percent of any prize monies, the school or college of the winning entries will be making a commitment to use these funds to pay towards the continued support and development of business and enterprise related activities.

No cash equivalents are offered in respect of the support package.

All entries to be uploaded by the deadline stated (Friday 15th January 2016).

Entries may be submitted in English or Welsh.

Entries cannot be amended once they have been submitted.

By submitting an awards entry, you are agreeing to receive awards related and other relevant communications from the University of South Wales.

The organisers cannot accept any responsibility whatsoever for the protection of intellectual property. You should take appropriate steps to protect your intellectual property, just as you would if you were approaching institutional investors.

The organisers will not accept responsibility for entries which may be damaged, corrupted or lost during upload or otherwise. Applicants should keep a copy of their entry for reference.

The decision of the judges is final in terms of any award made. The organisers will not be obliged to justify their decision or enter into any correspondence.

Canvassing or any other direct communication intended to influence the decision of a judge is forbidden.

Once submitted, the University of South Wales reserve the right to publish information about the entries in university publications and press releases. Cooperation with the organizers to arrange PR opportunities shall not be unreasonably withheld.

Finalists may be required to submit a summary of their entry with logo and other visual images, without delay, for publication in promotional material. The organisers reserve the right to amend the copy provided if necessary.

Finalists may be required to cooperate with The University of South Wales to arrange a short film clip for use at the Awards Ceremony which shall also be published on YouTube and elsewhere.

The organisers reserve the right not to confer awards in a particular category if the standard of entry does not warrant it.

All personal information submitted will be treated as confidential and will not, be disclosed without the permission of the applicant.

Any one entrant may submit more than one entry.

Entrants must acknowledge any trademarks or copyrighted materials that are incorporated into their entry. The entrants are responsible for obtaining any necessary permission before incorporating copyright or trademark materials into their submissions.