

Global Food Venture Programme (GFVP) 2021

Activity Lead: TUM / **Funding Body:** EIT Food

Summer School Entrepreneurship: 25. Mai – 3. June, Online

Business Incubation Bootcamp: 28. June – 2. July, Online

International Bootcamp (hosted in Munich): 27 Sep., Blended Format

Eligible: Current PhD Students (all disciplines) from across Europe

Focus: Food & AgTech

Financial contribution: GFVP is fully funded by EIT Food. Entry fees apply.

Programme's description

Global Food Venture Programme a successful 6-Month entrepreneurship activity of EIT Food is having this year its 4th edition. The programme will support exclusively PhD students eager to - innovate in Food & Agriculture space, - boost their entrepreneurial Knowledge & skills and - turn their research ideas into viable business. There are two Calls in 2021 OPEN for applications:

1. Stage I – Idea development

Join our Stage I to learn the fundamentals of entrepreneurship and generate business ideas in food space. Stage I offers a 10d summer school, prizes for best ideas, 3 week self-paced online course of EIT Food and a final event with workshops and networking

2. Stage II – Business Incubation

To boost your skills in business creation and validate your early stage start-up ideas, join our Stage II Business Incubation programme with two bootcamps in key European ecosystems, business coaching by EIT Food partners, mobility grants and pitch competition event with best start-up prizes up to 10K.

Deadline for applications & Entry Fees:

Stage I - Idea Development 2. May, Fees: € 300

Stage II: Business Incubation 20. May, Fees € 420

What to expect:

- Training in business creation (bootcamps, summer school)
- Business coaching by EIT Food partners
- Feedback sessions with experts
- Mobility grants up to 3K for meetings with corporate and tech experts
- Final Pitch Competition with prizes up to 10K
- Excellent networking opportunities and access to key players in Food & Ag space

Find out more on: <https://www.eitfood.eu/projects/global-food-venture-programme>

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