

**Application Form – Innovation Challenge**

**Please complete form below, save the form with *your name*, *IC2020* Staff & *the date***

**and summit via email to** [**ideagenerator@cut.ac.za**](file:///C:\Users\jmarkram\Downloads\ideagenerator@cut.ac.za)

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**In which category (commercial impact or social impact) do you want to participate**

**(please mark with an X below) and tell us more about the sector?**

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|  | **Commercial Impact** |
|  | **Social Impact** |
| **Describe Sector** | E.g. Business; Engineering;  Computer Science; Health Sciences; Environmental Sciences; Accounting; etc. |
| **SECTOR:** | |

**Please tell us about your innovative idea or project:**

**1. Describe what problem you are trying to solve**

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**2. Please describe your unique and novel idea (solution) to address the problem above:**

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**3. Did you research the idea / project to determine if it is a unique / novel idea or an improvement / solution to the problem you identified?**

Yes

No

If yes, please list the websites – if not please do this and list at least three references with

similar products with similar function and state how your invention will be better – this will also

serve to identify competitors.

**1. WEBSITE:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**4. Do a google** [**https://patents.google.com/**](https://patents.google.com/) **search with your invention/ idea and add the results here:**

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**Please submit your application via email:** [**ideagenerator@cut.ac.za**](mailto:ideagenerator@cut.ac.za)**.**

**Any queries please contact lklassen@cut.ac.za**

Your application will be confirmed via email.

Thank you,

Idea Generator Team

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