



What is the Construction Ideas Fund?

The Construction Ideas Fund is a funding mechanism which shares the financial risk of innovative projects within the construction and real estate sector in Nigeria.

If your company has an idea that not only improves your business but can also be shown to have a lasting positive impact on the sector – particularly in terms of increased income and employment opportunities for low-income groups – we want to hear from you.

Application to the fund can be made through its five funding windows, which focus on:

- empowering women economically,
- encouraging relevant training and skills acquisition,
- establishing sustainable channels of recruitment,
- improving the services offered by Business Membership Organisations (BMOs) and Trade Associations, and
- improving the quality of input supplies and construction materials.

Grant amounts available range from £25,00 to £250,000.

Eligibility Criteria

Your company must be a for-profit organisation and have operations in the FCT, Lagos, Kaduna or Kano State to be eligible to apply.

Other types of organisations, partnering with a for-profit company as lead, can also apply. Detailed eligibility information can be found by clicking on the link provided below.

Major multinationals have found working with similar funding mechanisms and donors to be a genuine business opportunity – one that improves business, inspires staff, and demonstrates an innovative and competitive edge.

Construction Ideas Fund & GEMS 2

The Fund is part of a wider project - Growth and Employment in States - Construction and Real Estate Sector (GEMS 2), which is funded by the UK Department for International Development (DFID). GEMS 2 promotes economic growth within the construction and real estate sector.

Additional Information

Please visit: <http://www.dfid.gov.uk/Work-with-us/Funding-opportunities/Business/Construction-Ideas-Fund/>

Contact the Fund

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