



INNOVATION INVESTMENT MANAGER

(Payclass 12; Permanent)

Research Contracts and Innovation (RC&I)

In addition to negotiating research contracts entered into with our wide variety of funders, RC&I fulfills the role of a "Technology Transfer Office" managing Intellectual Property (IP), maturing technologies and ultimately commercialising IP through licensing or spin-off company creation (innovation).

We invite applications from suitably qualified, experienced and motivated individuals for this permanent post. The Innovation Investments Manager is responsible for managing the various internal UCT pre-seed, seed and investment funds that invest up to R6m in projects / ventures looking to bring the university's research outputs to market. The manager analyses investments, structures deals, identifies new innovation funding opportunities and manages risk through post-investment monitoring and interacting with spin-off companies.

For detailed information on this post, please view the job description on the following link: ([view](#))

To view and apply for this position, please visit the UCT Jobs site [View](#) (For Internal Applicants) and [View](#) (For external Applicants) to create a profile and to submit your application.

Closing date: 02 February 2025

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