



Who wants to be an

## ENTREPRENEUR!?

Solomons Europe are 20 years old this year and to celebrate this landmark anniversary, the company is setting aside a £20,000 Investment Fund to offer eligible Cumbrian businesses and Entrepreneurs in their first three years of trading, to kick start or grow their fledgling business idea.

We are inviting applications from all eligible start up businesses in the region with 0 - 3 years trading experience, who would benefit from an injection of cash of up to £5000 to help them to grow and flourish.

Applicants will need to be ready to make their pitch for funding in front of a panel of 5 business professionals, who listen to their plans and ideas to determine who they believe will achieve growth and success. Only those who convince the panel will receive one of up to 4 loan awards, and will maintain links with the panel to provide support and encouragement through the 3 year period.

## How to apply

If your business would benefit from an interest free loan of up to £5000, then you can apply to take part by completing our initial application process available from our website, and from which we will shortlist our most promising entries and invite them to present to our panel. All applications must be received by 5pm on 24th August 2018.

**Entry forms can be found on our website:  
[www.solomonseurope.co.uk](http://www.solomonseurope.co.uk)**



Complete our Start up business Application Form



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Include any photos, press coverage, samples or prototypes which will

