

# NUS Graduate Research Innovation Programme (NUS GRIP)

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# What is GRIP?



GRIP is a **venture creation acceleration programme** for deep tech start-ups.

It is the **flagship innovation programme** at NUS.

GRIP enables NUS PhD students and researchers to **transform** the university's **world-class research** into high growth **deep tech start-ups**.

# Since October 2018

- Completed 8 runs.



**8  
Runs**



**140  
Teams  
Graduated**



**388  
Participants**



**~100 Teams  
awarded  
\$100k**

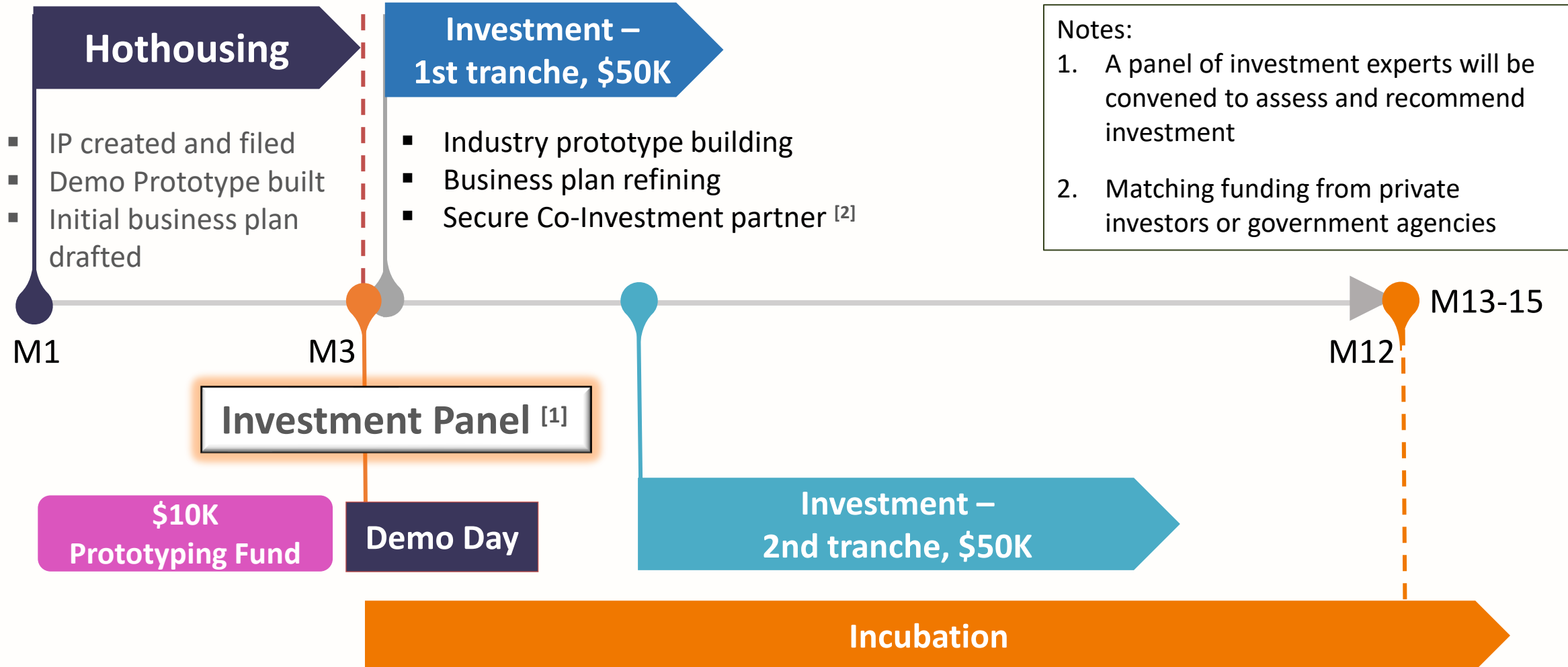
**> \$35 mil  
Total external  
funding raised**

# GRIP – Sector Agnostic Programme

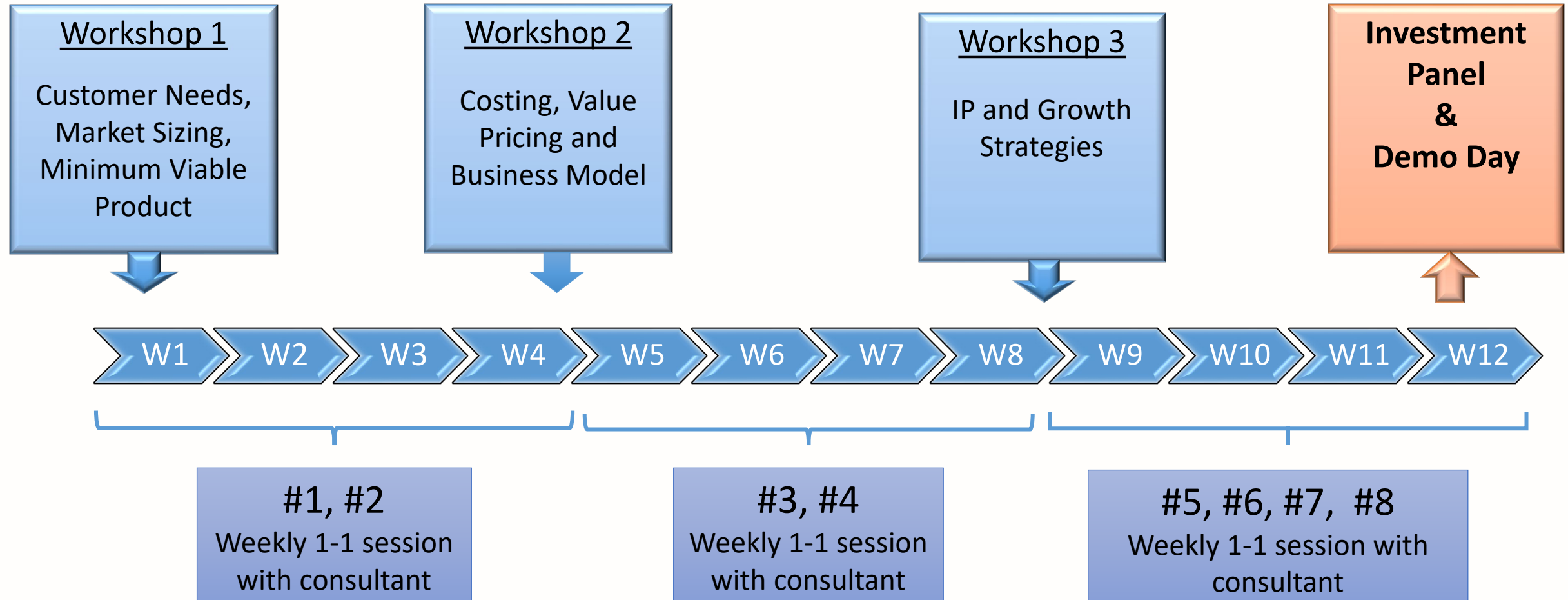
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GRADUATE RESEARCH INNOVATION PROGRAMME



# Programme Overview

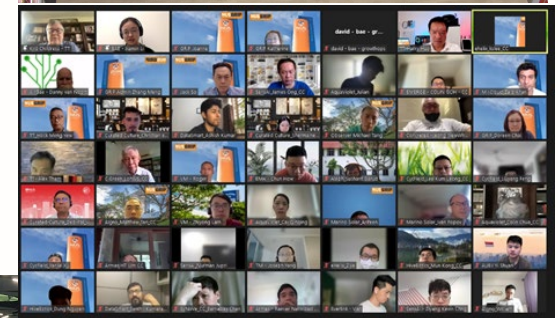


# 3-month Venture Hot-housing



# GRIP is a community...

- **GRIP Venture Hothouse Teaching Team (Instructors and Consultants)**
- **Commercial Champions**
- **Venture Development Managers**
- **Technology Managers**
- **Master Engineers**
- **GRIP Alumni**
- **More...**



# Support from the programme



Hands-on mentorship by experienced commercial champions



Step-by-step guidance to start, develop and grow an investible deep tech start-up



Access to Master Engineers and NUS resources, including labs and prototyping support to build their Minimum Viable Product.



Be matched to co-founder with complementary skillsets



Investment funds of up to S\$100,000 by NUS

Enabling a significant number of **NUS graduate students and Researchers** to form **sustainable, investible** deep tech companies

Researchers/  
Graduate Students/  
NOC Alumni  
Technologies  
Talents



# GRIP Run 10 Venture Hothouse

No.	Date	Time	Activity	Content	Remarks
1	5 Aug 2023, Sat	9am – 5pm	Workshop #1	Products & Market	
2	16 Aug 2023, Wed		Consultation #1		
3	23 Aug 2023, Wed		Consultation #2		
4	2 Sept 2023, Sat	9am – 5pm	Workshop #2	Costing & Business Model	
5	13 Sept 2023, Wed		Consultation #3		
6	20 Sept 2023, Wed		Consultation #4		
7	23 Sept 2023, Sat	9am – 5pm	Workshop #3	IP & Growth Strategies	
8	26 Sept 2023, Tues		Pitching	Introduction	
9	4 Oct 2023, Wed		Consultation #5	Prototyping	
10	11 Oct 2023, Wed		Consultation #6	Prototyping	
11	18 Oct 2023, Wed		Consultation #7	Venture Plan	
12	25 Oct 2023, Wed; or 26 Oct 2023, Thurs		Consultation #8	Pitch Review	Also known as Full Dress Rehearsal 1 (Schedule to be advised)
13	15 Nov 2023, Wed	9am – 5pm	Review Panel	Pitch & Demo	Schedule to be advised
	OR 16 Nov 2023, Thurs	9am – 5pm	Review Panel		
	30 Nov 2023, Thurs	9am – 5pm	Lift-Off Day		

# To Apply or Find out more



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