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## Our primary objective is to:



Work with ambitious Irish companies to

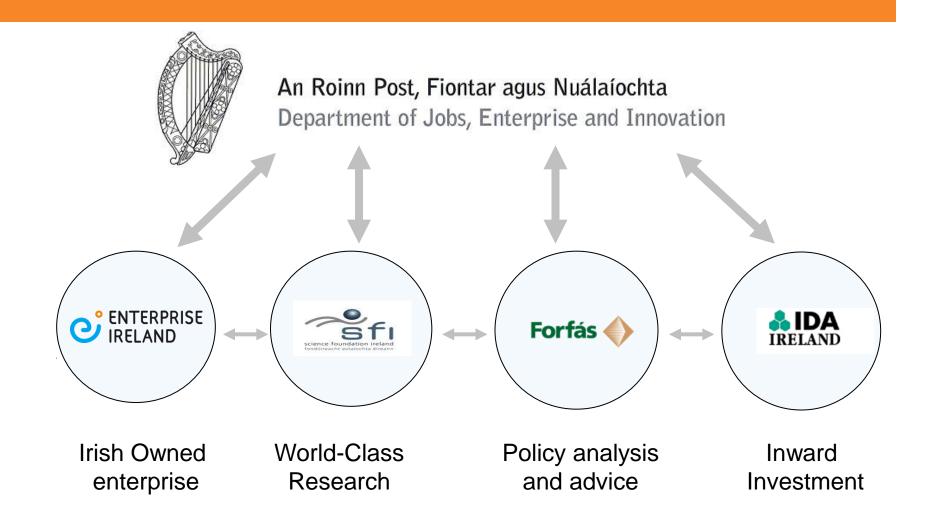


**Create jobs in Ireland** 











### Who we work with...

#### High Potential Start-up's

Entrepreneurs starting companies with an ability to compete in world markets

#### Scaling

Ambitious co's with the ability to scale & achieve significant success

#### Established SME's

Manufacturing & Internationally Traded services companies employing ten or more

#### Potential Exporters

Established SME's currently focussed on the domestic market who have the ambition to export

#### **Multinationals**

Irish-based food and natural resource companies that are overseas owned or controlled

#### Research Community

Developing links with Irish enterprise, MNCs to support research collaboration, commercialisation of publicly funded research, and access to FP7, ESA



## We work with clients in 5 core areas:

Building leadership and management capability Entrepreneurship



**Exports and Market Intelligence** 



Competitiveness



Innovation



## Growing Globally, Impacting Locally

**ENTERPRISE IRELAND CLIENT EXPORTS BY TERRITORY 2012\*** 



# 300,000

DIRECT AND INDIRECT EMPLOYEES IN ENTERPRISE IRELAND CLIENT COMPANIES AT THE END OF 2011

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# E18.360 Section 2011 Spend in The IRISH ECONOMY BY ENTERPRISE IRELAND CLIENT COMPANIES

## Highlights 2012...

#### **EXPORT GROWTH BY SECTOR IN 2012**









16% LIFE SCIENCES, ENGINEERING, ELECTRONICS AND CLEANTECH +€347m

3%

CONSTRUCTION/ AND CONSUMER +€63m



+€198m



+€195m

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CLIENT COMPANIES ENGAGED IN SIGNIFICANT R&D PROJECTS (OF ABOVE €100K PER ANNUM)



OUR INVESTMENT IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY **INFRASTRUCTURE IN THE THIRD LEVEL/RESEARCH** AND ENTERPRISE SECTORS

r€645m €55m

TOTAL FUNDS IN 11 SEED AND VENTURE CAPITAL FUNDS, WITH ENTERPRISE IRELAND INVOLVEMENT IN 2011

ENTERPRISE IRELAND'S EQUITY AND VENTURE CAPITAL INVESTMENT IN IRISH ENTERPRISE





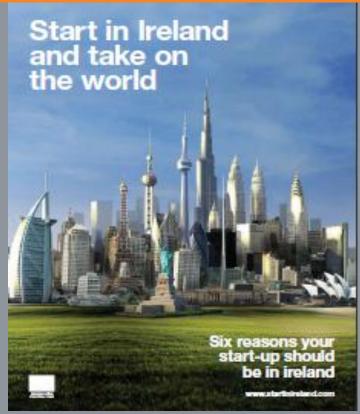
€31m

**JUR INVESTMENT IN STRENGTHENING THE LEADERSHIP CAPABILITY OF IRISH ENTERPRISE** 



## Targeting Irish and Internationally Mobile Entrepreneurs

- 95 HPSUs
- International Ambassadors
- Regional Competitive Feasibility Funds
- Mentoring
- "Start your own business" programmes
- Female Entrepreneurship





### Constantly changing landscape New Initiatives 2011/2012

- Competitive Start Fund
- €10m International Entrepreneur Fund
- Job Expansion Offer
- Going Global Fund
- Market Research Grants
- Lean Business
- Graduates 4 International Growth
- Leadership 4 Growth (CFOs)
- Education in Ireland
- Overseas Network Realignment
- Development Capital Fund

- Potential Exporters Division
- New Frontiers
- Community Enterprise Business Development
- Leadership 4 Growth (Food)
- Food FDI
- Clustering Industry Ecosystems
- Joint Enterprise Ireland / IDA Ireland management working team
- Technology Centres
- Public Procurement



## Research and Innovation

- €97 million invested in Science and Technology in 2011
- 743 Clients engaged in significant R&D
- 518 Innovation
  Vouchers redeemed
- Irish SMEs number 1 in Europe for FP7 funding
- 118 licences to industry





### **R&D** Support

Helping companies of all sizes to engage in Research and Innovation

Technology Centres – industry-led research in emerging technology sectors

EU, FP7 and ESA – access funding and research partners across Europe

Applied Research Enhancement Centres – collaborate in clusters of companies and access equipment and technology

Innovation Partnerships – up to €250,000 available for collaborative projects between companies and research teams in Higher Education

The R&D Fund – grants for inhouse R&D projects, small and large, and collaboration bonuses for company-to-company collaboration

R&D Advocates Scheme – Assistance to explore how R&D can help your business and help you get involved in R&D

Innovation Vouchers - €5,000 for small companies to get innovative solutions to technical and business challenges



### Leadership and Management Development

LEADERSHIP 4 GROWTH enhancing leadership & company growth

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Strategic Leadership 4 CFOs

STANFORD GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

EL6

EXCEL AT EXPORT SELLING

an Enterprise Ireland programme

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### MANAGEMENT **4 GROWTH**

building management teams an Enterprise Ireland programme

#### Accelerated Growth Engagement

**Mentor**Network

ReleasingYour Business Potential

### **INTERNATIONAL** SELLING PROGRAMME

an Enterprise Ireland programme



an Enterprise Ireland programme





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Internet Growth Acceleration Programme



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## Trade Missions



#### WHERE INNOVATION MEANS BUSINESS

- 42 Trade Fairs and Missions with 484 participants
- 813 international inward buyers
- €2.14 billion in new exports sales
- 320 new overseas presences established





## Funding for Business in 2013

- Going Global
- Competitive Start Fund
- Job Expansion Fund
- R&D Fund
- FP 7
- iHPSU
- Competitive Feasibility Regional Funds
- Female Entrepreneurship



## External funding for business

The Seed Capital Funds (EI is a limited partner investor)

- **The Venture Capital Funds** (EI is a limited partner investor)
- Innovation Fund Ireland (a joint initiative with the NPRF)
- Development Capital Funds managers yet to be announced (EI will be a limited partner investor in these funds)
- NPRF
- SME Credit (BlueBay)
- **Turnaround** (Better Capital)
- Equity Funds (Cardinal Carlisle)



## Other funding supports for clients

### **City & County Enterprise Boards**

- Angel funding (HBAN)
- EIIS (New BES)
- R&D tax credits
- Microfinance Ireland
- Credit guarantee scheme
- Late Payments



## Innovation Fund Ireland (IFI)

- IFI is an initiative where the Government through Enterprise Ireland and the National Pensions Reserve Fund are providing €125m each to make commitments to international venture capital funds to establish a presence in the Irish market and invest in Irish companies
- Where Enterprise Ireland invests the equivalent of our commitment at a minimum must be invested in Irish companies or companies with significant operations in Ireland.
- Investments to date:
  - DFJ Esprit (NPRF)
  - Polaris *Dogpatch Labs* (NPRF)
  - Sofinnova Ventures (Enterprise Ireland and the NPRF)
  - Highland Capital
- A number of further commitments will be announced in the near term.



## Relationships with the Banks

- Alignment with the needs of modern exporting sectors a competitive supportive banking system
- Three Asks
  - New Markets
  - New Sectors
  - New Products / Services / Business Models
- Irish Banks: AIB, Bank of Ireland, Ulster Bank
- Overseas Banks: HSBC, Barclays, Rabobank, SVB
- European Investment Bank (EIB)
- World Bank



### 2013 remains challenging

Country	2011	2012	2013*	2014*
Ireland	1.4%	0.9%	1.3%	2.5%
UK	0.9%	0.2%	0.7%	1.5%
Eurozone	1.4%	-0.6%	-0.3%	1.1%
US	1.8%	2.2%	1.9%	3.0%
Japan	-0.6%	2.0%	1.6%	1.4%
Brazil	2.7%	0.9%	3.0%	4.0%
Russia	4.3%	3.4%	3.4%	3.8%
India	7.7%	4.0%	5.7%	6.2%
China	9.3%	7.8%	8.0%	8.2%
South Africa	3.5%	2.5%	2.8%	3.3%

Source: IMF Economic Outlook April 2013, Ireland 2013/2014 Forecast Central Bank of Ireland Q1 2013. \*Forecast

- Low growth in the UK and Eurozone, El clients largest markets
- Continuing exchange rate volatility



## EI Strategy 2013 – Action Plan for Jobs

Objective – jobs created and sustained driven by export development.

- 155 HPSUs and Early Stage Start-Ups
- Establishment of new Technology Centres (e.g. Data Analytics, also a disruptive reform)
- Closer EI/IDA collaboration (e.g. Global Sourcing)
- Public Procurement (Procuring Innovation, Feasibility re: SBIR, working with NDFA).
- National Health Innovation Hub
- Establishment of Local Enterprise Offices (LEOs)
- New S&VC Scheme (€175m), Innovation Ireland and Development Capital Funds



## The Year ahead...

- Leveraging Irish and "new" Diaspora
- Sales to the public sector and Multinational Corporations in Ireland
- Under-exploited potential of the BRIC and Middle East Countries
- Continued growth in UK, Euro Zone and North America
- Implementation of "Harvest 2020" strategy
- Action plan for Jobs 2012-2013





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