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# Annex 3: Application Form for DLT Developers

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# BlockStart Open Call #3 DLT Developers

Open Call #3 for DLT solution providers - Apply until 26 May 2021 5pm CET Edit



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BlockStart Project and Open Call #3 Information The BlockStart Open Call #3 for DLT developers application form has the following mandatory sections:

SECTION 1: Contact person information SECTION 2: Proposal identification SECTION 3: Description & application of your blockchain technology SECTION 4: Impact & business viability of your blockchain solution SECTION 5: Company & team information SECTION 6: Final questions

Documents to be reviewed when preparing the application:

1. Annex 2 - Guidelines for Applicants. Read before applying, as it defines the Open Call Terms & Conditions: <a href="http://www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-2-Guidelines-for-Applicants-Open-Call-3.pdf">www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-2-Guidelines-for-Applicants-Open-Call-3.pdf</a>

2. Annex 3.1 - Proposal Supplement. Read, fill in and submit in PDF format in the corresponding field of this application form: <a href="http://www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-3.1-Proposal-Supplement-Open-Call-3.docx">www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-3.1-Proposal-Supplement-Open-Call-3.docx</a>

3. Annex 4 - Declaration of Honour. Read, fill in, sign and submit in PDF format in the corresponding field of this application form: <a href="http://www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-4-Declaration-of-Honour-Open-Call-3.docx">www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-4-Declaration-of-Honour-Open-Call-3.docx</a>

4. (If you are a registered SME) Annex 5 - SME Declaration, that determines if you can be qualified as an SME. Read, fill in, sign and submit in PDF format in the corresponding field of this application form: <a href="https://www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-5-SME-Declaration-Open-Call-3.docx">www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-5-SME-Declaration-Open-Call-3.docx</a>

5. (If you are not a registered SME) Annex 5.1 - Declaration of commitment to establish an SME. Read, fill in, sign and submit in PDF format in the corresponding field of this application form: <a href="http://www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-5.1-Declaration-of-Commitment-to-Establish-an-SME-Open-Call-3.docx">www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-5.1-Declaration-of-Commitment-to-Establish-an-SME-Open-Call-3.docx</a>

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact the BlockStart team via hello@blockstart.eu.

Failure to provide the required information in all sections will result in disqualification.

Up to €20,000 await you. Good luck!



#### SECTION 1: CONTACT PERSON INFORMATION

- Main contact person full name \*
- 2 Role in the company \*
- Professional email \* 3
- Professional phone number 4

#### SECTION 2: PROPOSAL IDENTIFICATION

- 5 Proposal title \*
- 6 Summary of the proposal \*

Please write a brief summary of your blockchain/ DLT solution. The information contained in this summary will be made public on the BlockStart project website if you proceed to the Ideation Kick-off.

- Have you previously applied to BlockStart Open Call #1 and/or Open Call #2 for DLT developers? \*
  - No

submission of a previous proposal

Yes - the current proposal is a re- 🛛 Yes - the current proposal is not a re-submission of a previous proposal, but the applicant SME or a linked SME or a member of the proposal team has previously submitted a proposal

<sup>8</sup> Have you been funded by the European Commission before? (Grant or sub-grant) \* Yes No

#### SECTION 3: DESCRIPTION & APPLICATION OF YOUR BLOCKCHAIN TECHNOLOGY

Background and concept: describe how and when the solution idea came from and its current stage 9 of development regarding the Technology Readiness Level (TRL) \*



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- 10 Problem and solution: identify the problem you are aiming to address, and the main ideas, models or assumptions involved in your solution. Explain how your concept is innovative. Provide IP details if applicable \*
- <sup>11</sup> Technical approach: provide clear description and technical background information to understand the use of blockchain/DLTs in the proposed solution \*
- <sup>12</sup> Application goals: describe the general and specific objectives pursued by the project, applying SMART methodology (Specific, Measurable, Assignable, Realistic, Time-related) \*
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- 13 Activity plan description (Max file size 30MB.) \* Please upload Annex 3.1: Proposal Supplement. You may find the template here: <u>www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-3.1-Proposal-Supplement-Open-Call-3.docx</u>

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#### SECTION 4: IMPACT & BUSINESS VIABILITY OF YOUR BLOCKCHAIN TECHNOLOGY

Solution description: value proposition, Unique Selling Point, how does your solution differentiate from other competitors' solutions, etc. \*

Specify if you have analysed your competition, provide a list of direct or indirect competitors and describe what is your added value towards them

15 Target customers: who are your main paying customers? How many do you currently have? \*

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- 16 What is your go-to-market strategy/ marketing plan? \* What is your sales strategy? Which channels do you use? Who are your main partners & key stakeholders for business expansion?
- 17 Business model: specify your business model and other relevant ways you're making or intend to make money \*
- 18 Market & segmentation: what is the European dimension, market potential (specify your target market and its size) and societal impact of the proposed solution \*

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28	Why is your team best suited to address the problem you have identified and further develop th project? *	е			
27	How many female members are there in your team? *				
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26	How many people are working full time in your company or Team? *				
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25	Did you already develop any solution that already uses blockchain/ DLTs? Please shortly describe *				
24	Short Company or proposal Team description *				
	Fintech ICT Retail				
23	Sector you are addressing * You can select multiple sectors.				
22	Company VAT number (if registered SME)				
21	Country (of registered office of SME or of the proposal Team, if not registered) *				
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20	Company name (if registered SME) or Team name (if not registered SME) *				
S	ECTION 5: COMPANY & TEAM INFORMATION				
	www.blockstart.eu/adopters/)? Please mention them and specify this current/future collaborati	on. *			



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<sup>29</sup> Please provide, in bullet points, a short CV per team member involved in the project and links to their LinkedIn profiles (if applicable) \*

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<sup>30</sup> How did you hear about BlockStart? *					
B	lockStart event	BlockStart partner	Facebook		
F	riend/colleague reference	News/media	Newsletter		
P	eer applicants	Twitter	University		
V	/eb surfing	Other			

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<sup>32</sup> Please upload Annex 5: SME Declaration (if registered SME) or Annex 5.1: Declaration of Commitment to Establish an SME (if a Team or individual) properly filled in and signed. You may find the template for Annex 5 here: www.blockstart.eu/wp-content/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-5-SME-Declaration-Open-Call-3.docx You may find the template for Annex 5.1 here: www.blockstart.eu/wpcontent/uploads/BlockStart-Annex-5.1-Declaration-of-Commitment-to-Establish-an-SME-Open-Call-3.docx (Max file size 30MB.) \*

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33 Acceptance of the Privacy Policy \*

BlockStart Privacy Policy: <u>www.blockstart.eu/data-protection/</u>

Annex 2 - Guidelines for Applicants: [add URL to template in BlockStart website]

- 🔿 I accept the Data Privacy as described in Annex 2 Guidelines for Applicants
- Acceptance of the BlockStart Open Call Terms & Conditions \*
  BlockStart Open Call Terms & Conditions: [add URL to template Annex 2 in BlockStart website]
  I have reviewed and accept the BlockStart Open Call Terms & Conditions
- All fields marked with an asterisk (\*) are required.

#### Are you done? Click below to finalize

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