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Improve your business productivity

Is your business looking to improve productivity through better processes and better products? Our free support provides a practical, flexible approach to help you plan and prepare for the Fourth Industrial Revolution and optimises processes for the future.

SMART Productivity support is free to businesses in Wales, provided by the Welsh Government and is supported by EU funds.

Experts will work with you to plan productivity and design improvements and also help you make the changes needed.

Actions to improve business performance can include:

- Continuous improvement and lean techniques
- Workplace organisation including process configuration and layouts
- New and innovative manufacturing techniques and technologies
- Product design including materials, design for manufacture, packaging, and eco-design
- Design processes
- Rapid Prototyping
- Sustainable design including resource efficiency, energy efficiency and waste management

“An arms-length view of the business and its processes is always really important to us, and this is what our SMART Productivity consultant excelled at. His knowledge and insight into the manufacturing industry enabled him to ask ‘have you considered this?’ with real value, rather than recommendations that might never work for us.

“The recommendations made in our SMART Productivity report have made a real and tangible difference to our business, which might have taken a lot longer if we had done it ourselves as we’re all so ingrained in our day-to-day roles.”

Stuart Cheetham

UK Sales Manager at Ruth Lee Ltd

“While the increase in productivity is clearly of great benefit to the company, what really struck me is the improved engagement of the laboratory analysts, as we’ve been able to eliminate some manual tasks thanks to the new processes implemented.”

“Our consultant was highly knowledgeable about our field; she took the time to observe and understand the business without being intrusive and made strong recommendations based on her knowledge of existing equipment and techniques.”

Rachel Williams

Laboratory Manager at Lextox

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For further information on how this package of support can help your business contact the Business Wales Helpline on 03000 6 03000 or visit the Innovation zone.
business.wales.gov.uk/zones/innovation/support-funding/support



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