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EAST SUSSEX

Support as
unique as your
business.

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Ridgeview Wine Estate,
Lewes, East Sussex.



Locate East Sussex helps small and medium-sized enterprises in East Sussex to grow, and supports businesses moving into the county. We provide business support services to help companies reach new levels of productivity, investment and business growth, and make valuable connections between companies and local planning and economic development teams.

Since 2013 we have delivered over £5.8 million to growing businesses through East Sussex County Council's grants and loans programme, matched by over £24.8 million from the companies themselves. This £30.7million boost to the local economy has resulted in the creation of over 830 new permanent jobs.

No fee

We combine local industry and geographical knowledge with business and finance expertise, providing clear, constructive and consistent advice and practical support to growing companies, and because we are publicly funded we make no charge for our services.

An expert team complemented by an extensive network

We work in partnership with a network of organisations to ensure the companies we work with get the very best help and assistance that they need to start or grow a successful business in East Sussex.

Our partners

These include local planning and economic development teams, Business East Sussex, Green Growth Platform, University of Sussex and University of Brighton, to name a few.

How we can help you.

Support as unique to help you succeed.



A bespoke growth package

Our dedicated team provides clear, impartial advice and a practical support package to businesses. Our services are focussed on ensuring you receive support that's tailored to your company's specific business needs. Whatever size or stage your business is at, we can help you with the right information, the right network and the right support.



Business relocation and support

If you are looking, we will help you to find the ideal location or new premises including office space, workshop or studio space, factory units, warehouses, incubation and co-working spaces.



Funding

We have direct access to various business grants and loan schemes. If you are eligible, we will support you to access these sources of funding to launch a new product or service, expand or relocate your business, buy new equipment, refurbish your current or new premises and create jobs.



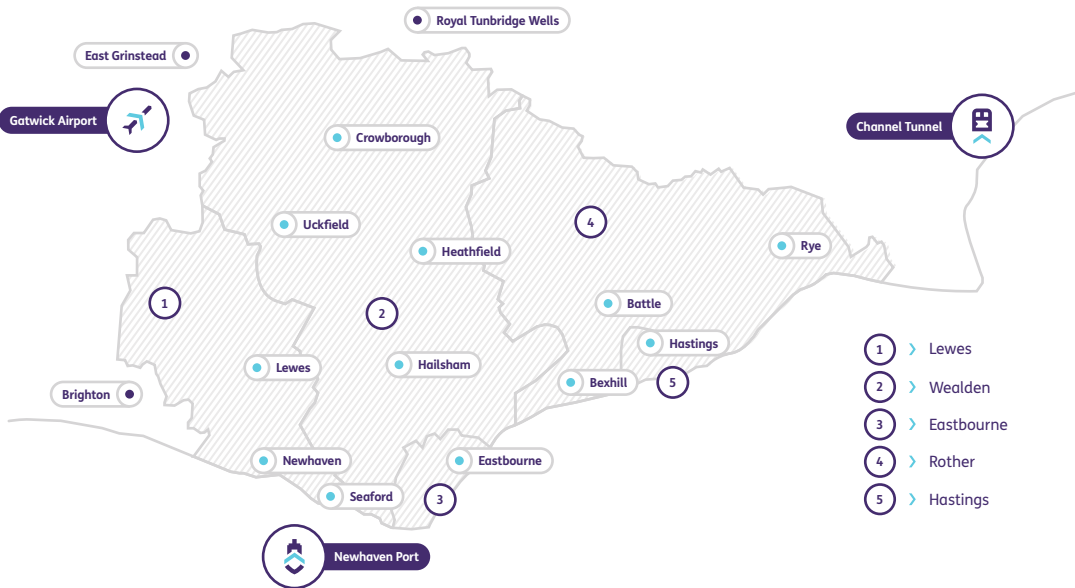
Coaching

Our professional business coaches provide tailored one-to-one coaching to small business owners as well as senior directors. They will help guide you to identify your goals and develop your business plan. Our training events cover all aspects of running a successful business.



Innovate your business

Introducing new technologies, products and services into your growth strategy can help you reach new levels of productivity, investment and business growth. We will help you to develop your ideas, adapt to changes in the marketplace, and build valuable relationships with our educational partners, gaining access to their research and enterprise opportunities and talent pool.



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East Sussex offers a fantastic lifestyle - and space to grow. The county celebrates innovation and emerging technologies, which is why we moved our business here.

Ben Jensen
 Founder of Surrey Nanosystems, Newhaven.
 Creators of Vantablack - the world's darkest material

Initial contact and consultation

To find out what support and funding is available, the first step is to contact us by phone or email. One of the team will get in touch to arrange a consultation. We are waiting and ready to develop the right package of skills and resources needed for your business, including strategic planning, marketing and financial support.

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Our activities are focussed on helping to attract new business investment to support the economic growth of the county.

We are funded by the county council together with the district and borough councils of East Sussex and the European Union's Regional Development Fund, as part of a wider South East Invest project that involves East Sussex County Council and Essex County Council.

The south east plays a pivotal role in the UK economy and is the gateway to mainland Europe. Locate East Sussex is key to ensuring that East Sussex remains an exceptional place to live, work and visit.



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SOUTH EAST INVEST:
Inward Investment for
East Sussex and Essex