

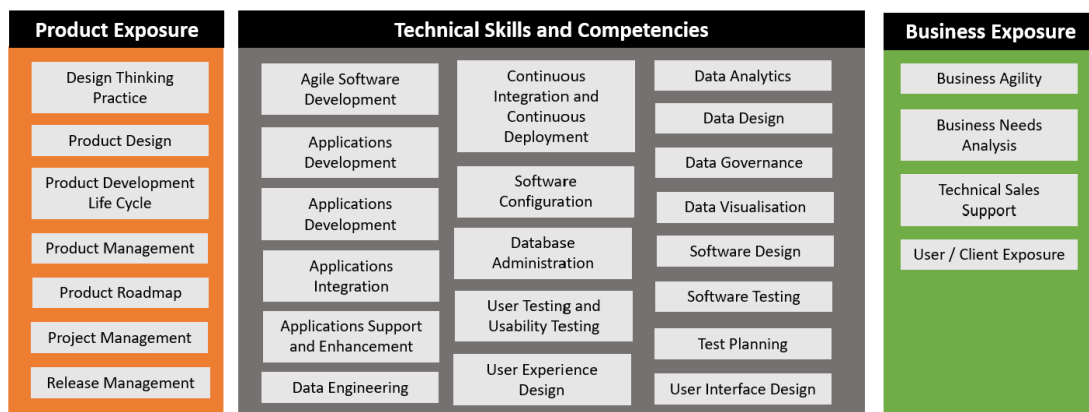
(I) General Programme Overview

Q1. What is the Infinity Series?

SGInnovate's Infinity (∞) Series is a Deep Tech Immersion Programme that seeks to groom top multi-disciplinary Talent through cumulative placements across different technical areas such as Software Development, Data Engineering, Data Analytics, UI / UX design, Product Management etc.

Infinity Series offers top talent the breadth to explore varied technical roles and product development stages to broaden their understanding of how innovation is translated into reality. Their industry experience will be supplemented by modular training curated by SGInnovate alongside industry experts. Students are encouraged to re-join Infinity Series and take up different internships to grow holistically across the 3 key pillars in the product development lifecycle.

Hence, aside from strong technical skills, start-ups can expect returning Infinity Series Talent to possess competencies across these 3 pillars, which will be advantageous in helping start-ups accelerate their product development at different stages.



3 Key Pillars in the Product Development Lifecycle

Q2. Who is eligible for the Infinity Series?

Singapore Citizens / Permanent Residents	Foreigners
Current full-time tertiary students or postgraduates from Institutes of Higher Learning (IHL)	Current full-time tertiary students or postgraduates from Institutes of Higher Learning (IHL) in Singapore*

*If the applicant is holding a Student Pass in Singapore, he/she is only allowed to work if he/she meets specific requirements. Click [here](#) to find out more. Due to the COVID-19 border restrictions, only students who have been approved by the respective IHLs to further their studies in Singapore will be considered.

The applicant must be able to showcase relevant skills and knowledge for the project that he/she applies for, e.g.:

- Academic courses in IHLs
- Online courses (e.g. Coursera, Udemy)
- Projects (e.g. Github, Stackoverflow)
- Working experience (e.g. internships, part-time, freelance)
- Awards and competitions (e.g. Hackathons, Datathons)

Please refer to our [website](#) to see the specific eligibility criteria for the respective roles.

Q3. What is the difference between Infinity Series and Summation?

	Infinity Series	Summation
Programme Focus	Developing tertiary students with key competencies at every stage of the product development lifecycle through core technical roles in areas such as Software Development, Data Engineering, Data Analytics, UI / UX design, Product Management, etc.	Driving full-time students, postgraduates, and fresh graduates with notable skillsets to contribute to the development of cutting-edge Deep Tech projects in areas such as Artificial Intelligence (AI), Quantum Computing, Robotics, etc. Check out Summation here .
Talent Eligibility	Open to full-time students and postgraduates who are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singapore Citizens and Permanent Residents • International Students based in Singapore Only Singapore Citizen and Permanent Residents are eligible for funding. Refer to funding breakdown below for more information	Open to full-time students, postgraduates, and fresh graduates (with less than 1 year of working experience) who are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singapore Citizens and Permanent Residents • Foreigners Both are eligible for funding. Refer to funding breakdown in the Summation FAQ for more information.
Design of Programme	Talent are encouraged to return for up to 3 different internships to gain exposure to end-to-end product development lifecycle and hone different competencies. Monthly stipends are progressively tiered stipends for returning Talent to acknowledge their experiences and expanded multi-disciplinary skillsets honed from previous internships.	Each internship is a standalone experience and Talent who are interested in exploring another Deep Tech project may choose to join another run of Summation. Minimum level of monthly stipends tagged according to academic level will not change.

Q4. How will the Infinity Series benefit full-time students?

The Infinity Series provides students with exposure to the product development lifecycle of Deep Tech products and opportunities to develop their technical capabilities which would boost their employability when they graduate. Modular

trainings are also curated for each trainee depending on the competencies the role requires.

The unique feature of the Infinity Series encourages students to return for up to a maximum of 3 different internships to ensure the holistic development of the student and gain experience in the end-to-end product development lifecycle.

(II) Before Application

Q5. When is the application deadline?

Please refer to [the timeline](#) reflected in our website under Infinity Series. No submissions will be accepted after the stipulated deadlines.

Q6. Do all organisations offer the same projects and roles?

No. Each organisation will provide the scope and specify the duration unique to the roles and projects offered.

Q7. What is the Infinity Series duration?

The programme duration ranges from 3 – 6 months with a minimum commitment of three (3) months full-time. Actual duration of programme may vary based on role requirements and Talent's availability.

A combination of full time and part time arrangement may be considered to help meet the minimum commitment of 3 months full-time combined (subjected to approval by SGInnovate).

Q8. What is the stipend amount that I will be receiving?

	<i>First Internship</i>	<i>Second Internship</i>	<i>Third Internship</i>
Monthly stipend	<i>S\$1,500</i>	<i>S\$2,000</i>	<i>S\$3,000</i>

All figures are quoted in Singapore dollars.

Students who return for multiple internships under the Infinity Series will enjoy an upwards adjustment of monthly stipend rate based on the number of runs completed. For students who wish to re-join the Infinity Series, please refer to Section (V) for more details.

Q9. Can I amend my application after I have submitted it?

The system only allows an applicant to edit his/her submission during the draft stage. Once the application form is successfully submitted, edits are no longer allowed.

Applicants can choose to re-submit another application form. However, only the last application submitted before the deadline will be considered.

Q10. When will the Infinity Series start?

Start dates are flexible and should be agreed upon between the organisation and the Talent prior to signing the agreement.

Q11. Can I use the Infinity Series as a credit-bearing internship?

Applicants will need to check with their schools on such arrangement. SGInnovate will not be responsible for liaising with the IHLs regarding such arrangements.

(III) Selection Process

Q12. How will I be matched to the role/organisation?

Applications will be evaluated against the respective criteria of each role the applicants have identified in their preference selections.

Q13. What are the technical skills required for this talent programme?

Programming related roles/projects will typically require proficiency in at least one programming language. Ability to showcase relevant knowledge and/or experience related to the role/project is more critical. Please refer to this [link](#) to see the specific eligibility criteria for the respective roles/projects.

Q14. What is the shortlisting process?

There are two stages of the shortlisting phase:



Stage 1: Technical and / or Cognitive Assessments

*There will be **several assessments** that applicants will take based on the roles they are shortlisted for.*

Stage 2: Interviews

Shortlisted applicants who successfully pass the technical assessments will be invited to attend the interview sessions with organisations and SGInnovate. Additional technical assessments may be administered by the organisations you apply to during this phase.

Q15. How and when will I know the outcome of my application?

Applicants will be informed of their application status via email. Shortlisted applicants will receive additional instructions.

(IV) Post Selection

Q16. What will happen after I am selected?

Successful applicants will sign a 3-way contract with SGInnovate, the organisation and the Talent before starting the programme.

Q17. When and how will I be receiving my stipend?

The Talent's monthly stipend will be paid out fully by the organisation along with the organisation's monthly payroll.

Q18. I am a Singaporean/Permanent Resident, will I be paid CPF?

No, the Infinity Series Programme is CPF exempted.

Q19. What other obligations are there for organisations?

Talent are required to complete feedback forms, training logs, attend planned training workshops and participate in event(s) related to the programme.

Q20. What will happen upon completion of the Infinity Series?

Talent will be awarded with a certificate of participation. Any working agreement (for example, part-time work) beyond the stipulated duration will be arranged directly between the Talent and the organisation. SGInnovate will not be involved.

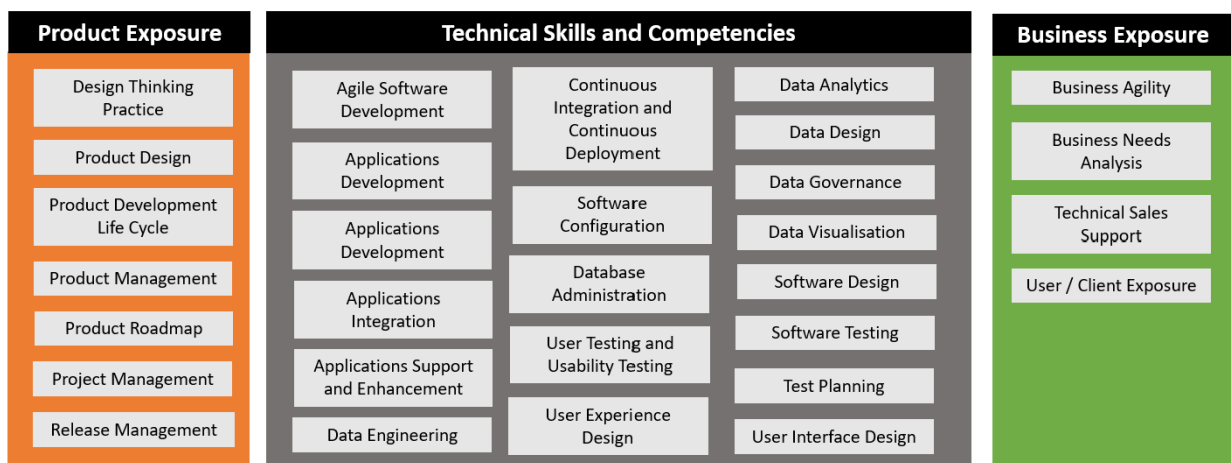
(V) Re-joining the Infinity Series Programme

Q21. Are students allowed to join the Infinity Series Programme more than once?

Yes, students who were successfully onboarded on their first internship are highly encouraged to participate in consecutive runs of the programme.

Taking on multiple internships with the Infinity Series will allow students to develop three key pillars of skills so that students can experience the different product stages and build up core product competencies.

- 1) **Business Acumen** – Gain exposure in different product stages, startup stages, markets, and the Deep Tech ecosystem
- 2) **Design and Technical Skills** – Apply customer-centric design while developing technical capabilities through curated projects and trainings
- 3) **Soft Skills** – Build students' underlying soft skills through multi-disciplinary exposure



3 Key Pillars in the Product Development Lifecycle

Q22. *As a returning student, do I have to retake the technical assessments to be considered?*

Students will not need to go through the online application process or technical assessments again. They can directly select and rank their top five (5) preferences of available roles/projects at the start of each new run of the Infinity Series.

Q23. *What is the maximum number of times a student can join the Infinity Series?*

Students can join the Infinity Series for a maximum of 3 times in total.

(VI) More Questions?

If you have more questions or would like to discuss our programme in detail, please email us at infinity@sginnovate.com.