



Swiss Alliance for
Data-Intensive Services

A Swiss technology network for innovative companies, academic institutes and individuals with a focus on data-driven value creation: services, products and business models based on data.

Small Companies & Start-ups Get boost opportunities

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Small companies & start-ups

Small and **medium enterprises** and **start-ups** may profit from several boost opportunities.



Access to innovative Industrial Members or Academic Members for innovation projects via „Call for participation“.



Access to European Research programs, like *SME Instrument 2018-2020*. It aims to help fast growing, highly innovative, for-profit Small and Medium Enterprises (SME) seizing the European and global ambitions.



Only 2'000 CHF cash contribution, if combined with in-kind contributions.



Position yourself with specific in-kind contribution.

Start-up Grant 2021/2022

Specific support program for start-ups allows small companies with restricted financial means to become a member of the Data+Service Alliance and enrich the community with their creative potential.

Start-ups may receive a free membership for 2 years if they engage in an innovation project with another member of the Alliance. So, if a start-up is active in creating innovation within the context of the Alliance, they are doing exactly what the Alliance is made for, and they are made a member of our innovation community even if they cannot afford a regular membership.

Each year five start-ups will be supported by this grant. These start-ups can profit from the knowledge and expertise of the other members of the Alliance, while bringing in their own expertise at the same time.

Start-ups may apply via the office. The office will search the appropriate project partner within the Alliance. Additionally, the office will support in raising additional funding for the project via Innosuisse, or EURsearch or other programs. As soon as the project has started, the start-up will become a Silver member, while the membership fee is covered by the Alliance for 2 years.



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The members and their activities shape Switzerland's digital and data-driven landscape

More than 400 innovators from industries and academia create an inspiring and lively innovation ecosystem

Support more than 6 large conferences, more than 30 community events per year

Host more than 10 Expert Groups on all data-related issues covering technology, business models, legal and ethical aspects

Offer dedicated innovation program for Industrial Members: Profit from the best knowledge pool in Switzerland and public innovation funds

Provide large education program for professionals in all areas of data-based business

SDS: Our annual Swiss Conference on Data Science brings together more than 500 specialists from industries and academia



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