

UNDERGRADUATE CERTIFICATES & VCU INNOVATE LLP APPLICATION



APPLICATION POLICY: Students must have successfully completed, or be currently be enrolled in INNO 200 to apply to da Vinci center's undergraduate certificates in Product Innovation or Venture Creation and the Innovate Living Learning Program (residential housing). Students applying to Innovate LLP must also apply to one of the da Vinci center's undergraduate certificates.

Submitting this application indicates your interest in receiving an Undergraduate Certificate from the VCU da Vinci Center and/or living in the Innovate LLP. Submitting an application does not commit or guarantee acceptance to any program offered by the VCU da Vinci Center.

All Applicants

To which certificate are you applying? Select all that apply. Innovate LLP Product Innovation Venture Creation

REMINDER: Innovate LLP applicants must select Innovate LLP AND Product Innovation OR Venture Creation.

Semester you completed/intend to complete INNO 200?

INNO 200 Grade

Student Information

First, Middle and Last Name

Nickname (if preferred)

V#

Email

Date

Current VCU student status? *Mark all that apply.*

Undergraduate Transfer

Part-time Full-time

If you are a transfer, from what school?

Have you been accepted to VCU?

Yes No Haven't heard

School

Major

Concentration

Minor *If applicable*

Current Standing (i.e. Junior)

GPA

Expected Graduation

Gender *(For VCU Innovate LLP room assignments - not an admissions factor).*

Home phone

Cell phone

Short Essays

Please craft a clear and concise response; paying careful attention to spelling, grammar and 100 word minimum.

****If you are applying to both Product Innovation and Venture Creation, please answer questions 3 and 4.**

1. **ALL Applicants:** Please explain your interest in innovation & entrepreneurship (100 word minimum).

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2. ****Product Innovation applicants:** Please describe how participating in this certificate program will make you a better problem solver (100 word minimum).

3. ****Venture Creation applicants:** Please describe how participating in this certificate program will enable you to launch a venture, become an entrepreneur, or take an entrepreneurial approach in your future career (100 word minimum).

4. **Innovate LLP applicants:** How will you be leader in VCU Innovate LLP and contribute to the success of others?

5. **Innovate LLP applicants:** What are your expectations of participating in the VCU Innovate LLP?

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Have you been involved in any of these activities during college or high school?

<input type="checkbox"/> 4-H Club <input type="checkbox"/> FFA (Future Farmers of America) <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science Club <input type="checkbox"/> NHS (National Honor Society) <input type="checkbox"/> DECA (Distributed Education Clubs of America) <input type="checkbox"/> FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America) <input type="checkbox"/> AIGA (the professional association for design) <input type="checkbox"/> FSEA (Future Scientist & Engineers of America) <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time employment <input type="checkbox"/> Young Entrepreneurs Academy <input type="checkbox"/> Startup Weekend	<input type="checkbox"/> VCU Student organizations (provide details) Other (Please specify)
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Academic Reference

Please provide the name & email for at least one faculty member in your area of study that we can contact as a reference.

Name	Email

da Vinci applications are accepted on a rolling basis year round. Production Innovation and Venture Creation applications are emailed to daVinciCenter@vcu.edu.

VCU Innovate priority applications are due November 21 and are emailed to Innovate@vcu.edu.

PLEASE NOTE: Innovate applicants must also apply to da Vinci. Please send applications to both email addresses.

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By signing this application, I acknowledge and accept the applicant into the specified VCU da Vinci Center Undergraduate Program(s)

Signature	Printed Name	Date
Program Director, Product Innovation		
Program Director, Venture Creation		
Director, VCU Innovate LLP		
Executive Director, da Vinci Center		