

# MONT ROSE BUSINESS PLAN ANGEL COMPETITION

**Unlock Your Potential: Join the MRC Angel Competition!**

**Competition Date:** 3rd June 2026

**Time:** 8:30 AM – 2:00 PM

**Location:** Mont Rose College, Mont Rose House, 412 - 416 Eastern Avenue, IG2-6NQ.

## About the Angel Competition

Are you ready to bring your ideas to life? The MRC Angel Competition is your chance to shine! Designed to empower aspiring entrepreneurs, this competition is the ultimate platform to showcase your creativity, develop critical business skills, and take your first steps toward success.

Mont Rose College has been nurturing talent since 2006. With two thriving campuses in **Ilford** and **Gants Hill**, we proudly support students in exploring opportunities in **Business Marketing, Hospitality Management, and Health & Social Care.**

After the incredible success of our previous participants, we're thrilled to bring the Angel Competition back—bigger, bolder, and more inspiring than ever! Each year, our winners have demonstrated outstanding talent, determination, and entrepreneurial spirit.

- 🚩 In 2022, **Irina Paduret** (@desserdirina) transformed her passion for desserts into a flourishing bakery business in Romford.
- 🚩 In 2023, **Nicoleta Tirgovat** (@vickytar\_nailtech) impressed us all by turning her nail technician expertise into a thriving beauty enterprise.
- 🚩 In 2024, **Silvia Atanasova** captured the spotlight by launching a successful real estate career in Northern Cyprus.

- 🚩 In 2025, **Misbah Safeer** (Mishi Tailoring) proved that success has no limits—building a profitable tailoring business entirely from the comfort of her home.

Their journeys are a testament to what ambition, creativity, and the right support can achieve. And now... It's your turn to shine!

These inspiring journeys prove that the Angel Competition can help turn dreams into reality—will your story be next?

**Don't Miss Out! Applications Close on 13th February 2026.**

### Why Should You Participate?

The Angel Competition is more than a contest; it's your gateway to a brighter future. Here's why this opportunity is too good to pass up:

- **Enhance Your Skill:** learn essential entrepreneurial strategies, including marketing, finance, and business planning.
- **Receive Expert Mentorship:** Work closely with our experienced business faculty, who will guide you every step of the way.
- **Build a Professional Network:** Meet and connect with industry leaders, judges, and peers.
- **Turn Your Ideas into Reality:** This competition provides all the tools you need to launch your dream business, from workshops to personalised feedback.
- **Showcase Your Talent:** Inspire others with your vision and creativity.

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## How Does It Work?

### Stage 1: Product Showcase

Present your idea visually or physically. Whether it's a menu for a restaurant or a prototype for your product, bring your vision to life!

### Stage 2: Business Presentation

Share your business plan, marketing strategy, financial projections, and more with a panel of judges.

**March 2025:** Shortlisted applicants will be selected based on the strength of their ideas. These finalists will undergo three months of intensive mentoring and workshops to refine their plans, culminating in the grand finale on June 30, 2025.

## What's in it for Finalists?

As a finalist, you'll benefit from:

- **Workshops in Business Planning, Marketing, Finance, and Law.**
- **Practice Presentation Sessions** with feedback from our employability team.
- **Exclusive Mentorship** to prepare for the competition day.
- 🏆 **Prize: Exciting News: More Prizes, More Winners, More Opportunities!**

Last year, the Angel Competition awarded a single grand prize of £500 +6 months' office space at Shakespeare House to one outstanding entrepreneur. This year, we're taking things to **the next level** by expanding our prizes and recognising even more exceptional talent. Our goal is to support a wider range of aspiring entrepreneurs—both male and female—by offering financial rewards, professional development opportunities, and resources to help their ideas grow.

## **2026 Angel Competition Awards**

### **Male Entrepreneur Awards**

#### **1. Best Male Entrepreneur – Champion**

**Prize:** £500 cash prize + 6 months office space + Goody Bag

Awarded to the top-performing male entrepreneur who demonstrates innovation, resilience, and exceptional business potential.

#### **2. Best Male Entrepreneur – 1st Runner-Up**

**Prize:** Business voucher + Goody Bag

Presented to the runner-up whose project shows strong creativity and growth potential.

#### **3. Male Finalists**

**Prize:** Certificate of Achievement + Goody Bag

All finalists will be acknowledged for their hard work, dedication, and entrepreneurial drive.

## **Female Entrepreneur Awards**

### **1. Best Female Entrepreneur – Champion**

**Prize:** £500 cash prize + 6 months office space + Goody Bag

Awarded to the leading female entrepreneur who stands out for her innovative business idea and commitment to success.

### **2. Best Female Entrepreneur – 1st Runner-Up**

**Prize:** Business voucher + Goody Bag

Presented to the female finalist with an impressive and promising entrepreneurial concept.

## **What You Need to Apply**

- 1. Submit Your Application:** Share your business idea by 13th February 2026. A template will be provided to help you outline your plan.
- 2. Sign a Non-Disclosure Agreement:** Your idea is safe with us!
- 3. Prepare for the Competition Stages:** From product showcases to final presentations, we'll guide you every step of the way.

## **Judging Criteria**

Our expert panel will evaluate your :

- Business Viability
- Strategic Planning
- Operational Structure
- Market Analysis
- Presentation Skills
- Financial Projections

The winner will be announced after the judges deliberately select the most innovative, viable, and well-executed business plan.

**Take the Leap and Transform Your Future!**

The MRC Angel Competition isn't just a contest; it's your moment to shine, learn, and take your dreams to the next level. Don't let this opportunity pass you by!

For more details or to express interest, contact the **Engagement** (Vasilita & Alina) and **Employability Department** (Barira & Eva)!

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**Now is your opportunity to make a lasting impact. Dare to dream big and join the Angel Competition today! ✨**