



GRID ANNUAL REPORT

2025/2026

GLASGOW
RIVERSIDE
INNOVATION
DISTRICT

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Foreword



Professor Uzma Khan,
Vice-Principal (Economic Development
& Innovation) and Chief Operating Officer

“At the University of Glasgow, we have a long-standing commitment to ensuring that our research, partnerships and people deliver lasting economic, social and civic impact. As a civic university, we have a responsibility not only to generate world-leading research, but to ensure that we translate our knowledge and discovery into genuine development and opportunity, fulfilling our ambition to deliver lasting benefits for our communities.

Through the University Economic Development Board (UEDB), we are turning this ambition into action by bringing together partners from across academia, industry and local and national government to maximise our collective impact.

Throughout 2025/26, we have continued to build momentum through the Glasgow Riverside Innovation District (GRID), where investment in research infrastructure, enterprise creation, skills development and community programmes is helping to grow an innovation ecosystem that delivers both economic opportunity and demonstrable social impact. In the year ahead, we will build on this progress and continue to invest in GRID and in the people, systems and spaces that enable the District to thrive.

Partnership is at the heart of this progress. Through our GRID partnership with Glasgow City Council and Scottish Enterprise,

and alongside the contributions of our Further Education partners and other key stakeholders across Glasgow’s innovation economy, we are strengthening Glasgow’s position as an internationally recognised destination for research, entrepreneurship and investment, whilst ensuring that innovation contributes to good growth.

This report highlights what can be achieved through shared ambition and trusted collaboration. From investment in new infrastructure and entrepreneurship to the continued expansion of the GRID Civic Grant Fund, now benefitting more than 9,500 people and rising, our achievements reflect a shared commitment to ensuring that innovation creates opportunity and delivers lasting impact.

I would like to thank every organisation, colleague and community partner who has contributed to GRID’s progress. Our achievements would not have been possible without your expertise, commitment and shared dedication to the GRID mission.

While there is much to celebrate, this is just the beginning of GRID’s journey. By continuing to invest in innovation and keeping people and communities at the heart of our District, we have a unique opportunity to shape the future of Glasgow, build a vibrant regional economy and deliver lasting benefits for generations to come.”

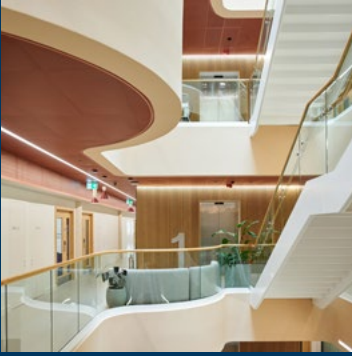
2025/2026 at a glance

People. Place. Possibility.

Throughout 2025/26, the University Economic Development Board continued to support the delivery of the University's Innovation Strategy and impact agenda through the Glasgow Riverside Innovation District (GRID).

Working across academia, industry, government and communities, UEDB has accelerated investment, supported innovation-led businesses, strengthened future talent pathways and brought forward new opportunities for delivering tangible, positive economic and civic impact.

Investment



£40M+

Health Innovation Hub
(Govan, Glasgow)



£7.5M

live City Deal
investment supporting
GRID development



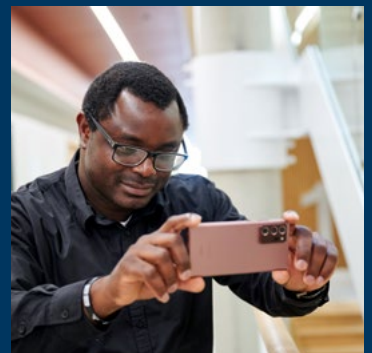
£4M

Mass Spectrometry Facility



£125K+

invested through the
GRID Civic Fund





Innovation & Commercialisation

30

active spin-outs

£149.5M

external investment secured

£42.1M

grant funding secured

359

high-value jobs supported

62

patent applications

Enterprise & Innovation Support

~£5M

invested in enterprise programmes through University of Glasgow and our partner contributions

70+

innovation projects supported

11

enterprise programmes delivered

6

Innovation Accelerator projects supported

REALITIES & IMMERSION
GLASCOW (RIG) initiated





People & Skills

X2 NEW FULLY FUNDED GRID PLANNING SCHOLARSHIP established

GRID INVEST | INNOVATE SUMMER SCHOOL launched in Govan

GRID TALENT.LAB MODERN APPRENTICESHIP created

Communities

50+

community projects supported

9,500+

beneficiaries reached

5,500+

beneficiaries from Govan

SOCIAL VALUE embedded through procurement

3 SUCCESSIVE civic funding rounds



Profile & Influence

25+

national and international delegations hosted

50+

speaking engagements delivered

GRID PROSPECTUS launched

DELIVERING INNOVATION THROUGH PARTNERSHIP

The University Economic Development Board exists to convene partners and amplify the University's contribution to local, regional and national economic development by aligning delivery of our shared ambition for innovation-led growth.

UEDB brings together universities, businesses, government, investors and communities to create an environment where ideas, investment and opportunity can thrive.

GRID represents a whole-system and alternative approach to innovation. Rather than focusing solely on research commercialisation, it combines world-class research, transformational infrastructure,

entrepreneurial support, skills development and community investment to create the conditions in which businesses can grow, talent can flourish and communities can benefit.

During 2025/26, this collaborative model continued to mature through partnerships with Glasgow City Council, Scottish Enterprise, NHS Greater Glasgow & Clyde, Glasgow Clyde College, the Scottish Government, UK Research and Innovation and a wide range of industry, investor and community organisations.

By aligning expertise, investment and action on shared priorities, UEDB has helped unlock opportunities that no single organisation could deliver alone – strengthening Glasgow's position as a leading location for research, innovation and inclusive economic growth.



Our work is organised around three interconnected priorities that define the University's approach to innovation-led economic development:

INNOVATION

Supporting researchers, entrepreneurs and businesses to transform ideas into new products, services and high-growth companies through investment, commercialisation and specialist enterprise support. The investment we have made in our innovation portfolio, alongside the clear prioritisation by our partners of the growth through innovation agenda, is now bearing fruit. In the recent Spotlight on Spin-outs Report 2026, Glasgow is now ranked 13th in the UK for spin-out creation (within the top 15% institutions), with its spin-out **companies attracting c.£150m in investment and having created over £500m in enterprise value since 2010.**

PLACE

Creating internationally competitive innovation infrastructure and commercial space that attracts investment, enables collaboration and strengthens Glasgow's global competitiveness. In 2026, we saw the **opening of the flagship Health Innovation Hub in Govan**, demonstrating this approach in action: transforming place, redeveloping a vacant site and in so doing bringing together academia, industry, the NHS and communities, and creating the conditions for businesses, talent and innovation to grow.

PEOPLE

Developing inclusive pathways into education, employment and entrepreneurship through skills programmes – including the **GRID Ignite 6-week Business Accelerator, supporting minority ethnic and female founders, alongside apprenticeships and wider business engagement** – ensuring more people can participate in and benefit from the knowledge economy.



GRID is continuously investing in local organisations, embedding social value and harnessing our industry partners' expertise and supply chain offerings to deliver for our community – undertaking renovation projects and premises upgrades in the district.

The achievements outlined in this report demonstrate the strength of this integrated approach. Together, they show how sustained partnership is helping deliver research excellence, business growth, investment and inclusive prosperity across Glasgow and the wider region.

A man with curly brown hair and a light beard, wearing a white lab coat and white gloves, is focused on working on a complex mechanical device. The device features a prominent yellow coiled spring and a glowing orange light on the right side. The background shows industrial equipment. The bottom of the image has a blue and purple gradient with white wavy lines.

DRIVING INNOVATION & ENTERPRISE

Innovation sits at the heart of the District and the University Economic Development Board's mission. Throughout 2025/26, the University's innovation ecosystem was strengthened through a suite of new University-led programmes that supported research translation, enabling entrepreneurship and helping businesses access the expertise, facilities and partnerships required to innovate and grow.

A key element of this approach has been leveraging external investment to expand the University's innovation offer. During 2025/26, with £340,000 of UK Government Shared Prosperity funding, allocated by Glasgow City Council, more than £5m was invested in enabling the delivery of a portfolio of enterprise and innovation programmes that supported researchers,

entrepreneurs and businesses to develop new products, services and commercial opportunities. By aligning national investment with University expertise and regional partnerships, we are maximising the impact of public funding while strengthening Glasgow's innovation ecosystem.

Working with partners including Scottish Enterprise, Innovate UK, Smart Things Accelerator (STAC), Glasgow School of Art and the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, the University has delivered a coordinated portfolio of enterprise programmes supporting innovators from early-stage ideas through to commercialisation.

We invested in **11 enterprise programmes**, supporting **72 innovation projects**. Demand remained exceptionally strong, with more than **160 applications** seeking over **£4.6 million** in funding. This reflects both the strength of the University's research base and the growing appetite for innovation-led growth across Glasgow and the wider region.



Targeted investment has supported innovation across strategically important sectors, with our **MedTech** and **Critical Technologies Innovation Funds** reflecting both institutional and regional strengths. We have also supported entrepreneurs with market validation, investment readiness support and access to commercial expertise through our **InfinityG**, **Innovation Cluster Development Fund** and **Glasgow ICURE Discover** programmes. **The Creative and Social Futures Fund** extended this approach into Scotland's creative economy through a unique partnership with Glasgow School of Art, the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland and Glasgow Caledonian University.

Our Student Enterprise support continues to grow, with dedicated space in the Advanced Research Centre to co-locate these founders. Our programmes provide a clear growth pathway for our student entrepreneurs. In March 2026, we developed and hosted the final of the Scottish Government funded StartUp Factory, bringing together students from Scotland's Universities and Colleges to develop their ideas in partnership.

This investment is translating research excellence into measurable economic impact. The University's active spin-out portfolio now comprises **30 companies**, which have collectively secured **£149.5 million in external investment**, attracted **£42.1 million in grant funding** and supported **359 highly skilled jobs** across health and life sciences, advanced manufacturing, digital technologies and energy.

Together with the creation of new ventures during the year, these outcomes demonstrate the University's growing ability to translate world-class research into businesses, investment and high-value employment.

Innovation & Enterprise Highlights

~£5M+

invested through
enterprise programmes

72

innovation projects supported

160+

funding applications received

11

enterprise
programmes
delivered

30

active
spin-outs

£149.5M

external investment secured

£42.1M

grant funding leveraged

359

high-value jobs supported



BUILDING PLACES FOR INNOVATION

Creating world-class places where innovation can flourish remains central to the University's long-term ambitions. Throughout 2025/26, the University continued to invest in the infrastructure required to attract businesses, support research commercialisation and strengthen Glasgow's position as one of the UK's leading innovation districts.

A major milestone was the opening of the **£40 million+ Health Innovation Hub – a flagship health and life sciences asset based in GRID** developed by the University of Glasgow, Scottish Enterprise, Kadans Science Partner, NHS Greater Glasgow & Clyde and UK Research and Innovation.

Located beside the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital, the **87,000 sq ft** facility brings together researchers, clinicians, entrepreneurs and businesses in a purpose-built environment designed to accelerate innovation in precision medicine, digital health and life sciences. By connecting academic expertise, clinical capability and commercial opportunity, the Hub provides a platform for translating research into solutions that can improve health outcomes and drive economic growth.

Importantly, the Health Innovation Hub has been designed as more than a research facility. Through the University's Living Lab, it is becoming **a place where researchers, healthcare professionals, businesses, schools and local communities can engage with innovation**. Public engagement, creative programmes and educational partnerships are making cutting-edge research more accessible, strengthening public trust and inspiring future talent.



Working alongside GRID, the University's Living Lab team is delivering **educational outreach, public events, careers information, and collaborative learning opportunities** that help schools, colleges and communities explore the latest advances and opportunities in health technologies and precision medicine. Together, these activities are widening participation and ensuring innovation delivers benefits beyond the laboratory.

During 2025/26, this wider engagement included a programme of community and public engagement across Govan, working with local schools, community organisations and education partners to connect people with the Health Innovation Hub and the science behind health innovation. A particular focus was connecting local heritage with future innovation. In collaboration with SWG3 and GRID, the Living Laboratory launched a digital story exploring the birth of the ultrasound scanner and the important role Glasgow and the Govan shipyards played in the development of this world-changing technology. The launch combined film, demonstrations of modern ultrasound technology and interactive STEM activities including blood typing, MRI, LEGO engineering challenges, precision medicine and pharmacogenetics, alongside opportunities for communities to contribute feedback on educational materials.

Research and commercial capability was further strengthened through the establishment of a new multi-million-pound **Mass Spectrometry Facility**, with investment by the University of Glasgow and Scottish Enterprise, alongside research collaboration with Thermo Fisher Scientific. **Supported and co-ordinated by the GRID team**, this new open-access facility provides advanced analytical capability for researchers and industry, strengthening Scotland's research infrastructure and supporting innovation across health, life sciences and related sectors.

A further **£7.5 million investment** was announced through the Glasgow City Region City Deal Enabling Commercial Space Programme, supporting future commercial development and site readiness in the vicinity of the Health Innovation Hub, led by our partners, Glasgow City Council. Work also progressed on preparation of a Masterplan Consent Area to create a more streamlined framework for investment and regeneration.

Together, these investments represent a transformational and progressive programme of innovation infrastructure within GRID that will support business growth, attract inward investment and help reinforce Glasgow's international competitiveness.

Place Highlights

£40M+

Health Innovation Hub opened

£7.5M

City Deal investment secured

**MASS SPECTROMETRY
FACILITY established**

**WEST END INNOVATION
HUB in development**



SKILLS, TALENT & INCLUSIVE GROWTH

Innovation districts depend on talented people as much as world-class infrastructure. Throughout 2025/26, the GRID has continued to strengthen pathways into education, employment and entrepreneurship, ensuring that the opportunities created through innovation are accessible to individuals, businesses and communities across Glasgow.

A major focus has been the development of **GRID talent.lab**, a new place-based Modern Apprenticeship programme designed to connect young people with careers across Glasgow's innovation economy. Delivered in partnership with employers, Clyde College, Glasgow City Council and the University of Glasgow, the programme will provide apprentices with qualifications, mentoring and structured employment pathways, while helping businesses develop future talent aligned with their workforce needs.

By creating more inclusive routes into emerging sectors, GRID talent.lab aims to ensure that local communities are able to participate in the opportunities generated by investment in innovation, research and technology.



Entrepreneurship and enterprise skills were further supported through the launch of the **GRID Invest | Innovate Summer School**. Based in Govan and delivered in partnership with Dechomai and Glasgow Clyde College, this inclusive programme was designed to widen participation in entrepreneurship and combined innovation skills, business development, pre-investment readiness and mentoring for 40 student entrepreneurs and micro businesses across the GRID ecosystem.

The **GRID Planning Scholarship**, developed by the University of Glasgow with ScottishPower and Glasgow City Council, removes financial barriers to postgraduate study while providing valuable placement opportunities across the public and private sectors. The scholarship supports the development of future planners, helps diversify the profession and contributes to addressing national skills shortages.

Our involvement in complementary initiatives, and with thanks to the support of the University of Glasgow Careers, Employability & Opportunity team, have delivered **Find a Solution GRID internships (supporting local third-sector organisations)**, the **CLIC technology adoption programme led by City of Glasgow College**, and wider business engagement activities, continued to strengthen connections between education, research, industry and the third sector.

Working with Glasgow Clyde College, the Living Laboratory also supported skills development in precision medicine and health innovation, including CPD activity connecting learners and educators with cutting-edge research, clinical and innovation environments. This strengthened links between further education, the University, the NHS and the emerging health and life sciences economy.

Together, these programmes demonstrate our commitment to ensuring that innovation creates meaningful opportunities for people at every stage of their journey – from education and skills development through to employment, entrepreneurship and business growth.

Skills Highlights

**GRID TALENT.LAB
INCLUSIVE MODERN
APPRENTICESHIP** developed

**GRID INVEST | INNOVATE
SUMMER SCHOOL** launched

**GRID PLANNING
SCHOLARSHIP** established

**FIND A SOLUTION GRID
INTERNSHIPS** expanded

SME TECHNOLOGY ADOPTION
supported through CLIC

STRONGER COLLABORATION
between education, business and
innovation partners



COMMUNITIES AT THE HEART OF INNOVATION

Creating new economic growth is only one – albeit important – measure of success. Our ambition is to ensure that innovation also supports civic benefit and prosperity for the Glasgow Riverside Innovation District community.

Throughout 2025/26, the **GRID Civic Fund** invested more than **£125,000** in over **50 community-led projects**, supporting more than **9,500 people** across the district. More than **5,500 beneficiaries** were connected to Govan-based organisations, reflecting the Fund's commitment to directing investment towards communities experiencing significant social and economic challenges.

Supported projects included community organisations, social enterprises, youth initiatives, environmental improvements and employability programmes. Together, these initiatives have helped build local resilience, create opportunities for participation and strengthen connections between communities and the wider innovation ecosystem.

Beyond grant funding, we have continued to expand our approach to social value by working with the University's Estates Directorate, suppliers and community organisations to connect procurement activity with local priorities within the GRID area.

Supplier-led initiatives have included donations of laptops to local charities as well as specialist professional support and improvements to community facilities in GRID, demonstrating how investment activity can generate wider social benefits beyond individual contracts.

As the Civic Fund develops, increasing emphasis will be placed on community capacity building, organisational resilience and stronger pathways into skills, employment and entrepreneurship. By combining community investment with wider innovation

activity, we are helping to ensure that economic growth delivers lasting and inclusive social impact.

Living Laboratory Community Engagement Programme: Building Belonging and Ownership

Alongside the Civic Fund, the Living Laboratory provided a further route for communities to engage directly with health innovation. During 2025/26, activity across Govan brought together residents, community organisations, schools and young people through creative engagement, public events, STEM activities, Hub visits, walking tours, and patient and public involvement.

Taking a community-first approach, the programme connected University research and innovation with local experience, interests and priorities, helping to build awareness, trust and a sense of shared ownership of the Health Innovation Hub.

Two creative co-creation projects – Tapestry and Mosaic – brought community voices and lived experience into the Hub. Working with local artists, schools, housing and community organisations, participants explored themes of health, place and community through shared creative activity. The resulting artworks provide lasting expressions of community collaboration, connecting Govan's heritage and identity with the Hub's health innovation ambitions.

We would like to acknowledge the significant contribution of our colleague Jeane Freeman, former Dean of Strategic Community Engagement and Economic Development at the University of Glasgow, who sadly passed away earlier this year. Jeane brought enthusiasm, passion and deep commitment to community engagement and civic impact. She championed collaboration between academic institutions and local communities, ensuring that engagement was rooted in listening, respect and shared purpose. Deeply missed, her influence continues to shape our direction and values.

Community Highlights

GRID Civic Fund

£125K+

invested through the GRID Civic Fund

50+

community projects supported

9,500+

beneficiaries reached

5,500+

beneficiaries from Govan

Living Laboratory and other Civic Highlights

TAPESTRY: 69 local women
engaged at Gilded Lily

MOSAIC: 58 adults engaged through
5 community groups

**SWG3 DIGITAL STORY: 84 YOUNG
PEOPLE** and **18 ADULTS** engaged

MEET ME IN GOVAN: 6 walking tours and
a celebration event engaged **118** people

SCHOOLS AND STEM: 95 young people
engaged across **5** local schools

Connected community organisations to
wider **GRID OPPORTUNITIES**

HEALTH INNOVATION HUB VISITS:
A further **29** community members
engaged through **6** smaller Hub tours

NEW GRID WORK PROGRAMME:
Creating Social Value Through
Responsible Procurement

HEALTH INNOVATION HUB:
3 opening events engaged **75 ADULTS**
and **49 YOUNG PEOPLE** through STEM
activities and Hub tours

**PATIENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT
AND ENGAGEMENT (PPIE): 3** working
groups engaged **40** participants in
developing a Policy and Codes of Practice

A photograph of two men in dark suits and ties engaged in a conversation. The man on the left has dark hair and a beard, while the man on the right is bald and wears glasses. They are standing at a conference or event, with other people and a large architectural drawing of a building visible in the background. The bottom of the image features a decorative graphic with wavy lines in shades of blue and purple.

EVIDENCE, INTELLIGENCE & MEASURING IMPACT

Image: Scottish Government

Robust evidence and insight are essential to effective economic development. Throughout 2025/26, the GRID team continued to strengthen the evidence base for the district's socioeconomic baseline, providing partners with the intelligence needed to target investment, shape programmes and measure long-term impact.

Working collaboratively with the University of Glasgow, Glasgow City Council, Scottish Enterprise and wider partners, we have developed a comprehensive baseline analysis of the district, bringing together employment, business, land use and deprivation data to create a clearer understanding of GRID's economic strengths, challenges and future opportunities.

The analysis confirms GRID as one of Scotland's most significant innovation locations. The district supports an estimated **65,000 jobs**, representing approximately **14.5% of all employment in Glasgow**, and is home to more than **5,000 businesses** operating across internationally competitive sectors including health and life sciences, engineering, advanced manufacturing, digital technologies and the creative economy.

The evidence also highlights the importance of ensuring that innovation-led growth benefits local communities. While Govan supports more than **33,000 jobs**, acute challenges remain **in terms of** employment deprivation, demonstrating the importance of better connecting local people to the opportunities created from investment, skills development and business growth – and ensuring supportive pathways exist to accessing these employment opportunities.

This intelligence has directly informed initiatives like **GRID talent.lab**, community investment activity and wider approaches to

inclusive growth, ensuring programmes are designed around identified needs and opportunities.

By embedding evidence and evaluation into decision-making, we are moving beyond measuring activity towards understanding outcomes and long-term impact. This growing evidence base will continue to inform investment, infrastructure, enterprise, skills and community programmes, ensuring resources are directed where they can deliver the greatest economic and social benefit.

Evidence Highlights

C. 65,000

jobs within GRID

14.5%

of Glasgow employment

5,000+

businesses across the district

14,566

health sector jobs

**COMPREHENSIVE DISTRICT
BASELINE established**

**EVIDENCE INFORMING
future investment and inclusive
growth priorities**



PARTNERSHIP, PROFILE & INFLUENCE

Partnership remains the defining strength of GRID and its guiding University Economic Development Board. By bringing together universities, government, businesses, investors and communities, we have continued to strengthen GRID's position as one of the UK's leading innovation districts.

Throughout 2025/26, collaboration with partners including Glasgow City Council, Scottish Enterprise, Glasgow Chamber of Commerce and many other organisations helped secure investment, support business growth and strengthen GRID's national and international profile.

GRID's reputation continued to grow through the publication of the **GRID Prospectus**, the development of a stronger place brand and an expanding programme of national and international engagement. More than **25 delegations** visited the district during the year, while representatives delivered more than 50 **keynote presentations and speaking engagements**, sharing Glasgow's approach to place-based innovation with audiences across the UK and internationally.

Supporting this activity, initiatives including the **GRID Hero Film**, the **GRID Industry Open Day**, public-facing branding and coordinated partner communications are helping to establish a clear and compelling proposition for investors, businesses, researchers and collaborators.

Together, these activities are strengthening GRID's visibility and reinforcing its reputation as a destination for research, innovation and inclusive economic growth.

Partnership, Profile and Influence Highlights

25+

national and international
delegations hosted

50

keynote presentations and speaking
engagements delivered

GRID PROSPECTUS launched

New GRID **MARKETING MATERIAL**
produced (including Hero Film and
Industry Offer Film)

Industry **OPEN DAY** established

**ENTREPRENEURSHIP
EDUCATION PROGRAMME**
in development between Invest
Sapporo, GRID and University
of Glasgow Student Enterprise

Stronger place **BRAND**
and coordinated partner
COMMUNICATIONS developed



LOOKING AHEAD 2026/27

The achievements of 2025/26 provide a strong foundation for the next phase of delivery. During the year ahead, the University Economic Development Board will continue to strengthen the innovation ecosystem by accelerating investment, deepening partnerships and expanding opportunities for businesses and communities.

A key priority will be supporting the implementation of the **GCR Local Innovation Partnership Fund (LIPF)**, creating new opportunities for collaboration between academia, industry, government and communities while supporting innovation-led growth across the Glasgow City Region.

The launch of **GRID talent.lab** will introduce a new place-based approach to workforce development, connecting local people with high-quality Modern Apprenticeship opportunities across research, technology and innovation-led sectors. Alongside this, we will continue to expand the **GRID Civic Fund**, strengthen supplier social value and build community capacity to ensure that the benefits of innovation are shared more widely.

Alongside delivery, we will continue to strengthen our evidence and evaluation framework, ensuring future decisions are informed by robust intelligence and that the long-term economic and social impacts of investment can be clearly demonstrated.

2026/27 Priorities

- » Commence University of Glasgow-led Local Innovation Partnership Fund projects
- » Operational launch of GRID talent.lab
- » Progress District's infrastructure development pipeline, like Church Street
- » Expand the GRID Civic Fund and community capacity-building activity
- » Strengthen supplier social value across GRID
- » Continue strategic infrastructure investment
- » Enhance evidence, evaluation and impact measurement
- » Grow national and international partnerships

CONCLUSION

Throughout 2025/26, we have demonstrated how collaborative leadership can bring together universities, government, businesses and communities to create opportunities that no single organisation could achieve alone.

Over the past year, significant progress has been made across every part of the innovation ecosystem. Investment in world-class infrastructure, enterprise support and commercialisation has strengthened Glasgow's capacity for innovation; new skills programmes are opening pathways into future careers; community investment is ensuring local people benefit from growth; and an expanding programme of national and international engagement is raising the profile of the Glasgow Riverside Innovation District.

These collective efforts are already delivering measurable outcomes. The University's active spin-out portfolio has attracted more than **£149.5 million in investment**, secured **£42.1 million in grant funding** and now supports **359 highly skilled jobs**, while the wider district continues to attract investment, open flagship infrastructure assets and continue to strengthen partnerships and create opportunities for businesses and communities alike.

Looking ahead, GRID will continue to build on these foundations by championing innovation, supporting enterprise, investing in people and place, and ensuring that the benefits of growth are shared widely.

Through sustained partnership and a shared commitment to inclusive innovation, GRID will continue to play a central role in delivering the University's Innovation Strategy and reinforcing Glasgow's position as one of Europe's leading innovation districts.



GRID will continue to build on these foundations by championing innovation, supporting enterprise, investing in people and place, and ensuring that the benefits of growth are shared widely.

Arrange a tour

Schedule a meeting in GRID

Host a delegation

Access a GRID contact

Reach out for more information

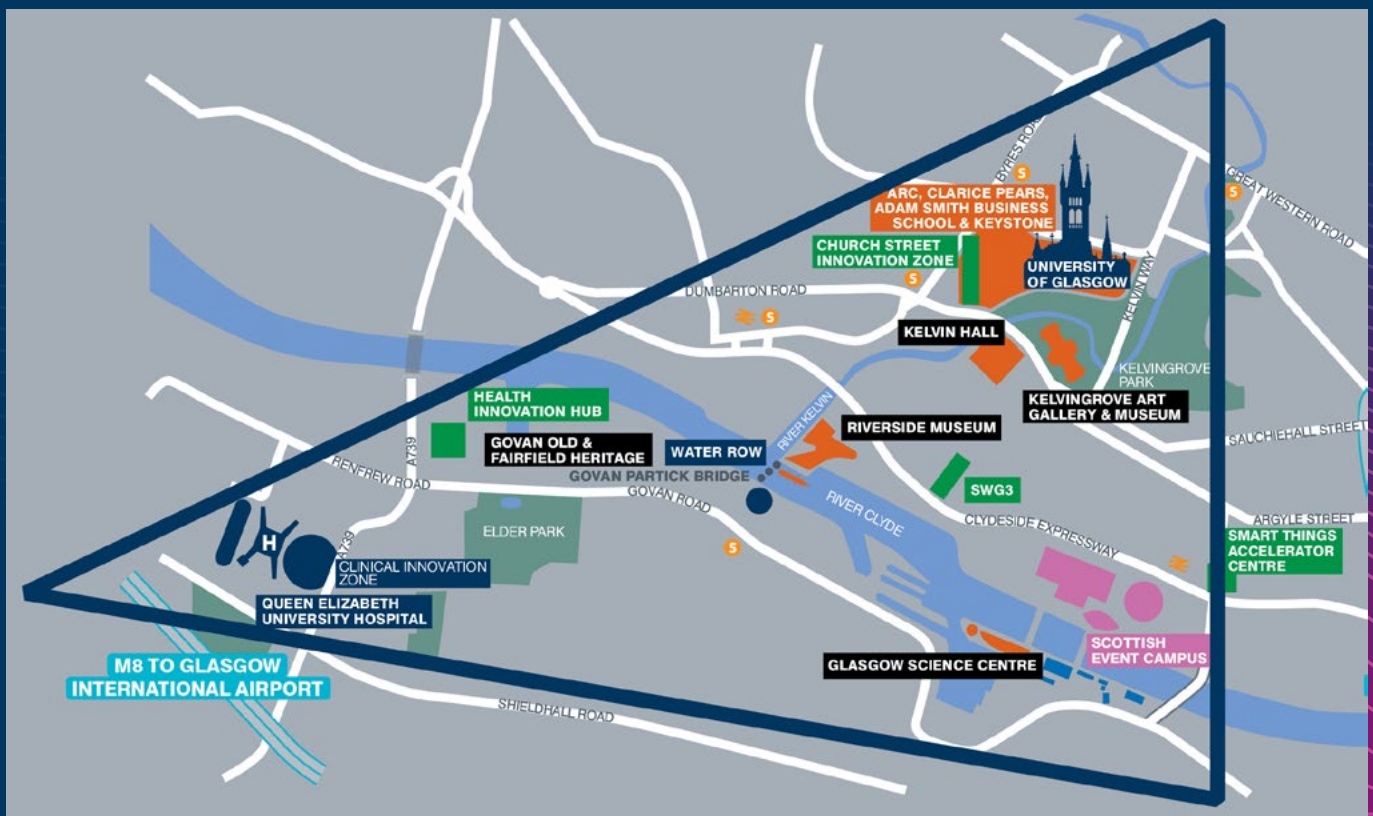


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