## **Business Account Opening for beneficiaries of Entrepreneur Visa – Santander University Partner Network**

Since October 2018, Santander has a specialised team to support International Graduates when opening a Business Banking account when granted an Entrepreneur Visa.

- Santander UK is at the forefront of this banking offer enabling entrepreneur students to have access to a bank account through a simplified on boarding process
- The proposition offers a personalised service to international entrepreneurs setting up their business in the UK
- A multilingual team at your disposal for any queries, and who will be able to support you in the application process



## Required information for submitting application:

- 1. Scanned copy of your passport
- 2. Scanned copy of your Tier 1 Visa (please note that minimum a of 6 months must remain)
- 3. Copy of proof of address
- Business plan outlining the business activities (This should be what you presented to gain your visa)
- 5. Business Name

## Criteria to be eligible for the account

- All business we on-board must have no overseas Directors or Shareholders
- The International Graduate Entrepreneur Visa must have a minimum of 6 months remaining for us to progress the application
- Any businesses which transact with High Risk Jurisdictions will encounter slight delays whilst we verify the transactions (High Risk Jurisdictions i.e. Brazil, India, UAE, China)

If you are interested in Santander's proposition, please send the required details to the Internationalteam.retail@santander.co.uk marked for the attention of Mr. David Mann.

