

SOLIDWORKS FOR FAB LABS AND MAKER SPACES

SPONSORSHIP FOR MAKER SPACES PROGRAM



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Maker spaces and Fab Labs, are the life blood of the maker movement. Maker spaces provide much needed mentorship and a sense of community to those involved. Fab Labs that are part of the Fab Foundation network can work on their projects with SOLIDWORKS Premium. This means they can design and validate with integrated mechanical, simulation, electrical, kinematics, cost, sustainability and technical documentation tools – just to name a few.

The bar for people to create products is lower than ever thanks to advances in 3D printing, design software and the rise in maker spaces. SOLIDWORKS partnership with the Fab Foundation can be found in Fab Labs worldwide. In addition, there are over than 6,000 maker spaces in the world where aspiring artists, designers, engineers and entrepreneurs meet to create. SOLIDWORKS is dedicated to being a key contributor to this maker movement.

FAB LABS



SOLIDWORKS is the founding CAD partner of the Fab Foundation, providing SOLIDWORKS software through sponsorship of labs in MIT Center for Bits and Atoms (CBA) global Fab Lab network.

You are eligible for sponsorship if you are :

- An official Fab Lab in the network (listed on the fablabs.io website)
- Or a Fab Academy site.

By applying for sponsorship, you agree to support SOLIDWORKS community efforts for Fab Labs around the world by collaborating with us as we develop new technologies, related case studies, social media stories, images, press releases, and user group presentations.

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3D printing in the Rwanda Fab Lab.
In June, the Fab Lab team at MIT helped us to set up the first site in Central Africa. SOLIDWORKS provides to Rwanda Fab Lab software tools through sponsoring and donate all the equipment to begin fabricating.

What the sponsorship program offers you ?

Fab Labs will receive one commercial license of SOLIDWORKS Premium Software, one SOLIDWORKS PCB, and DraftSight Enterprise.

Fab Academy Nodes will receive one -10 seat network license of SOLIDWORKS Education Edition software for teaching and training.

Fab Academy Students & Instructors will receive one (1) SOLIDWORKS Student Design Kit Maker license, watermarked version of SOLIDWORKS Standard for educational outreach.

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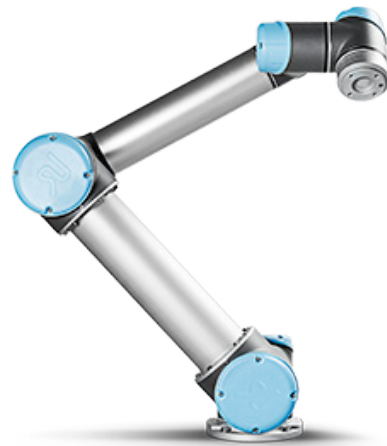
Your mission is to promote creative design, collaborative learning and manufacturing for people of skills level and all ages? Your place gives access to tools, machines, trainings and learning event with an entrepreneurial spirit for all members of your community? Then, the SOLIDWORKS sponsorship is also here to support you.

All maker spaces can apply for SOLIDWORKS Sponsorship for Makers for educational purposes. Maker Spaces will receive the **SOLIDWORKS Student Design Kit – Maker Edition**.

Maker Spaces can also apply for SOLIDWORKS sponsorship through the SOLIDWORKS Entrepreneur Program on

<https://www.solidworks.com/sw-for-entrepreneurs>.

For eligible Maker Space, the SOLIDWORKS® For Entrepreneur program offers software, training, and co-marketing resources to help all the ideas growing in the maker space.



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