Rio Tinto Pioneer Portal: Submissions Guide

Introduction
The Rio Tinto Pioneer Portal facilitates the generation of new solutions and technologies that may provide business value to our operations. These may be from individuals, start-ups or established businesses with early-stage ideas, through to fully mature products or services. The solutions we are seeking may or may not already be deployed in similar operations, however should have the potential to impact the future of our business.

The Pioneer Portal provides an easy and visible portal for those wishing to contribute their ideas and a system to responsibly manage, respond to and coordinate collaboration opportunities.

Process
1. Ideas are submitted via the Rio Tinto Pioneer Portal website, through completion of the Rio Tinto Pioneer Portal online form (Submission)
2. Once the form has been submitted, Rio Tinto will send to you an email confirmation acknowledging receipt of your Submission
3. Submissions are then shared within Rio Tinto through its enterprise social network service
4. The Rio Tinto Pioneer Portal panel will then review your Submission
5. Rio Tinto will then send an email to you providing an initial decision in relation to your Submission

If Rio Tinto decides to proceed further with your Submission, then an internal Rio Tinto Pioneer Portal owner will be assigned who will liaise with you in respect of your Submission.

Please note that this process may take up to two months.

Information requirements
For Rio Tinto to be able to assess your Submission, we request that you provide the following information:

Business Challenge
Identify the appropriate business challenge proposed by Rio Tinto or other such challenge/opportunity proposed by you.

Pitch title
Choose an appropriate title for the Submission.
What is your pitch?
Briefly describe in your Submission the idea, solution or product. Consider including:

- The challenge to be solved
- How the solution meets the challenge
- What differentiates your solution from other solutions

Value proposition
Describe what is considered to be the potential value to Rio Tinto if the Submission is fully developed? This may relate to our business priorities – Safety, People, Cash, Growth and Partnerships.

Business uses
Describe how the solution would be deployed? Consider including:

- Where could Rio Tinto benefit from this
- What benefits would this generate for Rio Tinto
- How long would it take to realise the benefits
- What might be the plan for deployment

Solution readiness
Describe the product status of the solution. Consider including:

- Standard off-the-shelf product status
- Development requirements
- Patents etc.

Expectations
Identify what support or expectations are you looking for from Rio Tinto? Consider including:

- Direct purchase
- Development cooperation/partnership
- Site access
- Access to subject matter experts

In return what will you provide to Rio Tinto?

Other
Any other information that may be relevant to your submission.

Attachments
Either include the attachments on the form, provide a link to any material that could support your Submission or email it to pioneerportal@riotinto.com.

Note: by providing your Submission you confirm having read and agreed to our Terms and Conditions and Privacy Notice.
Example of Submission Form

Rio Tinto Pioneer Portal
Solutions, technologies or ideas to transform our business / Solutions, technologies ou idées pour transformer notre entreprise
Estimated 7mins to complete

Fields marked with a (*) must be completed

First name / Prénom *
Your answer

Last name / Nom *
Your answer

Email / Courriel *
Your answer

Company / Entreprise
What is the company that you represent? / Quelle entreprise représentez-vous?
Your answer

Business Challenge / Défi commercial *
Select which business challenge your solution addresses or choose other. / Choisissez le problème d'affaires que votre solution peut résoudre ou choisissez-en un autre.
- Other / Autre
- Gamba gross/l'herbe de gamba
- Approvals management/Gestion des approbations
Pitch title / Titre de l’argumentaire
Your answer

What is your pitch? / Quel est votre argumentaire?
Your answer

Value proposition / Proposition de valeur
Why should Rio Tinto adopt this idea? / Pourquoi Rio Tinto devrait-il adopter cette idée?
Your answer

Business uses / Usages commerciaux
In what way could Rio Tinto benefit from using your idea? Particullary for business problem ‘other’. / Comment pensez-vous que Rio Tinto peut mettre votre idée en application? De quoi avez-vous besoin de notre port pour concrétiser l’idée
Your answer

Solution readiness / Niveau de préparation de la solution
How far along in development - from concept to full producitisation - is your idea? For example the technology readiness level. / À quel stade de développement – du concept à l’entiè re producitisation – est rendue votre idée? Par exemple, le niveau de préparation technologique.
Your answer

Expectations / Attentes
How do you see Rio Tinto implementing your idea? What do you need from us to make it happen? / Comment pensez-vous que Rio Tinto peut mettre votre idée en application? De quoi avez-vous besoin de notre port pour concrétiser l’idée?
Your answer
Other / Autre

Is there anything else you'd like to tell us? / Voulez-vous ajouter quelque chose?

Your answer

Attachments / Pièces jointes

Either include any attachments on this form, provide a link or email to pioneer portal@riotinto.com/Soit inclure toutes les pièces jointes sur ce formulaire, fournir un lien ou envoyer un e-mail à Pioneer portal@riotinto.com

Your answer

Add Attachments

Total attachments file size: 100MB.
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Total file size: 0 Bytes/100.00MB

I have read the Rio Tinto Pioneer Portal Terms & conditions / J'ai lu les conditions générales du Portail des plansirs Rio Tinto

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