



Harrison Barnes Ltd

Coast to Capital's Business Navigator Service exists to signpost small businesses and start-ups to the vital support they need to survive and grow. Based in Shoreham-by-Sea on the Sussex coast, our team of expert Business Navigators have an in-depth knowledge of the diverse Coast to Capital region, which stretches to Croydon in the North, Mole Valley in the East, Lewes in the west and also encompasses bustling Brighton & Hove and rural West Sussex.



About (Harrison Barnes Ltd)

Harrison Barnes Ltd was founded by Lee Duffett in 2008 as a property development business. He set up Harrison Barnes to work with clients on their own development projects as well as producing their own designs and new build projects. Lee has always had a passion for design and building unique spaces. With a background in engineering, interior design and property development, 10 years ago Lee began to assist private clients in renovating their homes. One of Lee's projects was included in 'This Old House Magazine' and he recently won Designer of the year 2016 from 'Houzz UK'.



The Challenge

Lee was introduced to Coast to Capital's Business Navigator Service through the National Business Support Helpline in 2015. Specifically, he was looking for support to find guidance and assistance to further develop a new product idea he was considering at the time. Likewise, he was looking for support with product design and launching said product, as well as, intellectual property advice for trademark and patent protection.



The Solution

Business Navigator, Marsha Robert, had several discussions with Lee to understand the extent of the support required. After some initial conversations, Lee was referred to Sussex Innovation Centre for support with developing his product. He is now a member at their Brighton location and this has enabled him to work through various product ideas and gain access to research and mix with like-minded people.

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Lee Duffett, Harrison Barnes said:

"Since joining Sussex Innovation Centre I have been put in contact with Brett Rust of 3D Printing Engineering, whom is based at the centre and is well placed to help get through the next stages of concept design and prototyping which we are currently underway with.."

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