

The YBI Network *Accredited programmes*

Argentina Fundación Impulsar

Fundación Impulsar is an independent NGO supported by leading Argentinean businesses. It was established in 1999 and became an accredited youth business programme in 2002. Fundación Impulsar is headquartered in Buenos Aires but has a nationwide presence with regional offices in Tartagal, Salta, Tucuman, Mendoza, San Luis, Cordoba and Puerto San Julian and Misiones in 2009.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 697

Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 236

Number of mentors in 2008: 255

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Australia Enterprise Network for Young Australians

ENYA is a not-for-profit public company founded in 2002 by three young people to support and promote Australian youth enterprise. It became an accredited youth business programme in September 2008.

ENYA has successfully developed four programme's since its construction with support of the Australian government, including a web-based learning point of business resources, available free of charge to the public.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 43

Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 11

Number of mentors in 2008: 15

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Barbados Barbados Youth Business Trust

Barbados Youth Business Trust has been working since its establishment in 1996 to improve social and economic conditions by providing start-up loan capital, business mentoring and other business and social support to young entrepreneurial people. BYBT is a founding member of the YBI Network.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: – business start-ups 319; business mentoring/referrals – 2,200; training – 4,400

Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 27 start-up businesses, another 50 in business mentoring/business support
Number of mentors in 2008: 15 new ones recruited in 2008 and 125 active in total

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Belize

Youth Business Trust Belize

Youth Business Trust Belize is managed by a not-for-profit board under the chairmanship of Shaun Finetty and a not-for-profit board of Patrons under the chairmanship of Dean Boyce. The organisation became an accredited youth business programme in the YBI Network in 2008, and has been supported by the British High Commission, the Youth Start Plan Fund, UNDP, Scotto Trust, Belize Telemedia and the Inter-American Development Bank. YBTB has also forged close relationships with other youth business organisations in the Caribbean and Latin America.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 31
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 19
Number of mentors in 2008: 41

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Bolivia

Innova Emprendimientos Sociales

INNOVA was founded in 2006 following a meeting between Bolivia's Fundación Emprender and Argentina's Fundación Impulsar. It operates within Fundación Emprender, and became an accredited youth business programme of the YBI Network in 2008. INNOVA has the strong support of ICCO, Emprender Foundation, and institutional sponsorship of Autapo Foundation, Mayor's office of Sucre, Cerámica Guadalquivir and Fundación AVINA and covers the regions of Tarija, Santa Cruz and Sucre.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 36
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 22
Number of mentors in 2008: 13

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Canada

Canadian Youth Business Foundation

The Canadian Youth Business Foundation (CYBF) is a national charity dedicated to growing Canada's economy one young entrepreneur at a time. Founded in 1996, CYBF has invested to date in more than 2,900 young entrepreneurs, whose businesses have created more than 15,500 new Canadian jobs and have generated more than C\$72 million in tax revenue. Through CYBF's national network of community partners, it is able to deliver a programme coast to coast with more than 2,600 volunteers across Canada.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 2,900
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 555
Number of mentors in 2008: 466

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China Youth Business China

Initiated by the All-China Youth Federation (ACYF), the Ministry of Labour and Social Security, the All-China Federation of Industry and Commerce, and other agencies in November 2003, Youth Business China (YBC) is a non-profit programme aiming to promote youth entrepreneurship. By taking the YBI model and mobilizing resources from all social sectors, in particular the business community, YBC provides business mentoring, seed money, skills training and network support to young entrepreneurs.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 605
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 395
Number of mentors in 2008: 1,100

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Colombia Fundación Jóvenes Empresarios de Colombia

JEMCOL was launched in 2003 to address the problem of 30% unemployment rate among young people in Colombia. JEMCOL is part of Fundación Mario Santo Domingo (FMSD), a private, non-profit organisation dedicated to developing programmes for the poorest sections of the population. It now operates in Bogotá and Cartagena.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 180
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 104
Number of mentors in 2008: 80

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England, Northern Ireland and Wales The Prince's Trust

The Prince's Trust is a UK charity that helps young people overcome barriers and get their lives working. Through practical support including training, mentoring and financial assistance, it helps 14-30 year olds realise their potential and transform their lives.

The Prince's Trust focuses its efforts on those who have struggled at school, been in care, been in trouble with the law, or are long-term unemployed. It was founded in 1976 by The Prince of Wales.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 73,000
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 2821
Number of mentors in 2008: 4,500

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Guyana Guyana Youth Business Trust

GYBT is a micro-finance programme set up in 2000. GYBT has provided loans in each of Guyana's ten administrative regions and assists men and women to develop sustainable livelihood through enterprise. The agency provides individuals with financing, typically to a maximum value of US\$4,000, and business counselling. GYBT also aims to expand its focus to the provision of market facilitation for its clients and advice on product development.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 697
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 93
Number of mentors in 2008: 348

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Hong Kong Youth Business Hong Kong

Youth Business Hong Kong was launched in July 2005 and became an accredited youth business programme in the YBI Network in October 2006. The programme covers the whole of the Hong Kong region, and operates as part of the Hong Kong Federation of Youth Groups. YBHK's vision is "Another Choice. Another Opportunity".

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 90
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 21
Number of mentors in 2008: 140

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India Bharatiya Yuva Shakti Trust

BYST, a non-profit organisation was set up in 1992 primarily to help disadvantaged Indian youth to develop business ideas into viable enterprises with the guidance and support of a mentor. In the span of over 15 years BYST has helped young people in Delhi, Rural Haryana, Chennai, Pune, Hyderabad and Rural Maharashtra.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 1,788
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 254
Number of mentors in 2008: 3,000

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Israel Keren Shemesh Foundation

The Keren Shemesh Foundation was founded in December 2005 by the Edmond J. Safra Philanthropic Foundation in Switzerland and the Rashi Foundation in Israel. Keren Shemesh became an accredited youth business programme in 2007. The Keren Shemesh Foundation is a privately funded NGO aiming to assist young entrepreneurs.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 456
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 194
Number of mentors in 2008: 170

Contact details

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Kenya Kenya Youth Business Trust

Kenya Youth Business Trust was founded in 2004 to help tackle the issue of youth unemployment, and became an accredited youth business programme in 2005. KYBT was launched in Nairobi but has since expanded to Mombasa. KYBT produced the 2006 Entrepreneur of the Year.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 101
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 9
Number of mentors in 2008: 102

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Jóvenes Empresarios por México, A.C. (JEMAC) is a not-for-profit organisation which helps young people set up their own businesses. JEMAC works with young Mexicans between 18 and 35 years to start their own business through three services – training, mentoring and loan finance. Today JEMAC's operations are located in three regions: México City, Guadalajara and Monterrey.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 2,300
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 116
Number of mentors: 370

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Nigeria

Youth Business Initiative Nigeria

Youth Business Initiative Nigeria was founded in 2000 to address the issue of youth unemployment, poverty and job creation. It is a non-governmental business organisation registered with the Corporate Affairs Commission in May 2001, and YBIN's programmes are delivered within Lagos State. In 2008, Nigerian poultry farmer Elijah Daramola was a finalist in YBI's Entrepreneur of the Year competition.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 127

Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 25

Number of mentors in 2008: 40

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Saudi Arabia

The Centennial Fund

The Centennial Fund was established in 2004 and was the first Middle Eastern youth business programme in the YBI Network. It has national coverage in Saudi Arabia but focuses 70% of its resources in rural areas and the smaller cities. The Centennial Fund is an ISO 9001:2000 certified organisation and was accredited by YBI in March 2006 in the presence of HRH The Prince of Wales.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 1,520

Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 1,040

Number of mentors in 2008:
2,000 volunteers were recruited

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Scotland

The Prince's Scottish Youth Business Trust

The aim of The Prince's Scottish Youth Business Trust is to provide essential finance and professional support to young people in Scotland aged 18-25, whoever they are and wherever they come from, so that they can set up and run their own businesses. The Trust has particular concern for the disadvantaged. PSYBT was founded in 1989 and has a network of 18 regional offices throughout Scotland helping to change the future for young entrepreneurs.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 10,723

Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 688

Number of mentors in 2008: 600

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South Africa Umsobomvu Youth Fund

Umsobomvu Youth Fund was established in January 2001 by the South African Government to facilitate and promote the creation of jobs and skills development among young South Africans aged 18 – 35 years. Between 2000 and 2006 YBI worked with the Nations Trust, which has now merged with UYF.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 1,728 young people have received mentorship support
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 166 small and medium loans issued and 142 entrepreneurs received one-on-one mentoring
Number of mentors in 2008: 186

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Sri Lanka Youth Business Sri Lanka

In 2007 Youth Business Sri Lanka was formed with the leadership of the Ceylon Chamber of Commerce and the Hambantota District Chamber of Commerce (HDCC). It was developed as a result of the success of the Hambantota Youth Business Trust (HYBT), an entrepreneur support programme which started operations in 1997 with the backing of HDCC.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established (up to 31st Dec 2008): 400
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 115
Number of mentors in 2008: 85

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Syria BIDAYA

BIDAYA (Boosting and Inspiring Dynamic Youth Achievement) which means “beginning” in Arabic, was founded by the First Lady of Syria, HE Mrs Asma al-Assad, and became a licensed private foundation in June 2006. The programme now operates in Damascus, Aleppo, and Deir Azzor and has been accredited as a member of YBI twice since its establishment.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 150
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 55
Number of mentors in 2008: 313

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Trinidad and Tobago

Youth Business Trinidad and Tobago

Youth Business Trinidad & Tobago (YBTT) was founded in 2000, with the first loan being approved in January 2001. The programme seeks to increase economic opportunities and generate income for economically disadvantaged young people interested in becoming entrepreneurs.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 147
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 24
Number of mentors in 2008: 35

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Ukraine

Youth Business Ukraine

Youth Business Ukraine was founded in 2006 by Action Donbass, a local project sponsored by the UK Government's Department for International Development (DFID), and operates within a local association, Socio-Economic Strategies and Partnerships (SESP). YBU was piloted in Donbass (Luhansk and Donetsk regions), and became an accredited youth business programme in 2007.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 96
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 82
Number of mentors in 2008: 87

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Emprecrea

Emprecrea was developed by Kolping Uruguay in 2005, as a programme specifically designed to help disadvantaged but enterprising young people who lack opportunities. Kolping Institution was established in Uruguay in 1985 and is a social Catholic organisation, part of Kolping International. Emprecrea became an accredited youth business programme in 2007, and currently operates in three cities within Uruguay.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 40
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 14
Number of mentors in 2008: 20

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Bangladesh **Bangladesh Youth Enterprise** **Advice & Helpcentre**

B'Yeah is a not-for-profit organisation and was established in 2007, with the aim of supporting young Bangladeshis who want to start their own business and to enable them to realise their dream of becoming successful entrepreneurs. B'Yeah has been registered under the Bangladeshi Societies Registration Act 1860 with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies and Firms.

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Brazil **Conexão**

Conexão was set up in 2007 and is a joint venture between two organisations; the Committee for the Democratization of Information Technology (CDI), which uses technology to help social mobility and Rede Cidadã, which creates training and job opportunities for young people.

The partnership with Youth Business International was launched in March 2009 following a visit from HRH The Prince of Wales. The initiative will help young entrepreneurs get started up in business in Rio de Janeiro, São Paulo and Belo Horizonte.

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Bulgaria **Youth Business Bulgaria**

Youth Business Bulgaria is part of Junior Achievement, the world's oldest, largest and fastest-growing non profit economic education organisation. Youth Business Bulgaria started in 2006 as a partnership with The Balkan Children and Youth Foundation, and became a pilot programme of the YBI Network in 2008.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 10
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 10
Number of mentors in 2008: 4

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Dominica

Dominica Youth Business Trust

The Dominica Youth Business Trust was launched in 2004, to invest in young entrepreneurs who have a dream of being self-employed but not the means to make it a reality. DYBT delivers its programme in urban training areas in Dominica but meets the transportation and meals costs to help out with those from rural areas.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 152
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 11 trained under Small Business Assistance Facility
Number of mentors in 2008: 47

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Ghana

Youth Business Ghana

Youth Business Ghana is helping to build a sustainable future by pioneering grassroots enterprise development as a solution to youth unemployment and poverty in Cape Coast. YBG receives its support from the private sector and donor organisations, and was launched in June 2006 at the residence of the British High Commissioner.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 25
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 10
Number of mentors in 2008: 7

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Hungary

Életpálya Foundation

The Életpálya Foundation was founded in 1993 with the financial help of Shell Hungary and the Millennium Foundation, and has been running a programme to support young entrepreneurs since 2000. At present Életpálya operates in Budapest and other locations in Hungary.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 67
Number of mentors in 2008: 7

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Indonesia

Young Entrepreneurs Start-Up

The Young Entrepreneur Startup (“YES”) commenced on July 1st, 2003 as a component of the Indonesia Business Link’s private sector response to the issue of youth employment in Indonesia. As an early programme within the larger UN initiated International Youth Employment Network in Indonesia, the YES Program was jointly initiated by Shell, Standard Chartered Bank, McKinsey & Company, Yayasan Progreso Indonesia and IBL.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 62

Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 77

Number of mentors in 2008: 30

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Jamaica

Jamaica Youth Business Trust

JYBT is a non-governmental organisation which became fully operational in August 2008. It is registered as an independent, private not-for-profit entity. Since fully resuming operations in 2008, it has supported five entrepreneurs in a variety of industries, with loan applications in progress for another ten potential beneficiaries, based in both rural and urban areas across the island. One significant milestone for JYBT is the setting up of a new office including accommodation for a training and resource centre for young entrepreneurs; JYBT is in discussion with partners to fully equip the facility in order to better serve its loan beneficiaries.

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Nepal

Nepal Youth Business Foundation

With a dream to tackle the critical issue of youth unemployment, the Nepal Youth Business Foundation was created in June 2004 by the Federation of Nepalese Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FNCCI) and the Nepalese Young Entrepreneurs Forum (NYEF). The programme currently operates in Kathmandu.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 15

Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 4

Number of mentors in 2008: 17

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Philippines

Philippine Youth Business Foundation

The Philippine Youth Business Foundation was founded in 2003 as a partnership between the International Labour Organization, Youth Business International and the private sector.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 18

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Poland

Youth Business Poland

Youth Business Poland was launched in 2006, and now operates as part of the British Polish Chamber of Commerce's Foundation FIT. Youth Business Poland helps young entrepreneurs get started up in business and through a partnership with the Polish Governmental Bank, BGK, is able to provide low-interest loans to young entrepreneurs.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 9
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 24 but only with mentor's support (no financing)

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Russia

Youth Business Russia

Youth Business Russia (YBR) is being implemented by a partnership between the Russian branch office of the International Business Leaders Forum, ABN AMRO (now the Royal Bank of Scotland), and British non-governmental development agency Oxfam. YBR started in 2007 in Kaluga by issuing loans with the support of the non-bank depository and credit organization Women's Microfinancial Network (NDCO WMN). From May 2009 the programme will expand to the Kaluga region and Voronezh region.

Key facts

Number of entrepreneurs supported since programme established: 10
Number of entrepreneurs supported in 2008: 5
Number of mentors in 2008: 5

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Singapore **Youth Business Singapore**

Youth Business Singapore is part of Heartware Network, which is a charitable youth organisation set up in 2000. Beyond educational outreach and training in Singapore, Youth Business Singapore has strategic partnerships with Saudi Arabia, China and India to establish a regional learning hub for the sharing of ideas.

Key facts

Renowned US entrepreneur Dean Kamen is the Patron of Youth Entrepreneurship.

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Uganda **Uganda Youth Business Trust**

The Uganda Youth Business Trust was founded by HRH The Prince of Wales in November 2007. To date, the programme has delivered training to 150 potential entrepreneurs in five different slums within the Kampala area.

Key facts

UYBT has focused on developing outreach and training to date, but it plans to support up to 20 entrepreneurs in 2009.

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