Startup Support Program

49
New startups joined our business incubator

15
New registered businesses

81
New jobs created

+400,000
Grants and services for startups

Blocknify has won the country competition for the "Best Blockchain Startup", held in Czech Republic by Global Startup Awards.

SCV invested in Kosovo Startup Labbox for their unique Ed-tech product for kids. Labbox is powered by JCoders Academy.

Two French young entrepreneurs have chosen Kosovo (ICK) to further the development of their business idea.

Recent Stories
Skills and Development

76 Training Courses

414 Training Participants

333 Certified Trainees

64% Male

46% Female

Training Highlights

One-year Full Stack Development training was offered to 12 women in the ICT sector, in partnership with the Coding Dojo.

Greenterprise training program offered to corporates, startups and students aiming to promote Renewable Energy Sources and Energy Efficiency.

High School teachers from Prishtina and Prizren were trained and certified in Web Design, SQL Databases and 3D Printing.
+30 Internships

After much acquainted hard work and training, the youngsters have made a mark of excellence in the following fields: Android and iOS App Development, Social Media Management, Java, Motion Graphics with After Effects, Graphic Design, Web Design, etc.

38 events

+4,000 attendees
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Open Data Visualization Challenge taught individuals what Open Data is, how to access it and how to utilize it in daily life.
ICK COMMUNITY AROUND THE WORLD

- Albania
- Austria
- Bahrain
- Bosnia & Herzegovina
- Germany
- Israel
- Montenegro
- Netherlands
- North Macedonia
- Serbia
- Slovenia
- Turkey
- United Kingdom
- USA

BETT 2019 (London)
Global Entrepreneurship Congress (Manama)
PODIM Conference 2019 (Maribor)
Smart Cities (New York)
Digital Summit (Belgrade)
The Next Web (Amsterdam)
SECOND CALL OF THE INNOVATION FUND

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NEW SPACES FOR OUR COMMUNITY

ACCELERATOR IN THE MAKING...

Together with the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) we've signed an agreement in respect of implementation of the “EBRD Star Venture Programme” – supporting an accelerator and early stage Ventures in Western Balkan.

This project is supported by Luxembourg - the Small Business Impact Fund (SBIF).

STARTUP SOCIAL VENTURE

A new chapter in the startup and entrepreneurial ecosystem in Kosovo. Teaming up with the UNICEF Innovations Lab, we are bringing the “Starup Social Venture Program” which aims to promote social entrepreneurship, innovation and inclusiveness among young people, aged 14-24.

The program will help youngsters learn about social entrepreneurship, use the opportunity to establish enterprises, solve social challenges that improve communities, develop creative and innovative solutions, as well as offer financial support to make impactful ideas real.

THE ESTABLISHMENT OF ANGEL CLUB

Supported by the European Fund for Southeast Europe (EFSE) and the Royal Norwegian Embassy in Pristina, the Angel Club brings together ascertained and like-minded investors whilst providing them with a platform and venue where they can meet, socialize and access over 100 already established as well as new ICK startups and business ideas.

As a unique element of the club, ICK provides a “Pool Fund” which would serve as an incentivizing mechanism to support entrepreneurship, innovation and investments.

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ONLINE COMMUNITY

76 MEDIA APPEARANCES

8 EPISODES OF PULLË TV SHOW

+30
new members
COWORKING SPACE

THE BOOK OF KOSOVO STARTUPS
The first edition of the book, published with the support of GIZ, is an interactive catalogue of success stories, superstars, achievements and experiences.

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+170,000
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