

## OFFICE OF CAREER SERVICES

# START-UP ACCELERATOR & INCUBATOR PROGRAMS FOR SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURS

More information at Innov8Social: [www.innov8social.com/2011/10/start-up-accelerator-and-incubator](http://www.innov8social.com/2011/10/start-up-accelerator-and-incubator)

### **Agora Accelerator**

Agora's Accelerator is an intensive, 6-month program designed to give outstanding small businesses poised for expansion access to the social, human, and financial capital needed to accelerate their growth; Nicaragua. [www.agorapartnerships.org](http://www.agorapartnerships.org)

### **Canadian Cleantech Accelerator**

The Canadian Consulate will select high potential companies from Canada to grow at the San Jose Environmental Business Cluster; San Jose, CA.

[www.international.gc.ca/trade-commerce/cta-atc/virtual\\_cleantech-technologies\\_propres\\_virtuel.aspx?lang=eng](http://www.international.gc.ca/trade-commerce/cta-atc/virtual_cleantech-technologies_propres_virtuel.aspx?lang=eng)

### **Dasra Social-Impact**

Dasra Social-Impact is an executive education program, which provides successful non-profits and social businesses with transformational skills necessary to build sustainable and scalable organizations to accelerate their impact; Mumbai, India.

[www.dasra.org/index.php?q=DSI](http://www.dasra.org/index.php?q=DSI)

### **GoodCompany Ventures**

Accelerates the growth of early-stage ventures that generate profit and have a positive social impact; Philadelphia, PA.

<https://goodcompanyventures.org/>

### **Greenstart Accelerator**

Greenstart focuses on over 500 cleantech companies that are expanding the use of clean energy or reducing the use of dirty energy and can validate their business model quickly. San Francisco, CA.

[www.greenstart.com](http://www.greenstart.com)

### **Hult Prize**

In partnership with the Clinton Global Initiative, thousands of university students pitch their social impact ideas at one of six regional events. Winners receive an opportunity to spend the summer at the Hult Accelerator in Boston, MA.

[www.hultprize.org](http://www.hultprize.org)

### **The Impact Engine**

Impact Engine is a 12-week accelerator program that supports for-profit businesses making the world a better place. It provides \$20K seed funding in exchange for 7% equity; Chicago, IL.

[www.theimpactengine.com](http://www.theimpactengine.com)

### **Imagine H2o Prize Competition and Accelerator**

Imagine H2o hosts an annual competition for global water solutions with prizes of upwards of \$100K. Winners join a specialized accelerator program; San Francisco, CA.

[www.imagineh2o.org](http://www.imagineh2o.org)

### **Investment Accelerator Fund (IAF)**

The Investment Accelerator Fund (IAF) helps accelerate the growth of new technology companies being established in Ontario and positions them for further investment by angels and venture capitalists; Ontario, Canada.

[www.marsiaf.com](http://www.marsiaf.com)

### **Praxis Accelerator Program**

The Praxis Accelerator is focused on four distinct areas: mentorship & customized expertise, action-oriented education & planning, peer networking, and access to capital sources. (Note: faith-based); New York, California, Washington D.C.

[www.praxislabs.org](http://www.praxislabs.org)

### **Propeller**

The purpose of the Accelerator program is to significantly accelerate an early-stage social venture's impact and financial sustainability. It is a 10-month fellowship that connects change-makers with the resources needed; New Orleans, LA.

[www.gopropeller.org/about](http://www.gopropeller.org/about)

### **Santa Clara University Global Social Benefit Incubator**

The GSBI empowers socially-minded entrepreneurs to build sustainable, scalable organizations that solve problems for people living in poverty around the world. It is an 8-month program with a combination of online and experiential.

[www.scu-social-entrepreneurship.org](http://www.scu-social-entrepreneurship.org)

### **Social Innovation Camp**

Social Innovation Camp brings together ideas, people and digital tools to build web-based solutions to social problems. [www.sicamp.org](http://www.sicamp.org)

### **Tumml Urban Ventures Accelerator**

Tumml Accelerator is a three-month program supporting early stage companies developing innovative urban living solutions; San Francisco, CA.

[www.tumml.org/#mission-1](http://www.tumml.org/#mission-1)

### **Uncharted**

Uncharted is a social impact accelerator working from offices in Denver, Colorado. We launched in 2010 as the Unreasonable Institute. Since then, we've grown and evolved, and in 2017 we became Uncharted. To date, we've helped social entrepreneurs raise \$252 million, create impact in 96 countries, and benefit 37 million lives around the world. <https://uncharted.org/>

### **Urban Future Lab**

Urban Future Lab is the center of cleantech innovation in New York. We are leading the way to a more sustainable world by connecting people, capital, and purpose to advance market-ready solutions to address climate change. <http://ufl.squarespace.com/>