Youth Business International (YBI)

We Turn Job Seekers into Job Creators

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a member of the global network of YBI Youth Business International

Vision
Turn Job Seekers into Job Creators

Mission
To promote youth entrepreneurship through the means of capacity building, mentoring and networking

Objective
• Increase number of youth entrepreneurs
• Ensure sustainability of startup business and its growth
• Increase number of youth job opportunities
• Encourage local business community to support as mentors
• Encourage local banks and financial institutions
• Facilitate growth in SMEs in Bangladesh
• Empower Bangladeshi youth, especially women

Core Program of B’Yeah
• Outreach to Potential Youth
• Capacity Development Training
• Business Development Service
• Mentoring
• Market Promotion and Access to Finance

About B’Yeah
A non-profit, non-political organization established in July 2007. It has been registered with the Non-Government Affairs Bureau. It is also registered with Joint stock Company of Bangladesh Government and affiliated as a network member of Youth Business International (YBI), since 2009. Youth Business International has set up several youth business initiatives to help young people to start and grow their own business and create employment. YBI was founded in the UK in 2000 as a joint venture of The Prince of Wales International Business Leaders Forum (IBLF) and The Prince’s Trust and is one of the Charities of HRH Prince of Wales.

Significant achievement (since 2007)

✓ B’Yeah’s entrepreneur Amena Begum received an international award titled Journey to Enterprise from YBI, London in 2011.
✓ B’Yeah’s another entrepreneur Anowara Akter was highly acclaimed the international completion of YBI, London in 2013.
✓ Reached around 2000 youth through outreach workshop
✓ Reached more than 40% female participants
✓ Registered more than 600 youth as project participants.
✓ Registered 160 mentors for support to young entrepreneurs where more than 50% mentors are female.
✓ 400 youth received different types of training on entrepreneurship development
✓ 350 youth involved with B’Yeah Youth Entrepreneurs Forum for building business network
✓ 50% youth have started their own business after receiving basic training.
✓ 25% project participants have been expanded their business after enrolled as project participants.
✓ 30% project participants have enrolled their trade license after getting involve with B’Yeah.
✓ 15 Youth Entrepreneurs Forum has been formed by active 350 training participants.
✓ A significant number of youth entrepreneurs received loan from different Bank and Non-Bank Institutions.
✓ B’Yeah linking their participants with another organization to get skill based training like fashion design, boutiques, food processing and beautification etc.
✓ Organize trade fair for youth entrepreneurs regularly.
✓ The Online Monitoring System has been introduced.

The training we are providing for the young entrepreneur

Manufacturing: Boutiques, Fashion design, Handicrafts, Leather goods, Jute products
Food: Food item & catering
Service: Tailoring, training centre, physiotherapy, beauty parlor, AC/refrigeration workshop
Online business: Cloths, herbal products, food etc
Product: Leather goods, Grocery items, Jute products
Agro business: Goat & cow rearing, Cow fattening, poultry etc.

Development partners
- The Loomba Trust and British Asian Trust
- Plan Bangladesh, Plan Japan & Australia
- Comic Relief-UK
- IKEA Foundation

Working Partners at National Level
- SME Foundation
- MIDAS Financing Limited
- UCEP Bangladesh
- Bangladesh Entrepreneurs’ of SCITI Trainees (BEST)
- Shahin’s Helpline

Our Projects

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