

MATANEL FOUNDATION

ACTIVITY REPORT

Program: *Go Local*

Year: *2018-19 (2)*

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Please present your activity report according to the following lines. The whole rapport will not exceed 2 or 3 pages (as word document).

Name of the Program: Go Local

Year of activity: 2nd year of activity

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Number of active participants in the program: 27

Estimated number of impacted participants:

Give the actually state of the program (where the program stands at the date of the activity report, no more than ten lines):

The program is now running in MindCET – the center for innovation and technological development in education in Yeruham. After the initial phases of admission, introduction and formation, the students are now studying software development while participating once a week in a social program that puts their education in the context of their local community and the high-tech environment in Israel and specifically in the south of Israel – the Negev.

The main achievements during the last year of activity (main achievements, number of events, number of participants, etc.):

We've achieved forming a wonderful group of students that come from a variety of background and communities from all around the Negev area: Jews and Arabs, men and women, secular and religious aged 20 to 45 – all helping each other study and meet the challenges of gaining new proficiencies that might help them take their future in their hands. The students meet 3 time a week in Yeruham and on top of that they participate in Hackatons and meet community leaders.

The evaluation (methodology, results, comparisons with the precedent year, conclusions for the future...):

It's hard to compare with previous year since the current program is still running till end of May 2018, also the last program was a pilot - therefor many changes were implemented from the review of the feedbacks from the pilot. Having said that, the

level of the students and the motivation seems to be higher already from last year. The length of the program has been extended to 9 months in order to enhance the base knowledge of the participated – to provide them with more and better tools to be more competitive in the web development market.

Please join the Evaluation Report, the Financial Report and the list of the participants to the program (**as PDF documents**)

Please join photos – as **JPG files** – and any link or any other document connected to the program which will seem to you relevant – as **PDF document**.

Please join a 5 minutes movie which presents your institution and the particular project supported by the Matanel Foundation. The movie should be accessible to the philanthropic world and to other potential donors.

- The movie was sent separately