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Adeniyi Adebayo, Co-Founder, PushPullme, Kazan Hub

Adeniyi Adebayo is the co-founder of PushPullme, a career and academic advising platform operating in Russia and currently providing academic and career counselling support for more than 4500 students monthly. PushPullMe was a winner of Social Impact Eastern Europe 2014 (Berlin), Social Impact Awards 2015 (education program) and KAET 2015. Currently, Adeniyi shares his time between work on his startup and full-time graduate studies in Energy Science and Technology at the Skolkovo Institute of Science and Technology.

Adeniyi previously worked on the board of the Tatarstan presidential council on inter-faith and inter-ethnic matters in 2012 providing support for the strategy of the republic on interfaith matters, foreign investment and other international matters. Adeniyi is also an active research scientist with a M.Sc in Oil and Gas engineering, completed with distinction and a patent. He has since published more than 8 papers in peer-reviewed journals. He was awarded the prestigious Society of Petroleum Engineers International Imomoh Scholarship in 2014 for his academic and research achievements.

Amir Shihadeh, Founder, YARA, Amman Hub

Founder & Director, YARA (Youth Association for Reality and Awareness), which was established in 2010 and has conducted over dozens of awareness campaigns in the fields of environment, education, religion, sustainable projects, and youth empowerment. Chief Operating Officer, Mlabbas, a company that allows for customizable designs to be printed on various products - mainly apparel. Global Shaper and Curator, Global Shapers Amman Hub, World Economic Forum. Country Chair, Global Dignity, Jordan. Fellow, King Abdullah Award for Youth Innovation and Achievement. Interests: passionate about enhancing the world. Bachelor's in Business Information Systems, Jordan University.



Anoka Abeyrathne, Co-Founder, GreentheClimate, Sri Lanka Hub

LLB, University of London; studies in Wildlife Conservation and Biology, Open University of Sri Lanka. Co-Founder, GreentheClimate. Sri Lankan representative to UNEP Children's World Summit for the Environment, International Youth Forum on Climate Finance, United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change COP17 negotiations. Motivational speaker/facilitator, Asia Youth Summit, Euro-Africa Youth Summit, Edinburgh Youth Summit 2012. British Council International Climate Champion; Global Change-Maker; Global Change-Maker Peer Facilitator; Ashoka Youth Venturer. Third in Youth Service America list of the 25 Most Influential and Powerful Young Persons in the World 2012, Huffington Post. Recipient of the South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation Youth Award (2010). Interests: environment, social entrepreneurship, sustainable development, international relations, law and order, economics.



Cristina Fonseca, Founder, Talkdesk, Lisbon Hub

Cristina is an example of a female entrepreneur who had the courage to break with the society rules. As co-founder of Talkdesk, she moved to the US to participate in the 500 Startups accelerator program, one of the top accelerator programs of Silicon Valley. Talkdesk is a web-based service that allows companies to create a call center all in the browser, without long-term contracts or infrastructure costs.

Proud to be part of the first Portuguese startup being accepted in a top US accelerator, she came back to Portugal to grow Talkdesk's amazing and talented team. She is an engineer. Excited to be part of a team that is changing the world through technology. Passionate about learning. Proud of the role women are playing in business and society today.





Danhalit Zamalloa, CEO, PagoFlash, Caracas Hub

Danhalit is a technology entrepreneur working in innovations for financial inclusion. Also she is the CEO of PagoFlash, an initiative that seeks to include everyone in e-commerce market, it developed a payment system targeting unbanked population in Latin America where no bank account or credit card to buy or sell goods and services online. Her passion is working for social inclusion, entrepreneurship and women empowerment. She was President of AIESEC in Venezuela and has experience working in development of non for profit organizations in Canada and Venezuela. Also she is a speaker in entrepreneurship, leadership and a member of the National Entrepreneurship Ecosystem.

David Bullon, Director of Innovation, Ministry of Science, Technology and Telecommunication, Costa Rica, San Jose Hub

He has a diverse background in topics that relate to innovation, with experience in scientific research at Harvard's Physics Department, experience in R&D and process innovation at Black and Decker, experience working with micro-entrepreneurs in India with Access Development Services and Peru with Innovations for Poverty Action and SMEs with governments in South Sudan and Costa Rica. David was originally trained as a Mechanical Engineer at Messiah College and then did a Master in Public Administration in International Development at Harvard University.

David is passionate about fostering wellbeing in Costa Rican through innovation: (1) as a way to solve societal problems in clean water, clean energy, sustainable foods, integral health management and personalized education and (2) as a way to create well-paid, fulfilling jobs that give people opportunities to collaborate and express their creativity.



Durrie Hassan, Executive Director, Carlton Mansfield, Hongkong Hub

Born and raised in Malaysia, Durrie is currently an Executive Director with Carlton Mansfield, a family office based in Hong Kong focused on investing in disruptive technology in Asia.

Presently, Durrie is working to develop and raise funds for a China-based firm operating a 'big data'-driven platform that integrates mass media and commerce with mobile internet. He obtained a certification in 'gamification design' to further understand modern consumer behavior and to equip the firm with strategies to stay competitive. Apart from building companies and fundraising, he also identifies strategic investments for the family office and manages its bi-annual internship program.

After graduating with a BSc in Business Management from the University of Surrey, Durrie held a project management role in the lifestyle property arm of the family office and oversaw the development of hotels, golf courses, and theme parks in Malaysia. To date, Durrie oversees the corporate strategy among the family office's business units and works to identify opportunities for positive disruption.



Gleb Kalinin, Product Manager, Tsentsiper Agency, Moscow Hub

Gleb Kalinin is an internet entrepreneur involved with various interten projects since 2001. Worked for several internet startups and implemented large scale internet projects for international clientele. His main expertise lies in product development, interface design and content strategies. In2009 co-foundeded and became a chief editor of TheoryandPractice edutainment platform in St.Petersburg. In 2010 started his own internet consulting company Raum7, co-founded Lokolo, a social network for neighbors.



Grace Ihejiamaizu, Founder, iKapture, Calabar Hub

Grace Ihejiamaizu is an educator and a social entrepreneur, advocate with over seven years experience working in the nonprofit and youth development sector. She is the Founder and Executive Director of iKapture Networks, a social enterprise and after-school academy strategically focused on providing education and leadership services to students and out-of-school youth in Nigeria using creative learning methods and ICT.

Grace is also the founder and chief editor of Opportunity Desk, one of the largest online platforms with over 100,000 visits monthly, where she constantly collects and shares various relevant global opportunities. She is also a Lecturer at the University of Calabar, where she teaches Social Entrepreneurship and Social Work.

Recipient of awards including being named one of Google's 12 Brightest Young Minds in 2011, and the recognition by the US State Department as the 'International Exchange Alumni Member of the Month for September 2012'. She was one of 11 outstanding speakers at the TEDxYouth event at Bukoto, Uganda same year, became an Honoree of the 2013 Future Awards Africa Young Person of the Year Prize.

Gloria Ai, Founder, iAsk Media, Beijing I Hub

Independent Bilingual Host and Founder of iAsk Media, a multimedia studio producing "iAsk" China's creative business talk shows series which give any Chinese viewer the opportunity to converse with prominent politicians, business leaders and scholars from China and around the world. She hosted many top finance and business forums such as Boao Asia Forum in 2014. She was a lead anchor for China Business Network and CCTV. She holds a Masters in Public Policy from Harvard Kennedy School and a bachelor from Peking University.

Guofeng Chan, Senior Engineer, Keysight Technology, George Town Hub

Guofeng has more than 10 years' experience in community development via social business, NGOs and engineering solutions by focusing on the low head picoturbine and renewable energy. He is currently the Senior Engineer, Keysight Technologies; Undersecretary, Outreach (Youth), United Nations Association Malaysia. Guofeng was formerly with Intel Malaysia; Top Glove Malaysia & Great Glove Thailand. His interests are in 5G (5th Generation Wireless Systems), Internet of Things, Economics, Meditation, Entrepreneurship.

Guofeng is a Global Pioneer of Harvard Business School's HBX CORe, 2015; International Diploma in Supply Chain Management candidate, ITC, UN / WTO, 2014. BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering, 2012; General Electric Scholar.



Irene Hofmeijer, Founder, L.O.O.P, Lima Hub

Irene is the founder of the social enterprise Life Out Of Plastic (L.O.O.P.), a national platform for action on plastic pollution. The sale of up-cycled products allows the company to organize highly visible awareness activities.

Previous to L.O.O.P, Irene was involved in environmental health research projects in marginated urban populations of Lima and in indigenous communities of the Peruvian Amazon. In 2014, Irene worked for Peru's Ministry of Environment as the Official Youth and Gender Liaison for the UNFCCC - COP20 presidency team in 2014.

Irene has a bachelor's degree in environmental sciences at McGill University, a candidate of Duke Environmental Leadership Program - Masters in Environmental Managment at Duke University online programme. She is passionate about the environment and fascinated by physical geography.







Jean Dong, Managing Director, Spark Coporation, Melbourne Hub

Jean is an accomplished series entrepreneur, political advisor on bilateral strategic management, experienced board and public figure; She is the founder of Winworld Australia, a company that builds Australian agriculture supply chains and manages assets, which was ranked as Australia's top 100 fastest growing company in 2014; as well as Spark Corporation, which specializes in projects that building the growth capacity of Chinese and Australian technology and resource sectors.

Aside from her entrepreneur ventures, Jean is heavily involved in the Australian-Chinese bilateral relationship building process. Jean is the current board member of the Australia-Chinese Millennial Program, Australian Foreign Affairs Group, Healthband Co, as well as several technology start-up companies. She is also part of the executive team of G20 2016 and 2015 APEC Women Leadership Forum.



Jesus S. Cepeda, Founder, Invictus, Monterrey Hub

Jesus is a social entrepreneur working in the crossroads of humanities and technology. As a mechatronics engineer with a PhD in artificial intelligence & robotics, he has developed an enormous passion for empowering people with technology.

His main interests concern research and development towards social transformation. His main goal resides in developing and integrating technologies for social good, smart societies and good governance.

Jesus built and participated in building software solutions and hardware perks for leveraging citizen participation, erode intentional exclusion, reduce the citizens-governments gap, and educate on awareness for residential energy consumption. Jesus is also a self-taught civic hacker and a roboticist.

Jonathan Barcant, Co-Founder, IAMovement, Port of Spain Hub

Jonathan Barcant is a Civil Engineer specialized in soils and has worked on large mining projects abroad, primarily on aspects of mine closure and rehabilitation. His search for truly environmental and sustainable solutions led to his present work using a unique species of grass to rehabilitate degraded lands by means of slope stabilization and erosion protection, soil and water conservation, and phytoremediation (leachate, waste water and contaminated lands cleanup).

Jonathan is co-founder of a non-profit organization called IAMovement (2014) and activities to date include the organization of the People's Climate March in Port-of-Spain on September 21st 2014 standing alongside the rest of the world, and a bi-weekly program at the Servol Centre for underprivileged and at-risk youth, where the mission is to connect with and empower them through sport, art, music, and environmental activities. Jonathan is passionate about organic farming and zero-waste systems, and healthy, local, unprocessed foods.



Jiaxuan Song, CEO, W.E Branding Organization, Dalian Hub

Jiaxuan is the CEO of W.E branding organization which is specialized in branding strategy and angel investment. She is now responsible for business operation of W.E in southwest China.

Prior to W.E, Jiaxuan was with NetEase (163) in Chengdu, one of the most influential online media in China, leading business development in real estate in southwest of China. Aside from her daily business, Jiaxuan is actively engaging in promoting and supporting female entrepreneurship and youth entrepreneurship. Jiaxuan holds a Bachelor degree in Business Administration from Singapore Management University.

Kalsoom Lakhani, Founder&CEO, Invest2Innovate (i2i), Washington DC I Hub



Kalsoom is the founder of i2i, which supports startups and the broader entrepreneurship ecosystem in developing markets. i2i has worked in Pakistan since 2011, and is now scaling to Bangladesh in 2015. Kalsoom has trained young entrepreneurs, changemakers, and civil society leaders in Cambodia, Ireland, Ukraine, and Kazakhstan.

She has been a Washington, D.C. Co-ambassador for Sandbox (now the Thousand Network); featured in Diplomatic Courier's Top 99 Foreign Policy Leaders under 33 in 2012, and was named an Ashoka Changemakers / American Express Emerging Innovator for 2013. Kalsoom also founded the popular blog, CHUP, or Changing Up Pakistan in January 2008, and has written for the Washington Post, the Huffington Post, Foreign Policy, NextBillion etc. She has a B.A. from the University of Virginia in Foreign Affairs and Middle East Studies, and an M.A. from The George Washington University's Elliott School of International Affairs in International Affairs/Conflict Resolution.

Kariba Moko, Partner at Moad Capital, Narobi Hub

Kariba is a serial Entrepreneur, Partner at Moad Capital and Founder of Nick Creations and Aplin Media. Currently engaged in the real estate and energy market. Through Smart Housing working on sustainable housing with an aim to meet the widening housing deficit in Nairobi and enhancing livelihoods.

From humble beginnings, been able to build a successful footprint creating brands since 2003. Through WOCCU and The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, helped initiate the branded SACCO movement in a bid to grow financial institutions beyond borders. He is a finalist & Top Young Entrepreneur in Africa – SMME Awards, South Africa, 2011. Accidental entrepreneur having ventured into business at 20years of age.

Liliya Borovets, Co-Founder, Pro.Svit - Center for Innovative Education, Lviv Hub

Co-founder of Pro.Svit - Center for Innovative Education. The project aims to develop 'education eco-system' based on innovative technologies and cooperation of teachers, parents and kids. The project has started from blended learning courses for kids in Lviv and turned into learning program for local teachers.

Co-founder of DiyaUA - social innovation accelerator which provides a unique opportunity for organizations to receive mentoring, consulting to articulate their goals, strengthen their communications for scalability and sustainability.

Background: student of Lviv Business School at Ukrainian Catholic University at MS Innovations and Entrepreneurship, BA in International Law at Lviv National University of Ivan Franko.



Lorrana Scarpioni, CEO & Co-founder of Bliive, Curitiba Hub

Lorrana as a social entrepreneur, developed social projects in women's health and poverty reduction. Today she is leading Bliive's operation in Brazil and United Kingdom, supported by UK Trade and Investment initiative Sirius Programme.

Blive, is a sustainable and innovative way to share knowledge and skills using time as an alternative currency. Blive allows users to exchange experience with Time Money. It also allows its users to work as volunteers for accredited NGO's and earn credits . Today, Blive has more than 100,000 organic users, with no ads. With 25.000 exchanges of time already happened or are about to happen through the platform we have the advantage of exploring an intangible market, many times forgotten or wasted: FREE TIME.

Lorrana is awarded as MIT Technology Review Innovators under 35 Brazil winner. She has a Bachelor's in Law and Public Relations; also studied Management at Stanford University and Human Rights and History of Political Ideals at University of Lisbon, Portugal.



Mariel Reed, Manager of Partnerships, Coursera, San Francisco Hub

Mariel is now at Coursera, the world's largest massive open online course (MOOC) platform. At Coursera, she works on market development and university partnerships across mainland China, Hong Kong, and Taiwan. She also leads the local chapter of a national education technology women's network, EdTechWomen.

She was raised by the sea but after studying International Politics at Georgetown University, she headed to teach and trace the Silk Road in Xinjiang, China, through Princeton in Asia. From there, she navigated the international philanthropy and health education landscapes from Beijing and cut her teeth as a community builder. In Beijing, she co-founded the Beijing chapter of Lean In, which has now spread to cities and universities throughout China. Mariel has deep faith in the power of education and the development of people.

Pearl Maphumulo, Manager, Prolific Interactive Designz, Soweto Hub

Pearl Maphumulo is an entrepreneur with a passion for business development & an eye for branding. She's an alumna of the Raymond Ackerman Academy for Entrepreneurial Development under the University Of Johannesburg, South Africa. She is a business speaker, business TV show host.

She founded a media company called *Prolific Designz* in 2011 that started out as only a web design company & has since expanded & now focuses on corporate branding; the company has since assisted many SME's in developing a winning brand & countless start-up entrepreneurs with brand consultation.

Pearl is also the founder and Managing Director of 'The Business Development Agency', which recently (March-June 2015) begun the first phase of a project for the South African Women's Entrepreneur Network, training female entrepreneurs from 3 provinces in Marketing Capacity. The company basically assists SME's within an assortment of industries & sectors with business development solutions.

Petri Vilén, Chief Curator, Slush, Helsinki Hub

Petri Vilén is an entrepreneur and event organiser. Petri started as an entrepreneur at the age of 15 and has been founding and managing several companies since, including the education technology company Scool and brand agency Bolder Helsinki. He has been working in the field of digital service development and brand design. Petri is an active member of the local startup movement, aiming to improve the entrepreneurial culture in the Nordics, and as the co-founder of the International Day for Failure.

Currently Petri is building IndustryHack, an open innovation platform that brings industrial companies striving to digitalise their business together with startups to create new innovations for industrial internet. He is also the chief curator and one of the main organisers of Slush, the biggest startup and investor conference in Europe bringing together 15000 attendees from 80 countries.

Petri has graduated as MSc in Economics from Aalto School of Business in Helsinki, Finland.



Raphael Ouzan, Co-Founder, BillGuard, Tel Aviv Hub

Cyber and data security expert, Raphael Ouzan leads BillGuard's technology and product teams in its Tel Aviv R&D office. Raphael has been coding professionally since the age of 13 and has been lecturing on big-data, crowdsourcing and cyber security ever since. In 2010, he co-founded BillGuard and built its first version and core technology. Raphael received Israel's highest President's Award for technology innovation and was in World Economic Forum Annual Meeting 2012 in Davos.

Prior to BillGuard, Raphael was a decorated officer in Israel's elite military programming and intelligence units where he led the country's best and brightest engineers. Raphael is also the founder of Israel Tech Challenge, an elite technology training program for the world's top performing students and serves on the board of Startup Nation Central.





Saif Karmal, Founder, Toru, Dhaka Hub

Saif Kamal is the founder of Toru - the idea tree, the first social innovation hub of Bangladesh. Toru facilitates the transformation of innovations to social enterprises and builds global partnerships and channels resources to build capacity of innovators to address the knowledge and resource gap. With the "Impact Incubation" model, Toru assures incubatees that their innovation addresses a social challenge and holds potential for the entrepreneurship to thrive.

Saif has worked globally in leadership & executive search consultancy (Heidrick & Struggles) and advertising (Ogilvy & Mather). He was a research member of the Economist's knowledge initiative "Mapping the Future Talents of the World". In Bangladesh, he has worked in consumer foods (Meridian Group) and was one of the founding members of the recently launched news daily Dhaka Tribune.



Salma Alheraiqi, Financial Analyst, Saudi Aramco, Al-Khobar Hub

Salma is a Financial Analyst in Private Equity at Investment Management Department. She previously worked as a Business Development Analyst at Aramco Entrepreneurship Center and as a Planning & Programs Analyst at Personnel Department.

Salma is currently developing a platform that allows small business owners to hire college students to run errands and complete tasks. She also occasionally writes entrepreneurshiprelated articles. Prior to joining Saudi Aramco, Salma has completed internships at Boston Consulting Group, Brown Brothers Harriman and Entrepreneurial Finance Lab. Salma earned a Bachelors degree in Business Administration with a triple concentration in Finance, Management and Entrepreneurship with a minor in Political Science from Northeastern University in Boston, MA.

Sarah Doherty, Co-Founder & CTO, TeleHealthRobotics , Chicago Hub

Sarah is an engineer and entrepreneur Chicago. Her company TeleHealthRobotics that has created a tele-robotic healthcare platform. Its combination software and hardware brings together telepresence, sensing systems, and remotely controllable robotics to deliver realtime, on-demand access to medical care unconstrained by geography. Its first product is called TRUDI (Tele-Robotic Ultrasound for Distance Imaging) which can

provide ultrasound (a ubiquitous diagnostic tool used for prevention, detection, and diagnosis of disease as well as rehabilitation) for the heart, vascular system, brain, uterus, and abdomen. Eventually it intend to provide remote primary, eye, and skin care and other diagnostic services on the same tele-robotic platform.

Sarah is an ambassador for XX in Health, a founding entrepreneur and tenant at MATTER Chicago, VP of Young Alumni and incoming President for 2016 of the Penn Club of Chicago.



Sneh Bhavsar, CEO, Impetus Wellness, India, Ahmedabad Hub

Sneh has been a business analyst and an ISM consultant for most of his career before he started Stimulus, an IT & Business Consulting Firm. His core expertise are in business analysis, process analysis/optimization/re-engineering, design, user experience and management. Sneh also co-founded Impetus Wellness Pvt Ltd and launched OoWomaniya.com - an online exclusive network for women's health and wellness. With OoWomaniya, he has enabled women of different age groups and strata to access health related information and consultation online from doctors and counselors in private, which is helping women to openly discuss intimate health issues without getting judged - mainly in India and South Asian countries where they follow identical cultures. OoWomaniya was founded during the Design Fellowship Sneh did at Venture Studio under the mentors of Centre for Design Research, Stanford University.





Steven Xin Zhang, Founder, DH High-Tech Capital Co. Ltd, Hulunbuir Hub

Steven is the founder and CEO of Diamond Hill High Tech Capital Co. since 2011, an investment firm specialised in energy, healthcare and bio-technology sectors. He is also the associate director of Yangtze Delta Region Institute of Tsing Hua University, leading research projects on innovative agriculture and bio-technology.

Formerly, Steven was with CEBM group for four years, overseeing investor relationships for Great China region.

Steven has a Bachelor of Mathematics from University of Beihang and Master of Mathematics, Illinois Institute of Technology. Recipient of award: Global Expert of China 1000 Talent Plan (Strategic Expert) of Shanxi.



Susanna obtained a BSc. in Mathematics and Economics-Accounting from Claremont McKenna College in California and began her career in 2007 as a financial consultant in Transaction Services for PricewaterhouseCoopers in Frankfurt am Main, Germany. During the financial crisis, she and her colleagues advised German banks and insurance companies on NPL valuations as well as disposals and mergers of some of the largest German financial institutions.

In 2009, Susanna was offered a position at Accuracy, a Paris-based financial consulting firm, where she continued as a consultant and then transitioned to a global business development role under C-level management, which entailed working in India, the U.K. and Paris to drive the firm's business in those countries and working with all offices in 9 countries to establish and execute knowledge management processes.

Vyacheslav Polonski, Network Scientist, Oxford Hub

Vyacheslav is a network scientist at the University of Oxford studying the dynamics of influence to engineer social change. His research focuses on complex social systems, the emergence of collective behaviours and the psychology of technology adoption. He has worked closely with startups and social entrepreneurs in London, Boston and Berlin on realising business value from networks and capitalising on the dynamics of social influence to induce behavioural change, predict consumer demand and optimise viral marketing campaigns.

Vyacheslav has previously studied at Harvard University, Oxford University and the London School of Economics and Political Science. He is currently working towards a PhD in Computational Social Science at the Oxford Internet Institute with a special emphasis on social network sites. Vyacheslav's current agenda is on empowering businesses, policy-makers and NGOs to use insights from Computational Social Science and Big Data to improve the effectiveness of their work and help them achieve greater economic and social impact.



Qian Gu, Manager, The Communist Youth League, Pudong New District, Shanghai, Shanghai I Hub

Gu Qian is the manager of the communist youth league of Shanghai Pudong new district, as well as the General Secretary of Pudong Young Volunteers Association. She devoted herself in organizing commonweal and volunteer activities and communicating with the public about activities and opportunities offered especially for the young people.

Qian also leads "Tao Gong Yi", an online platform hosting public welfare activities to public. It is the first and also the biggest platform in China which connects the volunteers and NGOs, as well as the companies and the people who in need. It has been rewarded "the best 10 innovation projects" in Shanghai.

Qian holds a LLM from Fudan University in Law, and a Bachelor of Laws from East China University of Politics and Law, major in International Economic Law.





Layla Bo Dong, Founder, Yingbing Cultural Communication Co. Ltd, Dalian Hub

Layla Bo Dong works on developing the Cultural industries in Dalian, the link between China and Australia, and has a particular focus on culture innovation and communication sectors, with a special interest in publishing.

She founded Yingbing Cultural Communications Co., Ltd., a company dedicated to the book publishing in both hardcover and digital. Ms. Dong and her team also work closely with Artist from China and Europe by coordinating small art exhibitions and culture events. Additionally, the company is the regional partner with Tourism Australia and Japan National Tourism by developing and promoting their tourism tasks in China.

Ms. Dong is the Standing member of Dalian Youth Union, member of Western Returned Scholars Association.

Ms. Dong holds a Master in Publishing and Bachelor in Media and Communication from the University of Sydney.

Eric Yang Wang, Founder, WeYoung Media and Technology, Beijing I Hub

Eric is the founder & CEO of WeYOUNG Media & Technology Co., ltd. which owns a professional media platform focusing on the intelligent technology industry and provides consulting services in branding, PR, and strategy hands for intelligent technology enterprises. Eric worked for Xinhua News Agency as a marketing and creative director in Economy & Nation Weekly and Outlook Institution for five years before founding WeYOUNG. Prior to that, Eric was with Ericsson (China) Communications Co., ltd. and YIDA Tech Co.

Eric holds a Master degree in Economics from Renmin University of China.



Jiahong Xu, Consultant, Accenture, Shanghai I Hub

Jiahong Xu serves a Business Strategy Consultant at Accenture Strategy Consulting. He is aligned to the Financial Services Practice and also Digital Strategy Focus. His experience includes digital strategy projects for major banks across globe, digital transformation strategy for the world's largest insurance company, growth strategy for a leading ecommerce company.

Jiahong is also a co-founder of an online to offline (O2O) company called Merry Services providing high-end house cleaning services, first of its kind in Shanghai. Established 2014, Merry Services now have seven full-time employees and over 100 contracted cleaners. It has been recommended as the "most satisfying cleaning services provider in Shanghai". Jiahong graduated from Johns Hopkins University and Nanjing University with a dual Master in International Relations.



Grace Ying Ge, CEO, Qi Yue Yun Agricultural Science and Technology Shanghai Zizhu Hub

Ying is the founder and CEO of Shanghai Qi Yue Yun Agricultural Science and Technology, which is specialized in the development of organic agricultural and sideline products as well as regional cooperation of high-quality organic products in China. From 2014, collaborating with the largest new media in China BesTV, Qi Yue Yun established an innovative organic agriculture product platform in Shanghai, combined traditional broadcasting and online platform. With 8 years experience in agriculture production and processing, Qi Yue Yun is now the top supplier in Shanghai, and engaged in the establishment of an organic food processing plant.

Ying is a member of Shanghai Women Entrepreneurs Association. She is keen on issues of female entrepreneurship. Ying is graduated from Sichuan Agricultural University with the Bachelor in Economics.





Keren Ruth Wong, Co-Founder, Bridging Education And Mobility, Beijing II Hub

Keren is the co-founder of Bridging Education And Mobility (BEAM), an online platform for educators in rural China to receive grants for classroom projects and share ideas. BEAM has been recognised by the British Council of China, Macao Tong Chai Charity Association and named one of Fast Company China's 50 Most Innovative Companies in 2014. Her work has been featured in the 2014 International Conference on Sustainable Development, China Charity Times , ZhenRo Magazine, Spark: Her Startup Academy, and the Harvard iLab. Keren serves as a board member of the Cornell Club of Beijing, co-founding the school's chapter of The Vertias Forum.

She graduated with a B.S. from Cornell University in Biology & Society and Education, and was awarded a Beijing Government Scholarship for Tsinghua University's School of Public Policy and Management where she graduated with an M.P.A. in International Development.

Jieke Hou, Co-Founder, Hua Kang Mobile Health, Shenzhen Hub

Jieke is the Co-Founder of Hua Kang Mobile Health, a Chinese leading mobile healthcare company, specialised in online diagnosis. Aiming at involving more than 1000 most influential hospitals in china, serve more than 10M customers in the following 2 years. Jieke was previously with CICC, Chinese leading investment bank, accomplished a series of IPOs cases, help companies raised billions RMB.

He was also with Ping An Ventures, responsible for the overseas and domestic investment, focused on the healthcare and TMT sector. Invested more than 10 companies with average size of 10M USD.

Jieke holds a Master Degree in Management and bachelor in Plant Science from Shanghai.



Pengfei Teng, CEO, TNT Partners, Shanghai Yangpu Hub

Pengfei is the founder & CEO of TNT partners, a company focusing technology and talent transfer. TNT aims to connecting the optimum technology and talent resources between China and other countries. For the past 2 years TNT helped more than 200 talents transferred back to China successfully.

Pengfei is a serial entrepreneur since university, he had co-founded 3 companies. Pengfei was previously with Vodafone Australia and HSBC China for business development. Pengfei holds a master degree from Griffith University.



Yunlong Gao, Chairman, Dalian Zhiqian Boyuan Investment, Dalian Hub

Gao Yunlong is the founder and CEO of the BoYuan Health Chain Organization of China. He is engaged in the health services industry. The organization is leading advanced products and services that including global physical examination, chronic disease prevention and health, which serves 2million middle aged and elderly people of Dalian. Boyuan is currently leading business in the north of China, as well as institutions in Taipei, Hokkaido, island cities in Malaysia.

Gao Yunlong graduated from Northeastern University of China with a Bachelor degree in Software and Information Engineering College.