

ANDE IN INDIA

The ANDE chapter in India works to create a thriving entrepreneurial ecosystem in the region and deepen ANDE's role as the leading convener for organisations committed to supporting entrepreneurship in emerging markets. The chapter does this by strengthening the local network, encouraging collaboration, and co-developing programs and services for and with our members and the sector at large. Of the 130 member organisations working in the region, 11 are headquartered in India.



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India chapter used the Global Accelerator Survey to understand the [landscape of Indian accelerators and incubators](#) and to increase regional representation in the global initiative.

Ecosystem Mapping: The India chapter is currently exploring an initiative to produce a collection of city-specific mapping projects that identify who is working to support entrepreneurship in the region, where the gaps are for supporting entrepreneurs, and what opportunities may exist to close those gaps. We see our research efforts going hand in hand with our ability to build our advocacy profile in the region and globally.

METRICS AND EVALUATION

The India chapter convenes member-only chapter meeting and webinars around the theme of metrics and evaluation. In these discussions, ANDE members like Acumen, Vera Solutions, and Samhita Social ventures have spoken about challenges and best practices in metrics and data measurement for the entrepreneurial ecosystem in India covering IRIS, Lean Data, and a gamut of data collection and measurement tools.

ANDE has developed a core set of metrics to track the development of the small and growing businesses (SGB) sector based on IRIS and support members in adopting a common language to measure their impact and performance.

TRAINING AND TALENT DEVELOPMENT

The India chapter hosted the Investment Manager Training in September 2016 in Bangalore with Bob Webster (Managing Director at Small Enterprise Assistance Funds - SEAF) as the instructor. ANDE's Investment Manager Training course is the only course of its kind that provides a comprehensive deep dive into investing in SGBs. ANDE hosts the course in two different locations every year in an effort to bring the training program closer to its members all around the world.

ANDE also hosts an Orientation Training geared towards new hires, summer associates, and those new to the sector.

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES AND RESOURCES

To drive greater resources to organizations supporting SGBs in the developing world, and to ensure ANDE member expertise is leveraged efficiently, ANDE provides several funding resources and opportunities to its members and non-members. These opportunities are designed to foster collaborative projects that further the cause of the SGB ecosystem. The funding opportunities include the ANDE Catalyst Fund, the Argidus-ANDE Finance Challenge, and the Argidus-ANDE Talent Challenge.

ANDE also sends out a monthly fundraising bulletin to members to keep them abreast of funding opportunities and best practices globally.

KNOWLEDGE SHARING AND NETWORKING

The ANDE India Chapter hosts chapter meetings, dinners, and happy hours to provide time for members and non-members to network, learn, discuss experiences, and share best practices and insights to build an overall sense of community and collaboration.

The India chapter has worked with Ennovent and the British Council to produce [research](#) on the state of social businesses in India. ANDE and The Lemelson Foundation have previously held a series of round-tables on green inventing in Brazil, India, Kenya, Mexico, and South Africa. As a result, ANDE produced a report that compiles the findings from these discussions to understand ecosystem gaps that stymie the growth of invention-based enterprises in emerging markets.

RESEARCH

Accelerator Research: To address the gap in data about the effectiveness of accelerators, Emory University and ANDE launched the Global Accelerator Learning Initiative (GALI) in 2015. GALI works with accelerator programs globally to collect and analyze data describing the entrepreneurs that they attract and support. The



ANDE MEMBERS WORKING IN INDIA

*Denotes ANDE member headquartered in India.

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Asha Impact*
Asian Venture Philanthropy Network
Aspen Institute
Athena Infonomics*
Autodesk Foundation
B Lab Global
Bank of America Merrill Lynch
Bankable Frontier Associates
Bayer AG
BetterStories
Beyond Capital Fund
British Council
CapitalPlus Exchange
Catalyst for Growth
Catholic Relief Services
Ceniarth
Centre for Cellular and Molecular Platforms*
Christian Aid
Consilium Capital
Creative Metier
Dalberg Global Development Advisors
Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Australia
Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH
Echoing Green
Enclude
Enviu
European Investment Bank
EY
FHI 360
Finance Alliance for Sustainable Trade
Ford Foundation
Ford Motor Company Fund
FSG
General Electric
Global Communities
Global Development Incubator
Global Social Entrepreneurship Network (GSEN)
Globalislocal
GOAL
Goldman Sachs - 10,000 Women Initiative
Gray Matters Capital
GSMA Mobile for Development Foundation
Habitat for Humanity
Heifer International
Hivos
Humentum
I-DEV International
Imago Global Grassroots
Impact Investors Council*
Innovations in Healthcare
Insitor Impact Asia Fund Pte. Ltd.
InspiraFarms
Intellectap*
InterAction
International Finance Corporation
Jagriti*
Kiva
LGT Impact
Lutheran World Relief

MacArthur Foundation
Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)
MasterCard Worldwide
Mennonite Economic Development Associates
MetLife Foundation
Miller Center for Social Entrepreneurship at Santa Clara University
Monitor Deloitte
Moody's Corporation
New Markets Lab
Nimmok
Omidyar Network
Open Society Foundations - Soros Economic Development Fund
Opportunity Collaboration
Optimizer Foundation
Overseas Private Investment Corporation
PayPal
QI Group
responsAbility Investments AG
Rianta Capital, Artha Initiative
RippleWorks
S&P Global
Samhita Social Ventures*
Samunnati Financial Intermediation and Services Private Limited*
SAP SE
SEAF
Shortlist Professionals, Inc*
Skoll Centre for Social Entrepreneurship
Skoll Foundation
Small Scale Sustainable Infrastructure Development Fund
Social Innovation Lab
Social Value International
Solidaridad Network
Spring Impact
Stichting DOEN
Syngenta Foundation for Sustainable Agriculture
TechnoServe Inc.
The Center for the Advancement of Social Entrepreneurship (CASE) at Duke
The Foundation for a Smoke-Free World
The Lemelson Foundation
Thomson Reuters Foundation
Thunderbird School of Global Management
Toilet Board Coalition
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Trillium Asset Management
U.S. Agency for International Development
United Nations Capital Development Fund
University of California, Berkeley
University of Rochester
UnLtd India*
Unreasonable Group
Upaya Social Ventures
Value for Women
Vera Solutions*
Village Capital
Villgro Innovations Foundation*
Vital Voices
Water and Sanitation for the Urban Poor
Water For People
Wildlife Conservation Society
William Davidson Institute at the University of Michigan (WDI)
Winrock International
World Vision
Youth Business International
Yunus Social Business

