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EntrepreNorth: Taking IT Digital

Partners

EntrepreNorth

Participants Indigenous Peoples; People from rural, remote, and northern communities

Locations

Northwest Territories, Nunavut, Yukon

Investment

\$275,000

Topics

Inclusive Economy
Tech and Automation

Related Tags

entrepreneurship, indigenous, indigenous populations, mentorship, skills training The

EntrepreNorth

App

Development

project

focused

on

creating

a

multi-

user

applied

business

tool

that

supports

entrepreneurs

and

social

innovators

with

investment

and

impact

readiness,

and

ongoing

business

planning

and

strategy.



Amongst the goals of the project are developing, testing and launching an app that is accessible to Northern and Indigenous entrepreneurs, that provides business education,

mentorship and investment readiness support in remote locations. The project will utlize its own design thinking methodology to create the app that is responsive to the needs of Northern and Indigenous entrepreneurs and social initativors. An additional outcome of the

app, aimed to build community of practice for northern and Indigenous entrepreneurs, well collecting impact data to prove the impacts of entrepreneurship and social innovation in the North.

The Future Skills Centre acknowledges that the Anishinaabe, Mississaugas and Haudenosaunee share a special relationship to the 'Dish With One Spoon Territory,' where our office is located, bound to share and protect the land. As a pan-Canadian initiative, FSC operates on the traditional territory of many Indigenous nations across Turtle Island, the name given to the North American continent by some Indigenous peoples. We are grateful for the opportunity to work in this territory and commit ourselves to learning about our shared history and doing our part towards reconciliation.

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