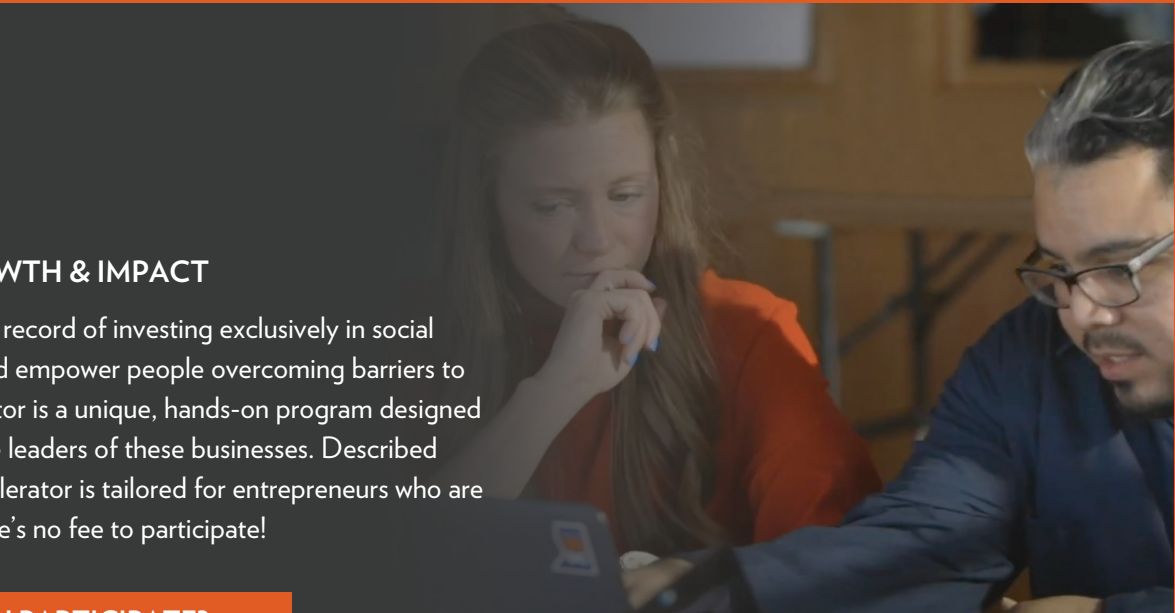


REDF

An investment that works.



ACCELERATING GROWTH & IMPACT

REDF has a 20+ year track record of investing exclusively in social enterprises that employ and empower people overcoming barriers to work. The REDF Accelerator is a unique, hands-on program designed to support and connect the leaders of these businesses. Described as a “mini-MBA,” our Accelerator is tailored for entrepreneurs who are ready for growth. And there’s no fee to participate!

WHY SHOULD YOU PARTICIPATE?

During this highly interactive five-month program you’ll work alongside peers to learn and put into practice the methods, skills, and tools needed to reach key milestones. Here are just a few of the benefits:



Strengthen Leadership Skills and Build Confidence to Take Smart Risks



Identify and Tackle Your Biggest Challenges



Connect With Like-Minded Social Entrepreneurs



Gain Business and Programmatic Insights

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

Must lead or have full decision-making authority within an employment social enterprise

Commit to attending 3 multi-day virtual sessions and engage in peer collaboration in-between sessions

Willing and able to provide 2 years of key data to REDF

ENTERPRISE ELIGIBILITY

Must provide paid employment at or above local minimum wage and wraparound services

Must generate earned revenue (\$100K-\$2M) via selling goods or services

Have been in operation for at least 12 months and be a stand-alone business or housed under a parent agency

WHAT ALUMNI SAY

“The REDF Accelerator was the best experience I have had in my professional career. I found new concepts, models, and approaches that were so inspirational—things that I took home and implemented immediately.

– Anthony Armour, Executive Director, Neighborhood Industries

“The REDF Accelerator gave me the confidence to be a better leader. I feel fortunate to have been a part of this program. The connections I have made will be a great help, not only now but in the future.

– Beth Rocca, General Manager, The Light House Bistro