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FELLOWSHIP

The START Fellowship is a program for young entrepreneurs in emerging markets. Our so-called fellows are invited on the basis of their business MVP (Minimum Viable Product) to come and live in St. Gallen for 6 months during which START provides full access to the Swiss start-up ecosystem, its knowledge, network and mentors. Upon completion of the program, the aim is that the fellows return to their home country to successfully roll out their business and have a positive impact there. The program is entirely free of cost for the participants to ensure that the entry barrier is as low as possible and everyone can participate, regardless of their background.

Since September 2020, the first iteration of the program is taking place with 19 Founders from Colombia and Romania. We are currently working on this year's program (in particular the START Summit) and the next iteration, in which we plan to welcome 40 new fellows this September 2021. As a team, we create and run the entire project. Our responsibilities include reaching out to successful players in the European startup-scene, raising the financial resources for such a program and direct involvement in the fellows' startups to support them e.g. with business know-how.

Skills

- You have an intrinsic motivation to create a world of equal opportunities
- You are interested in foreign cultures, empathy and care for others
- You are curious and have the ability to quickly adapt to unknown and maybe even unexpected situations
- You are creative and open-minded
- You are proactive, autonome, reliable and have organizational skills

Benefits

- Meeting international founders from different backgrounds
- Grow an exceptional network with the best in the industry
- Shape early-stage startups
- Build an impactful project that will have a decisive influence on the life of young entrepreneurs from emerging markets
- Learn to work under pressure and grow beyond yourself
- Be part of a dynamic, highly-motivated & driven START Global Team
- Memories... oh and lots of fun!

If you are interested and have any questions, please contact:



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