ILF Readiness Bootcamp Overview

Do you want to improve your impact measurement and management capabilities and increase your chances at receiving Impact-Linked Finance (ILF)?

The ILF Readiness Bootcamp is designed to support impact enterprises to elevate their current impact measurement and management systems and to build up sufficient baseline data so that they are prepared to receive financial incentives directly linked to their impact performance.

As a capacity-building initiative of the B-Briddhi Programme, the ILF Readiness Bootcamp aims to strengthen the pipeline of potential candidates for receiving ILF, particularly for Social Impact Incentives (SIINC).

The Bootcamp is free for selected impact enterprises to participate in. The Bootcamp is structured to help assist impact enterprises to identify, analyse and address gaps in their impact measurement practices, with the aim of advancing their systems to articulate and optimise their impact, which is key to receive impact-linked financial incentives. The Bootcamp is limited to a small number of impact enterprises in each cohort.

Bootcamp Outcome

At the end of the Bootcamp, each enterprise will receive an action plan on how to fill the identified gaps, reflecting on the progress they've made over the course of the Bootcamp and steps ahead to be better prepared for an ILF transaction. A key goal is to assist impact enterprises in understanding how their impact measurement and management systems can be used for gaining meaningful insights that would aid decision making to the benefit of both business and impact performance.

Selection Criteria for Participants

Participants are assessed according to the maturity level of their impact measurement system, and hence their potential to benefit from this Bootcamp. Here are some criteria that would be considered:

- **Comprehensiveness of Theory of Change:** Do you have an existing Theory of Change? Are you already collecting sufficient and high-quality data that accurately reflects it?
- **Availability of customer data,** ideally in ways that can be disaggregated across gender, income level, etc.
- **Type of impact data measured** (outcomes vs. outputs!)
- **Availability of (a system to generate) baseline impact data,** ideally that can scale as the enterprise grows
- **Attribution:** Do you have data to prove that your enterprise can be attributed for the impact that occurred for the target customers you're serving?

- **Additionality:** Do you have sufficient data to prove that the impact generated by your enterprise wouldn't have occurred otherwise without your business activities?

Format and Timeline

The 1.5-month (online) Bootcamp will be delivered through two group lecture sessions, complemented by two one-on-one tutorial sessions with experienced mentors providing feedback on assignments to the participating enterprises. Participants are also expected to complete preparatory videos, reading materials and assignments on the Social Finance Academy platform prior to the tutorial sessions for more engaging discussions during the tutorials. A timeline of the Bootcamp is provided below:

Session Title	Type	Date
Session 1: Introduction and Advanced Impact Measurement and Management	Group workshop	February 2024, 2 hrs
Session 2: Gap Analysis	One-on-one tutorials	February 2024, 1.5 hrs each
Session 3: Understanding the Flow of the Impact-Linked Finance Process	Group workshop	March 2024, 2 hrs
Session 4: Action Plan Development	One-on-one tutorials	March 2024, 1.5 hrs each
Graduation Event	Group event	March 2024, 2 hrs