

#PolygonImpact TechHouses

From favelas in Brazil
to low-income communities in Kenya.
A resilient network.

Communities in marginalized neighbourhoods face a range of challenges that hinder their access to technology and opportunities for personal and community growth. Youth often face systemic barriers including poverty, dependency, discrimination, and limited educational opportunities. These challenges hinder their capacity to participate in the economy, pursue their dreams, circumvent obstacles in their daily affairs, design their own products, and acquire the skills necessary to succeed in a rapidly changing technological landscape.



To achieve sustainable change, local communities must take ownership of the solutions that best meet their needs. Polygon TechHouses, implemented by Impact Plus, provide physical spaces with computers, internet access, mentoring, and training to empower youth with increased access to information and opportunities. TechHouses serve as well as a platform for community members to collaborate, share knowledge, and work towards common goals. A community-led approach fosters ownership, pride, and responsibility among those involved, leading to meaningful and sustainable change. TechHouses build upon the successful pilot project conducted in Brazil, which demonstrated the viability of the initiative.

Moreover, setting up an international network of TechHouses established the opportunity for centers to learn from one another, pool resources, and work collaboratively to realize shared objectives and transform opportunities into realities. Through TechHouses, we endeavor to foster an interconnected ecosystem that offers a forum for best practices.

The selection of the Community Centers will follow a competitive, rigorous selection process based on their community engagement, sustainability, capacity, and understanding of technology. Furthermore, our experts will conduct exhaustive Monitoring, Evaluation, Accountability, and Learning (MEAL) to ensure the TechHouse program is effective.



Join us in our mission to empower marginalized communities through technology. Reach out for more information at impact-plus.io.

Impact Plus' mission is to spread blockchain-centric solutions in the field of international development to solve fundamental societal problems.

