

# Repurposing and Re-imagining Spaces for the Common Good Through Co-operation



Incubator13 is a member of the Rideau Rockcliffe Community Resource Centre (RRCRC). Incubator13 provides education and upskilling programs and empowers youth to engage in social and community-based enterprises by partnering with organizations under the RRCRC hub.

Co-operative enterprises are a highly successful form of business organization and business model. However, the knowledge gaps and other barriers to their adoption are most present for marginalized youth, particularly in North America. Project 1 seeks to better understand those barriers and knowledge gaps, in order to promote the adoption of co-operative enterprises as a viable path for economic and social empowerment of marginalized youth. Project 2 aims to highlight how co-operative principles, particularly concern for the community, education and training, play a role in contributing to the common good.

Incubator13 wants to promote co-operative and community-based entrepreneurship principles and models to young participants in the program and, in general, youth engaged in RRCRC.



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