

Empowering Exceptional Palestinian Entrepreneurs and High-Tech Professionals

The **Palestinian Mentorship Program (PMP)** is a newly-launched pilot program that connects exceptional Palestinian Tech Entrepreneurs and companies with experienced mentors in the United States, Europe, Israel, and elsewhere.

Yadin Kaufmann, PMP's Founder:

"Tech entrepreneurs, executives, and startups in Palestine lack vital access to foreign partners, mentors, and companies that have had success in similar endeavors. PMP aims to fill this needed market gap and to build bridges between Palestine's developing startup ecosystem and markets abroad. We expect PMP Alumni to be among the future leaders of the Palestinian tech ecosystem."

PMP is being launched by the Palestinian Internship Program (PIP), which was founded in early 2014 as a U.S.-registered 501 (c)(3) not-for-profit organization and which has been backed by USAID and several U.S. foundations.

The Mentorship Program

PMP will launch a new Mentor/Mentee cycle every 6 months. Each cycle consists of Mentee Orientation Sessions and a Mentor/Mentee Matching Process, followed by biweekly one-on-one Mentor/Mentee 'meetups' (mainly remote), and intensive skills-building workshops and conferences. Mentors will meet with their Mentee over 6-12 months, with a focus on addressing specific jointly-identified challenges facing the Mentee.

Who are PMP Mentees?

- Eligible mentees include exceptional Palestinian entrepreneurs, CXOs of Palestinian startups and companies, and mid-level Palestinian executives aiming to be future leaders of large companies.

Who are Members of the PMP Executive Mentor Pool?

- Mentors include business and tech leaders in the following fields: Venture capital (fundraising, finance, networking), Business Development/Marketing, Technology, Legal, and more.
- Our current mentors support PMP from around the world and work in both startups and multinational corporations, including:



Interested in Being a Mentor?

1. Help support an exceptional Palestinian entrepreneur or high-tech employee to identify and address key challenges in their company and career.
2. Share strategies, best-practices, and your own lessons from experience that can increase the chances for the Mentee's business success.
3. Gain valuable insight into an emerging startup market.
4. Further develop your mentorship experience and skill set.
5. Meet a broad group of exceptional Palestinian entrepreneurs and high tech professionals, as well as the other Mentors engaging the community.

To apply to join the Executive Mentor Pool, click [HERE](#).

Interested in Supporting PMP in Another Capacity?

1. Share your expertise in a workshop or panel presentation during a PMP Mentee professional development session.
2. Support PMP financially – your contributions are tax-deductible in the United States.

To support PMP in another capacity, click [HERE](#).

Get Involved – Please reach out!

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