# OPEN.

#1 Creative Arts Incubator of Durham Region

## **Sponsorship Package**

## About Us

OPEN.innovate Creative Arts Incubator of Durham Region (OPEN.) is a registered **not-for-profit organization** founded in 2019 with a mission to create safe, accessible and inclusive spaces for Durham's growing population of youth, creatives and entrepreneurs.

Our programming aims to provide accessible learning pathways, tools and mentorship opportunities for young people looking to build careers in music, film and creative entrepreneurship.

Our methods include hands-on workshops, conferences and mentorship opportunities with some of Canada's leading creators and emerging talent.

Each program facilitator and partner is hand picked not only for their expertise, but their passion to invest into the next generation of creatives and creators.

#### **Core Purpose**

To provide safe, inclusive and accessible spaces for young people of all backgrounds to find the resources they need to feel supported in building and maintaining creative careers.

## Mission & Objectives

#### **Creating Safe Spaces**



#### **Giving Back**



Empowering youth to invest into themselves & their communities



#### **Building Community**



Strong network of over 750 experienced professionals, artists, leaders & students

#### **Number of Events**



Annual Events Since 2019 Launch



## **Audience Profile**

#### Gen Z & Millennials





**GENDER:** 55% F, 45% M



**DIVERSITY**: ALL ETHNICITIES & BACKGROUNDS INTERESTS: MUSIC | TECHNOLOGY | FILM/TV | FOOD | FASHION



### **Consumer Research**

## 100%

of attendees would attend a financial literacy workshop **96%** of attendees would be interested in a monthly meet-up

## 100%

sold out events with 33% on a wait list

## Past Notable Speakers







Grammy Award Winning Producer for Drake, Alicia Keys, Hulu & CBC series, and more

#### **Director RT**

Writer, director and creator of Hulu's Utopia Falls



#### **Chris Penrose**

Journalist, Writer, Podcast Host, Creative

### **Meet The Team**







**Nicole Chin** 

#### Maryam Bayoumi Lennox Richards

#### **Meet The Board**









Matthew Samuels Paula Whitamore

**Chris Penrose** 

Sara Elgamal

## Current & Past Partners











**IMPACT** AJAX



## **PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

	<b>Platinum</b> \$15K	<b>Gold</b> \$10K	<b>Silver</b> \$5K	<b>Bronze</b> <\$2,500	<b>In-Kind</b> \$0
Customizable Program to deliver against brands objectives					
Sponsored Social Media posts on Instagram, Twitter and Facebook					
Key Brand Message communicated during events					
Logo on Marketing Materials (banners, flyers, etc.)					
Exclusive Product/Coupon giveaways					
Backdrop logo on key presentation slide (100% SOV)					
Use of OPEN. Logos for brands promotional use					

## Thank You.



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