

Functional Start-Ups Networks



1/ Spot Créa : http://www.spotcrea.fr/ (National level)

Network dedicated to people who are starting businesses with the help of the national agency in charge of enterprises creation (<u>http://www.apce.com/</u>). This agency has been created in 1979. It is promoting entrepreneurship by offering tools to spread entrepreneurship culture. In 2013, its website has been consulted by 10 millions of visitors. One of its missions is to provide statistics about entrepreneurship in France by writing dedicated studies.



2/ Réseau entreprendre Sud île de France http://www.reseau-entreprendre-sud-ile-de-france.fr/ (Regional level)

This network was created in 1999. Today the network has been helping 150 businesses to be created which represents more than 3000 jobs. The association is now a part of a national federation gathering 67 associations and more than 10 000 companies CEO.

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3/Enactus :

http://enactus.fr/ (network for students)

Enactus is a worldwide network, present in more than 36 countries and gathering more than 70 500 students across the world. In France, Enactus has been implemented in 2002; in 2013-2014, it gathers 41 higher education institutions (universities, schools) and 113 projects. This network allows students to start an activity as an entrepreneur with the support of the academic and professional world.







4/ Mouves:

http://mouves.org/ (network for social entrepreneurship)

The Mouves is a network focusing on the social aspect of entrepreneurship. It is gathering entrepreneurs but also academic stakeholders and every people/organization interested in social entrepreneurship.