


E-Chance for Women Entrepreneurship



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Database of organisations for female entrepreneurs includes organisation details and activities of related institutions in France

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| Name of organization/Title of the Project | Créer au féminin |
| Organization/Project Logo |  |
| Website | http://www.creeraufeminin.com/ |
| Country | France – Specifically Reims and surroundings |
| Short Description | “Créer au féminin” is a network which was launched in 2010 by the Chamber of Commerce and Industry (CCI) of Reims located in the East of France. It organizes various events as meetings about information sharing and know-how sharing, visits of enterprises, business dating, sponsorships programs etc. The network identifies also women entrepreneurs coming from the region. |
| Period | March 2005 - Present |
| Funding Source | Regional Council – CCI of Reims |
| Impact on the Target Group | Women entrepreneurs are guided and given advices from the beginning of their idea to the post-creation of their project/business. |
| Contact information | Phone: + 33 3 26 50 66 82 E-mail: pauline.maltret@reims.cci.fr |
| Products/Services | Information meetings, individual counseling meetings, thematic workshops, monitoring during and after the creation. |
| Keywords of the organization/ project | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Women entrepreneurs network• Organizations dedicated to women’s entrepreneurship |

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| Name of organisation/Title of the Project | Fédération Pionnières |
| Organisation/Project Logo |  |
| Website | http://lespionnieres.org/ |
| Country | France and abroad |
| Short Description | Les Pionnières is a network of 20 business incubators in the service of innovative women entrepreneurs who support sustainable jobs in France and abroad. The specificity of its methodology is proposing a personalized and complete approach from the idea to the development of the project. Les Pionnières offers an individual and collective counseling to women. |
| Period | 2005 - Present |
| Funding Source | European Regional Development Fund (ERDF), corporate workers |
| Impact on the Target Group | Counseling women all along their project's development. 1123 business women entrepreneurs and 1292 jobs created. 447 societies created. |
| Contact information | Phone: +33 (0)1 44 88 57 70 E-mail: contact@federationpionnieres.org |
| Products/Services | Practical workshops every month to discuss the projects, brainstorming sessions, events, sponsorship programs etc. |
| Keywords of the organization/ project | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Counselling • Business creation • Women entrepreneurs network • Innovation |

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| Name of organization/Title of the Project | Paris Pionnières |
| Organization/Project Logo | |
| Website | http://www.parispionnieres.org |
| Country | France – Specifically Paris and surroundings |
| Short Description | The first incubator in France dedicated to women entrepreneurs. It provides a support for women developing a project in innovative services (environment, e-commerce website, software companies etc.). A program of coaching via workshops and three stages for incubation is provided for women. A coworking space is also available. |
| Period | March 2005 - Present |
| Funding Source | Paris Municipality – Regional Council – European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) |
| Impact on the Target Group | The objective is lifting barriers women dealing with by making available appropriate measures. Until now, 175 businesses and 650 jobs have been created. |
| Contact information | Phone: +33 (1) 44 88 57 70 E-mail: contact@parispionnieres.org |
| Products/Services | Workshops and stages for incubation |
| Keywords of the organization/ project | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incubator • Women entrepreneurs • Innovative services |

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| Name of organization/Title of the Project | Women Entrepreneurs Network (WENglobal) |
| Organization/Project Logo |  |
| Website | http://www.wenglobal.com/ |
| Country | France – Paris |
| Short Description | WENglobal is a global network of internationally-minded, dynamic women entrepreneurs who want to network and support open-minded professional women who have started and are growing their own international business. Members come together to share knowledge, best practices, contacts and benefits from strategic partnerships. |
| Period | February 2013 – Present |
| Funding Source | Donations and sponsors |
| Impact on the Target Group | 187 members who participate in regular events and share their experiences and points of view with professional. |
| Contact information | E-mail: anne@wenglobal.com E-mail: partners@wenglobal.com E-mail: events@wenglobal.com |
| Products/Services | They organize regular events throughout the year, with guest speakers, speed-networking, practical workshops, and networking cocktails. |
| Keywords of the organization/ project | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women entrepreneurs • Women's business networking • Start-ups businesses |

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| Name of organization/Title of the Project | Soleilles Cowork |
| Organization/Project Logo |  |
| Website | http://www.soleillescowork.com |
| Country | France – Paris |
| Short Description | A coworking space created by five women entrepreneurs in order to offer a professional and user-friendly workspace, to receive startups and independent workers, to facilitate cooperation between coworkers and to organize meetings and animation features. |
| Period | 2011 – Present |
| Funding Source | Donations and corporate workers |
| Impact on the Target Group | The objective is providing a collaborative workplace for women and empowering active women to expand their professional networks and projects. |
| Contact information | Phone: +33 (0)1 79 97 45 40 E-mail: contact@soleillescowork.com |
| Products/Services | Animation features (presentations, workshops, exchanges with professionals, networking) |
| Keywords of the organization/ project | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coworking space • Women entrepreneurs • Collaborative workplace |

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| Name of organization/Title of the Project | Rhône-Alpes Pionnières |
| Organization/Project Logo |  |
| Website | http://www.rhonealpespionnieres.org/ |
| Country | France – Specifically Lyon and surroundings |
| Short Description | This incubator located in Lyon aims to encourage local women to start their own business, to create an innovative project. The workshops provided by the incubator help women to search for partnerships, important tools etc. |
| Period | 2010 – Present |
| Funding Source | Rhône-Alpes Council, Community “Grand Lyon”, private sponsors |
| Impact on the Target Group | Women are in charge of women entrepreneurs’ counseling to guide them all along the idea, the project and the created business. |
| Contact information | Phone: +33 4 72 72 95 43 E-mail: contact@rhonealpespionnieres.org |
| Products/Services | Two workshops each month regarding several essential topics (web marketing, legal approach, e-commerce, social networks, funding etc.) |
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| Name of organization/Title of the Project | Femmes entrepreneurs |
| Organization/Project Logo | |
| Website | http://f-entrepreneurs.com/ |
| Country | France |
| Short Description | “Femmes entrepreneurs” is an association interested in value for entrepreneurial initiatives headed by women. Thanks to its national network, the association organizes in particular free events in order to help women to build and develop their projects. |
| Period | Mai 2010 - Present |
| Funding Source | Donations |
| Impact on the Target Group | The association is present on social networks as Facebook and Twitter in order to allow to a maximum of women to be informed about the events. |
| Contact information | Phone: + 33 6 64 33 37 03 E-mail: team@f-entrepreneurs.com |
| Products/Services | Reports and portraits regarding women entrepreneurs, sharing and exchanges via social networks, trainings dedicated to the target group, partnerships, events, etc. |
| Keywords of the organization/ project | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women entrepreneurs • Events and networking |


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| Name of organization/Title of the Project | Potentielles |
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| Website | http://www.potentielles.fr/ |
| Country | France – Specifically in Marseille |
| Short Description | “Potentielles” is a workplace dedicated to women’s entrepreneurship located in the south of France. It’s a real business place thanks to exchanges and networking but also thanks to a shop and a gallery developed for women. Each woman interested in sharing her experience, meeting other professionals and selling her products can rent a space in this coworking place. |
| Period | 2011 – Present |
| Funding Source | Corporate workers |
| Impact on the Target Group | Sharing the experience with other women, place to sell and receive people. “Potentielles” participated in special days of women entrepreneurship in Marseille in autumn 2014. |
| Contact information | Phone: + 33 4 91 37 78 17 A contact form |
| Products/Services | Company registered address, spaces or meeting rooms rentals, alternative shop and corporate shop shared between women; tools, events, counseling and coaching (management and development of a project), help to reconcile family life and professional life etc. |
| Keywords of the organization/ project | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coworking space dedicated to women • Events and networking |

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| Name of organization/Title of the Project | Femmes Business Angels |
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| Website | http://www.femmesbusinessangels.org/ |
| Country | France – Specifically in Paris |
| Short Description | “Femmes Business Angels” is a unique network of a hundreds women who personally invest in potential start ups and accompany them to help them grow. It connects women who wish to invest in projects of the creation of the business enterprises and project coordinators, men and women. |
| Period | 2003 - Present |
| Funding Source | Ile de France Region, members, investors |
| Impact on the Target Group | Sharing the experience, best practices with other women, counseling about the investment. |
| Contact information | Phone: + 33 6 77 60 76 61 contact@femmesbusinessangels.org |
| Products/Services | Providing of the investment’s knowledge, networking, events, consulting and coaching. |
| Keywords of the organization/ project | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Female investments in innovation enterprises • Events and networking |


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| Name of organization/Title of the Project | Girls in Tech Paris |
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| Website | http://gitparis.com/ |
| Country | France – Paris |
| Short Description | “Girls in Tech Paris” is a French branch of the international network of Girls in Tech. The mission is to particularly highlight women and courses of technology to encourage diversity in a traditionally male environment. Two types of events are organized, either in the form of a mini-conference around a specific theme with an animator or in the form of a networking event to facilitate trade within the network. |
| Period | 2010 - Present |
| Funding Source | Sponsors, private partners |
| Impact on the Target Group | Sharing the experience, best practices, consulting in the domain of the enterprise and technology. |
| Contact information | mounia.rkha@schibsted-dev.fr roxanne@girlsintech.net |
| Products/Services | Providing, networking, events, consulting, coaching, co-working |
| Keywords of the organization/ project | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Network of women entrepreneurs • Events and networking • Enterprise in technology |