The most significant action for Startups in Greece is happening!

<u>Greek Innovation and Entrepreneurship Week, Startup Greece Week</u> returns for the 5th consecutive year this May, due to the global health crisis, 100% online!

From 4th till 10th of May, a week full of online workshops, open discussions with distinguished speakers, networking, a competition for startups and many more activities. Our aim is the development of the innovative entrepreneurial ecosystem in Greece!

With your participation in Startup Greece Week, you will have the opportunity:

- → meet successful entrepreneurs, academics and startuppers who will communicate their knowledge and experience in the field of business
- → network and expand your contacts within the business community,
- → win in the entrepreneurial competition for startups prizes worth 10,000 euros
- → claim funding from investors
- → attend exciting workshops to develop your skills and to participate in many more activities!

The 10 cities that are participating in the event are Thessaloniki, Chania, Rethymno, Heraklion, Tripoli, Rhodes, Xanthi, Ioannina, Kalamata and Patras.

Additional confirmed thematic sections are the following: Fail FAST, Biotech / HealthTech, Logistics / On-Demand Delivery, Greentech / Energy, Fintech.

To take part is a **prerequisite to register for free**, <u>here</u>! ATTENTION! Places are limited!

The action is an initiative of the Non-Profit Organisation- Youth Entrepreneurship Club (Youth Entrepreneurship Association), within the framework of its goals for the development of the innovative entrepreneurial Greek ecosystem. It is under the auspices of the Ministry of Development & Investment and the Ministry of Digital Governance. It is worth mentioning that more than 30 volunteers are part of the organisation and in the making of the production of the current project with an average age of 23 years! Not to exaggerate, it is perhaps the most extensive online initiative that has taken place in the world, both in duration and in organisations/speakers that are taking part.

If you wish to sponsor the event, fill out the form, here.

This action may concern entrepreneurs, professors, hoteliers, students, young scientists, representatives of organisations or businesses, unemployed, social enterprises, producers, cultural enterprises, incubators, academic institutions, local teams, startups, business consultants.

If you wish to present your startup at the **Startup Greece Week Awards 2020** and win prizes worth 10,000 euro, do not hesitate to fill out the form, here!

The leader of the action, Startup Greece Week, Thanos Paraschos stated:

"We are aware of the great difficulties we are facing this period as well as the crisis that might arise. Especially now, we firmly believe that we have to act aiming to come out stronger and more united than ever before.

Our project's goal is to listen, discuss, communicate the experience and point of view of individuals who are in the entrepreneurial ecosystem. On their turn, inspire and mobilise the creation of new business entities that will allow a new dynamic in Greek society and economy.

To show that we can all create value from scratch through much work, collaborations and using the right tools!

To contribute in the creation of local communities in each region of our country, strong partnerships among professionals and ambitious entrepreneurs and in addition to provide useful suggestions/ideas for the development of the Greek entrepreneurial ecosystem."

Within the **STARTUP GREECE WEEK** communication framework, are conducted daily at 22.00 Live online Q&A sessions with Greek Founders around the world and are streaming on our channels (Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, Twitter) and on-screen on **RISE TV** in Athens and nationwide through Wind vision. The show aims to feature Greeks from all over the world who create technological companies and to promote our project.

You can watch the related videos **here**.

Stay tuned for more information on our official page: http://startup-greece.org/