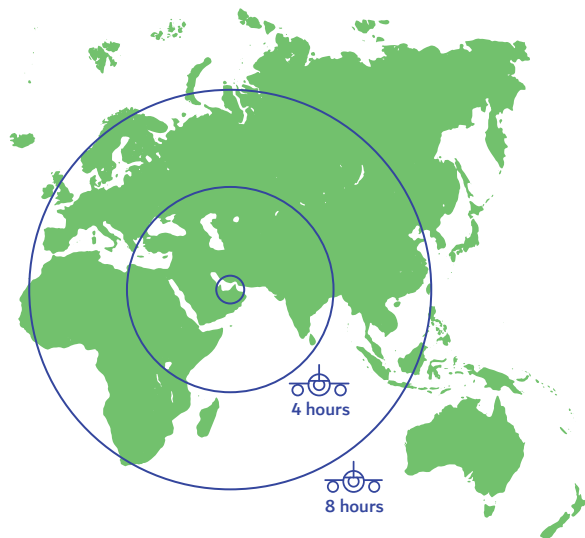


District 2020, located in Dubai, UAE, will be a global future-proof innovation ecosystem and mixed-use community. It will directly contribute to the growth of Dubai's innovation economy and attract the largest organisations, budding young enterprises, and families to live and work.

A place to **Connect. Create. Innovate.**



OUR INNOVATION ECOSYSTEM

INDUSTRIES



Travel & tourism



Real estate & construction



Logistics & transport



Education

TECHNOLOGIES



Internet of things



Blockchain



Artificial intelligence



Big data



Accelerators & incubators



Co-working spaces



Research & education



Venture capital

WHY DUBAI?

Supporting the growth of the UAE's innovation-driven economy.

- Dubai is ranked **11th** globally on the 'Ease of Doing Business Index'
 - **70%** of **Fortune 500** Companies are present in Dubai
- Dubai is centrally located within an **8 hour flight** from over **2/3** of the world's population
 - Ideal gateway to the MEASA region



- Scale2Dubai is District 2020's global entrepreneurship programme. The programme offers startups and small businesses, with a proven track record in their countries, an opportunity to scale to Dubai.
- Applicants should also align to District 2020's key industries and technologies, listed above.
- The programme provides a soft landing for entrepreneurs and businesses to set up in District 2020's ecosystem and an opportunity to benefit from being part of a world-class innovation hub.
- District 2020 will play an active role in facilitating connections between the programme participants, Fortune 500 companies, accelerator programmes and funding opportunities.

CONTACT US

If you are interested to partner with us to benefit your country's or accelerators' startups and small businesses, please contact us at:

Scale2DubaiPartner@district2020.ae

If you are a startup or a small business which meets the eligibility criteria, please register your interest at:

www.district2020.ae/scale2dubai.html

PROGRAMME BENEFITS



2 years free workspace



2 years visa



Business setup



Community lifestyle



2 years subsidized urban living



Access to special rates for service providers



Free co-working spaces



Calendar of social & networking events

The number of visas per company will depend on its size:



Startup*
Up to 2 visas per company



Small Business*
Up to 4 visas per company

*In line with Dubai SME's definition of startup and small business
**Subject to availability

UPDATES & TIMELINES

Ongoing Partnerships

- With Accelerators, SME Authorities, Departments of Trade & Chambers
- With enablers to strengthen our innovation ecosystem
- With suitable government bodies & service providers

2019

December
Official launch & global call

2020

November
Shortlisting concluded by District 2020

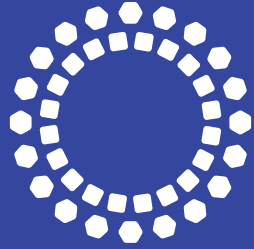
2021

April
Evaluation concluded by Judging Panel
October
•Cohort #1 onboarded

2022

April
•Cohort #2 onboarded
•3rd cycle opens soon after

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