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PROGRAMS FOR
HIGH SCHOOLS



A Peer-to-Peer Entrepreneurship Mentoring Program

This is to certify that

IIS "Blaise Pascal", Pomezia (RM)

Participated in John Cabot University's [Italy Starts](#) program during Summer 2022.
Italy Starts provides hands-on experience as an expression of interest in and enthusiasm for an international approach to innovation and enterprise.

JCU and Partner University students volunteered as Mentors to groups of Italian high school students (Mentees). The program saw 19 Mentors from partner universities in the U.S. and Armenia engaged with Italian high school students from 15 schools forming 18 Italy Starts Teams. During the 5-week program (in remote), the teams developed their entrepreneurial ideas to resolve a perceived challenge to the environment. Teams were composed of 4-6 Italian high school students (Mentees) and an American University undergraduate student (Mentors), for a total of 120 participants. Mentees participated in this project to earn 40 credit hours for work-study experience (*Percorsi per le Competenze Trasversali e per l'Orientamento, PCTO*), Dlg.77/05).

Rome, 13 July 2022

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Programma di Mentoraggio Tra Pari in Ambito Imprenditoriale o di Impresa Sociale

Si certifica che

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ha partecipato nel programma [Italy Starts](#) della John Cabot University, giugno 2022.
Italy Starts offre agli studenti l'opportunità di capire, attraverso l'esperienza diretta, cosa significhi fare impresa, in un contesto internazionale

Gli studenti della JCU e delle università americane associate hanno svolto il ruolo di Mentori per gruppi di studenti delle scuole superiori italiane (Mentees). Il programma ha visto impegnati 19 mentori di varie università partner negli Stati Uniti e in Armenia insieme a studenti di 15 scuole superiori italiane. Sono stati formati 18 Team per Italy Starts. Durante il programma di 5 settimane (in remoto), i team hanno sviluppato le loro idee imprenditoriali per risolvere quella che veniva da loro percepita come una sfida per le problematiche ambientali. Le squadre erano composte da 4-6 studenti (Mentee) e uno studente universitario (Mentor), per un totale di 120 partecipanti. I Mentees hanno partecipato a questo progetto per acquisire 40 ore di credito per Percorsi per le Competenze Trasversali e per l'Orientamento, PCTO, (Dlgs.77/05).

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