



10-week data literacy program elevating the impact of your organizations work through data

About Us

Youthful Cities Open Data Literacy & Activation Program is seeking to revolutionize the way youth-serving organizations affect change in their communities with the tools to activate open data. Expand the reach of your work. Connect with new audiences (funders, policymakers, community members) in meaningful evidence-based ways. Open data is free to use. You just need to know what it is, where to find it and how to make good use of it.

Participants

Youthful Cities Open Data Literacy + Activation Program is open to people with varying levels of open data experience. Whether you're an analyst looking for new ways to tell a story or a digital communicator looking to connect with audiences through numbers, this customized program is designed for you.

Program Benefits

- Create a data-driven information product that supplements the initiatives of your organization
- Learn how to find and use open data
- Learn how to formulate a research question based on the goals of your organization
- Learn how to visualize data in impactful ways
- Network with other organizations with similar missions

Commitment

- 10 weeks - The program runs from November 15th, 2021 to February 18th, 2022. with a 2-week break from December 20th to 31st.
- 25-30 hours
- 1 key contact must be able to attend all mandatory sessions

\$1000 stipend upon successful completion of the program

Testimonials

“As someone who came in with very minimal experience using data in any capacity it was nice to see how prepared you were to teach me and others who might have been in the same boat, how to use data and how easy it could be.” -Participant, Skills Canada Corporation

“It was a very positive learning experience. I was challenged and taken beyond my comfort zone, yet felt supported throughout the course.” -Participant, Jack.Org

“The workshop on storytelling and the idea of making knowledge more accessible, especially if I'm working with communities creating infographics and presenting data in accessible ways is going to be very important in my future work” - Participant, York University - The Jean Augustine Canadian Youth Initiatives & Data Hub

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