SID Israel in Numbers

**The Society for International Development - SID Israel** is an umbrella organisation of over 127 Israeli nonprofit organisations, private companies, government agencies, and academic programs that actively work in the fields of humanitarian aid and international development. Our mission is to advance Israeli engagement in economic, social, and humanitarian spheres in the developing world and contribute to the sustainable development of developing countries.

SID Israel is the local branch of SID International, a worldwide forum for professionals and institutions working in sustainable development since 1957. Due to its global reach and unique perspective, SID serves as a special consultant to many UN and international governing bodies.

129 חברים בסיד מתוכם:

32 ארגוני חברה אזרחית

55 חברות מסחריות

24 מוסדות ותכניות אקדמיות

5 משרדי ממשלה

35 בתחום הבריאות

16 תחום החקלאות

44 בתחומי החינוך ופיתוח קהילות

3 בתחום אנרגיה מתחדשת

5 בתחומי המים והסניטציה

25 בתחומים מגוונים של כלכלה, נדל"ן לוגיסטיקה ועוד.

12 אלף עוקבים במדיה החברתית

8אלף שמקבלים ניוזלטר מאיתנו

2500 מספר המשתתפים בפועליות שלנו לאורך השנה

**SID Israel aspires to:**

**Policy and Public Outreach** for increasing the commitment and support of the Israeli government, society and Jewish communities worldwide in the fields of international aid and development.

**Raise awareness** regarding the importance of Israeli engagement in developing countries and the value of humanitarian aid and development through public activity and educational programs among all sectors of society.

**Build professional capacities** within Israeli civil society, private sector, and government through academic programs and training courses as well as global networking.

**Provide a platform for knowledge exchange and experience sharing** for Israeli organisations and firms, and facilitate cross-sectoral collaborations in the developing world.

**Build bridges** and connections between Jewish communities around the world, focusing on values such as “tikkun olam.”

1. Policy and Public Outreach

Our policy and outreach efforts are aimed at increasing the commitment and involvement of government bodies in Israel in international development and humanitarian aid activities.

A significant number of Israeli innovations are in the field of agriculture, water, energy and medicine; fields which are all of utmost importance for the developing world. Better assimilation of Israeli technologies and solutions in these markets can contribute to the improvement of the socio-economic status of local communities, strengthen the ties between Israel and the various developing countries, while corresponding with the SDGs.

With that in mind, in October 2017, SID Israel launched "The Israeli Global Impact 2030" a cross-sector strategic thinking process that aims to develop recommendations for the Israeli government on amplifying Israel’s involvement and impact in the developing world. The process is driven by the assumption that only multi-sector collaboration- government, privet sector and civil society organisations, can create meaningful impact for sustainable development.

In line with our efforts and following countless meetings with members of Knesset and government officials, on July 23rd , 2018 the Israeli government passed an historic resolution which aims to strengthen Israeli engagement in international development as a long-term government strategy. An inter-ministerial committee has been established to accomplish this aim, headed by the Director-General of the Prime Minister’s Office, who will be given the responsibility of promoting and coordinating Israeli activity in international development.

0.010% מהתל"ג של ישראל מוקצה לסיוע חוץ,

תשיעית מהנהוג במדינות OECD

500 איש ענו על סקר דעת קהל בנושא

4 שאלות מפתח מנחות

**Partnership with the Office of the President.**

The President of the State of Israel, Mr. Reuben (Ruvi) Rivlin has been a champion of the above-mentioned agenda, and has been supporting a variety of initiatives to make international development a priority the World Jewry and Israeli agenda. As it was highlighted during the “Impact for Good” conference that we held- during The Presidents historic visit to Ethiopia in May 2018.

The delegation to Ethiopia focused on cross sector partnerships to create positive impact in Ethiopia and Africa. Expanding Israeli activity in developing nations, both economic and social, requires a new approach, one that speaks in terms of cooperation and collaboration, while acknowledging the immense potential which exists in cross sector collaboration between Israeli and Jewish civil society NGOs, private companies and the government.

As part of the above-mentioned partnership, SID Israel hosted a public forum at the President’s Residence in which we presented further findings of “The Israeli Global Impact 2030” thinking process. The forum provided a platform for various sector representatives to assist in summarizing the conclusions, which are about to be submitted in a report to the Prime Minister and President.

165 מוזמנים לIMPACT FOR GOOD

מתוכם

כ-100 ישראלים ונציגים מהעולם היהודי

20 חברות

80 נציגים של ארגוני חברה אזרחית

130 משתתפים באירוע בבית הנשיא

30נציגי ממשלה

20 נצגי בנקים וקרנות השקעות

40 ארגוני חברה אזרחית

30 נציגי חברות מסחריות

1. Capacity building

Aims to improve the professional capabilities of Israeli organisations and individuals active in humanitarian aid and development. Offers a variety of cutting-edge training programs delivered by leading experts in this field.

**The Israeli Centre for International Humanitarian Aid Studies**- In cooperation with the Society for International Development – SID Israel, Rabin Medical Center (Beilinson and Hasharon) and the International Program in Emergency & Disaster Management Sackler school of medicine Tel Aviv University. The Center will enable Israeli professionals to receive international standard trainings that will enable them to integrate in humanitarian work in the developing world.

**'Breaking Boundaries': medical teams in international humanitarian aid-**

Medical teams are vital players during humanitarian disasters, both in the initial response phase and in later stages. For the second time in Israel, experts from the United Nations will teach a comprehensive course that delivers the knowledge and practical tools that medical staff must have in order to become involved in humanitarian work around the world. Among the main themes, the course will focus on international standards for emergency medical treatment, professional language spoken in the field by experts and workers, and the collaboration between the international organizations, led by WHO, and local authorities. The course aims to provide all the relevant information for medical staff leaving on relief delegations.

200 משתתפים

20 מרצים מומחים בלימודי סיוע הומניטרי בעתות חירום

40 שעות הכשרה של מומחי UN

מאגר של כ-150 מומחים העומדים בסטנדרטים בינלאומיים

**Graduate Program: Global Impact Studies**

In the summer of 2018, a first-of-its-kind diploma program in international development, entrepreneurship, and humanitarian aid was launched as a joint project with the Lauder School of Government, Diplomacy & Strategy at the Interdisciplinary Center (IDC) in Herzliya. The program combines an interdisciplinary academic curriculum with practical hands-on learning.

22 סטודנטים בוגרי התכנית

10 מקבלי מגלות מקרן פירס

18 מרצים מעולמות תוכן שונים

מספר שעות

1. Awareness Raising and Networking

We believe that a real change in the Israeli approach to international development and implementation of SDGs will happen only with the help of public and political awareness.

Driven by this assumption we are developing a continuous dialog with members of the Knesset from different parties, which led to a formation of a political lobby -aimed to promote the Israeli involvement in the developing world. This lobby demonstrates that international development can be a common agenda for all parties.

As leading part of raising awareness among Israeli public to sustainable development we led a public initiative- Global Impact Awards, in partnership with one of the biggest media bodies in Israel- Walla! News.

Following the call for proposal, close to 100 proposals have been submitted, nominations of Israeli or World Jewry entrepreneurs, individuals, companies, business ventures, start-ups, impact investors, researchers, civil society organisations and volunteers that work in fields such as medicine, nutrition, capacity building, community development, economic entrepreneurship etc.,

The awards were presented at a gala ceremony, attended by H.E. the President of Israel, Mr. Reuven (Ruvi) Rivlin, and broadcast live on Walla! News on January 16th, 2019.

GLOBAL IMPACT AWARDS- 8 זוכים

100 הגשות

500 משתתפים

ועוד אלפי צופים בבית.

Seeking to advance the dialogue between public and private initiatives in Israel and expose the potential opportunities to israeli firms and civil society organisations, we hold a specific targeted forum that focus on specific regions or sectors.

**Africa: Continent of Tomorrow Series** in collaboration with Herzog Fox & Neeman -, Israel- Africa Chamber of Commerce the Manufacturers' Association of Israel and Pears challenge, is a meeting point between professionals doing business in Africa and an informal platform to share lessons, foster collaboration and develop new initiatives, exploring opportunities, potential and challenges of commercializing innovative Israeli technologies across Africa in fields like agriculture, healthcare, and energy.

On January 16, 2019 as part of Africa series we held the "Destination: Ethiopia – Exploring Business Partnerships- Ethio-Israel Business-to-Business Conference".

450 guests took part in Africa series

**ע**שרות שיתופי פעולה נוצרו כתוצאה מהפורום

**צריכה להוסיף פה עוד מדד**

**South East Asia Forum**

As part of a joint initiative with EY - largest accounting firm in Israel on 30th of October, we held the South East Asia forum, a first of its kind event to discuss the possible effects of Israeli Impact in South East Asia. The purpose of the Forum is to familiarize its members with the region and the characteristics of South East Asia Economies from a cultural, geopolitical, economic, business, developmental and social perspective, in order to discuss opportunities for commercial companies and civil society organizations to integrate into these countries through activities and partnerships that address the global challenges.

90 guests took part

4 ambassadors and economic attaches

20 speed-dating sessions