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1	<b>PIGI</b>	Bora Selenica	Durrës	€ 10,000	€ 9,500.00	6	Financial Education	<p>Pigi, the innovative mobile app, addresses the gap of a global demand for child-focused financial education, with particular urgency in regions like Albania, where financial literacy ranks low, by offering engaging and personalized financial education for children. Pigi provides a comprehensive platform tailored specifically to children’s learning needs, combining task management, budgeting tools, and a rewards system.</p> <p>The grant will assist Pigi in designing and prototyping the app, coding the MVP, creating educational content, and initiating marketing efforts to finalize and launch the app, ensuring a user-friendly interface, engaging educational content, comprehensive feedback collection, and a clear roadmap for future development based on user data and feedback.</p>
2	<b>CRYSTAL TEAM</b>	Mimoza Bujaraj	Berat	€ 9,990	€ 9,490.00	6	Business services	<p>With over 200 businesses in Berat needing daily sanitarian services and a gap in the local market, Crystal Team addresses this critical demand offering comprehensive cleaning, gardening, and elderly care services. While promoting economic independence among marginalized communities, particularly mothers from Roma-segregated areas, this socially responsible business model also contributes to environmental sustainability and local economic growth.</p> <p>The grant will help Crystal Team improve service delivery by investing in quality materials, securing a training and storage space, offering ongoing skill development, and enhancing customer service and communication, thereby fostering a favorable brand image.</p>
3	<b>FRYMËMARRJE</b>	Kristina Gjini	Tiranë	€ 10,500	€ 9,975.00	12	Green and digital transition	<p>The startup “Frymëmarrje” (Breathing) focuses on analyzing the most suitable raw materials and selecting the optimal plant types for implementation. The startup’s mission is to nurture well-being for future generations and support sustainable urban growth. Frymëmarrje addresses these issues by designing and implementing natural green walls for interior spaces, both static and movable.</p> <p>The grant will help Frymëmarrje to focus on direct communication with clients and investors by creating two prototypes for product testing and presentation, developing marketing materials including a website, portfolio, and business cards, and registering as a business. The aim is to hold six meetings per month over 12 months to secure contracts and sell four 6m² green walls, with prototype development involving a specialized team and estimated raw material costs of \$1340 per 1m².</p>





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4	<b>PATOKO</b>	Arber Kadia	Tiranë	€ 24,750	€ 19,800.00	6	IT and Digital Solutions	<p>Patoko, initially launched as a ride-hailing app, has rapidly evolved into a versatile super-app within its first year, offering services such as real-time bus information, loyalty and referral programs, digital wallets, and an automated chatbot. Patoko is developing a Business Intelligence (BI) Dashboard to gain real-time insights for better customer understanding and marketing optimization.</p> <p>The grant will help Patoko develop a BI dashboard, integrating data sources and AI recommendations, with three months for development and one month for testing and refinement. Marketing and strategic partnerships will follow, aiming for a 20% increase in user engagement, a 15% rise in ARPU, and a 20% growth in paid subscriptions, tracked by user metrics and feedback.</p>
5	<b>ALBAPONIK</b>	Valbona Duro	Tiranë, Fshati Mustafa Kocaj (Baldushk)	€ 24,800	€ 19,840.00	6	Sustainable Agriculture, food processing, forestry, and fishing	<p>Albaponik is revolutionizing agriculture in Albania by offering fresh, high-quality hydroponic leafy greens to organic shops and supermarket chains, while adhering to sustainable farming practices. This innovative approach involves growing plants without soil, using nutrient-rich water solutions, which provides several benefits over traditional soil-based farming.</p> <p>The grant will help Albaponik improve its microclimate, secure energy sources, automate and digitize operations, and enhance delivery efficiency, enabling year-round production, faster delivery times, uninterrupted power supply, and precise operational control.</p>
6	<b>CYBER MORFOSIS</b>	Edlira Martiri	Tirane	€ 9,870	€ 9,320.00	12	IT and Digital Solutions	<p>Cyber Morfosis is a cybersecurity startup in Albania and the broader Western Balkan region offering a comprehensive suite of services designed to address the pressing need for robust digital protection. Their full package of Security Evaluations, tailored security consultancy, and comprehensive cybersecurity training—both online and in-person—equip businesses to enhance their cybersecurity posture and safeguard their digital assets.</p> <p>The grant will help Cyber Morfosis with business development through industry events and marketing, enhance online tools and training modules, acquire and retain clients with support and referral programs, expand the team, qualify staff with certification programs, participate in EU-funded research, and optimize performance using analytics tools.</p>





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7	<b>ALPINE BEES</b>	Rinaldo Gjollaj	Shkodër	€ 43,086	€ 30,000.00	6	Sustainable Agriculture, food processing, forestry, and fishing	Alpine Bees represents a groundbreaking startup in the Albanian Alps, offering a diverse range of premium bee products renowned for their exceptional quality. Through innovative approaches and technological integration, Alpine Bees addresses various challenges while fostering sustainable growth and environmental stewardship. The grant will support Alpine Bees in expanding its operations through employment, infrastructure development, technology integration, business development, innovation, and monitoring capabilities, aiming to increase production capacity, develop new bee breeds and products, offer apitherapy, and initiate bee venom collections for cosmetics and pharmaceuticals while ensuring the well-being of the bees.
8	<b>FORESTA</b>	Jora Vokopola	Tiranë	€ 24,900	€ 19,900.00	7	Tourism, Creative and Cultural Industries sector, Green and Circular Economy	Foresta's innovative approach as a design hub lies in its multifaceted integration of architecture, art, music, and culinary experimentation within a collaborative working space and coffee bar. By partnering with a foreign architecture academic institution in Spain and an international art foundation in NY, Foresta offers a dynamic platform for Architectural Workshops, Art Exhibitions, Live Music Events, Design Talks, and more. The grant will support Foresta in establishing a creative hub through market research, architectural interventions, marketing, team recruitment, community outreach events, art installations, and workshops, aiming to create a dynamic workspace for interdisciplinary collaborations, engaging events, rotating art installations, and brand recognition within the creative community.
9	<b>CHOCOLAB ALBANIA</b>	Alma Gerxhani	Tiranë	€ 25,000	€ 20,000.00	6	Sustainable Agriculture, food processing, forestry, and fishing	Chocolab Albania, a newly established artisan chocolate lab combines the finest handmade chocolate with unique Albanian flavors sourced from local producers. Chocolab aims to create a memorable gift for tourists visiting Albania. Their first product, "Taste of Albania" chocolate box, features nine pralines, each representing a different Albanian city with distinct local ingredients like white olive oil from Tirana and wild blueberries from Shkodra. The grant will help Chocolab buy three machines to increase production: a chocolate tempering machine, a truffle coating machine, and a chocolate coating belt. These machines will double their praline output from 600 to 1200 per week, allowing them to meet higher demand and increase sales from 300 to 1000 boxes per month. This will boost profits, facilitate new product creation, and maintain their artisanal quality.





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10	<b>ALMANART</b>	Gjyljana Bakalli	Tiranë	€ 10,000	€ 9,500.00	12	Tourism	The platform supports creative industry businesses—publishing houses, bars, theaters, cinemas, art galleries—by allowing them to advertise events at favorable rates, thus increasing their customer base. Additionally, “Almanart” includes a ticket sales platform for easy online booking and payment, as well as podcasts and video productions that highlight upcoming events and provide reviews. The grant will help Almanart create an app for the App Store and Google Play, promote the platform through a meeting for creative entrepreneurs and networking, and market the platform using promotional materials like business cards and creative leaflets with QR codes.
11	<b>BIOLIVE</b>	Arber Satka	Divjakë	€ 24,960	€ 19,920.06	6	Sustainable Agriculture, food processing, forestry, and fishing	This startup is deeply immersed in the production, packaging, and wholesale/retail trade of premium olive oil, complemented by consulting services in agronomy and food technology. The grant will assist Biolive in expanding storage capacity, collaborating with farmers for sustainable olive sourcing, implementing monitoring systems, and developing marketing strategies to support over 200 farmers, reduce rural abandonment, and increase market penetration.
12	<b>LIST ALBANIA SHPK</b>	Fabio Leka	Tiranë	€ 44,000	€ 30,000.00	8	IT & Digital Solutions, Circular Economy, Recycling and Upcycling	An innovative online marketplace where users can buy and sell new and used items, vehicles, real estate, and post job listings, accessible via www.list.al and the LIST ALBANIA apps. LIST Albania addresses sustainability by facilitating the trade of second-hand items and reducing carbon footprints. The grant will allow LIST to create a Carbon Savings Feature that uses advanced technologies to calculate and report carbon savings from re-using and re-selling items, aiming to educate users on sustainability and environmental impact.
13	<b>RINORA</b>	Rakip Belishaku	Berat, Bashkia Dimal	€ 25,000	€ 19,980.00	6	Sustainable Agriculture, food processing, forestry, and fishing	This innovative startup is establishing a 1.6-hectare loofah sponge farm to produce high-quality, eco-friendly sponges for the global market. The startup aims to be the exclusive European company with a closed-cycle production model, from cultivation to international product launch. The grant will help Rinora establish a 1.6-hectare loofah farm with concrete poles, zinc wire trellis, and drip irrigation to enhance crop quality and yield, while incorporating a die click press to improve product shaping and productivity, thus creating a sustainable and competitive venture with positive economic and environmental impacts.





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14	<b>MEDAPP</b>	Gerion Treska	Tiranë	€ 11,440	€ 10,000.00	12	IT and Digital Solutions	The solution of MedApp, is a groundbreaking app that allows you to store and manage all your family's medical records in one place, with the capability to share them with healthcare providers for a limited time. It also provides access to a comprehensive database of doctors, clinics, hospitals, and pharmacies, complete with filters and live locations. Users can leave reviews, and healthcare providers can promote their services. The grant will help MedApp to build and test an MVP, populating it with data from healthcare providers, launching a marketing campaign, conducting three workshops for parents to promote the app, and releasing a new app version by the end of the year. The goal is to have over 200 users and more than 100 healthcare providers on the app, with 10-20% becoming paying customers.
15	<b>DOLL'APP</b>	Aneida Bicja	Tiranë	€ 12,400	€ 10,000.00	6	Circular economy	Doll'App is an online platform that revolutionizes fashion consumption by creating a marketplace for buying and selling pre-loved clothing, augmented with AR technology for immersive virtual try-on experiences. The grant will assist Doll'App in developing its Minimum Viable Product (MVP), conducting marketing for the launch, rolling out the ready app to the public, and initiating outreach to potential investors for further feature development. Post-launch, the focus will be on user acquisition and engagement, market visibility, investor engagement, data analytics implementation, and establishing sustainable partnerships with fashion brands and advertisers.
16	<b>HERITAGE PERSONALIZED EXPLORER</b>	Elva Leka	Tiranë	€ 10,313	€ 9,778.52	12	Tourism	An innovative AI-powered platform set to revolutionize how visitors experience Albania's rich heritage sites. HPE aims to implement a prototype that offers an immersive, interactive journey through Albania's historical and cultural treasures. The grant will help HPE implement the Heritage Personalize Explorer over the first year by conducting market research, engaging stakeholders, and ensuring regulatory compliance, developing and testing an adaptable AI-powered platform with multilingual and conversational capabilities, and launching a pilot program with a marketing strategy to scale to additional heritage sites.





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17	<b>EKOFUNGI</b>	Mevis Struga	Tiranë, Komuna Baldushk	€ 9,912	€ 9,412.00	12	Circular economy	<p>The startup aims the establishment of a BioLab in rural areas of Tirana for mushroom production using circular economy. By utilizing materials such as repurposing olive oil mill waste and olive oil branches as substrates for mushroom cultivation, the startup promotes sustainable resource management and closes the loop in waste management by producing bio-based material for agricultural use.</p> <p>The grant will help Ekofungi in capacity building by training technical staff in mushroom growing processes, setting up the bio-lab infrastructure, initiating lab operations, and conducting marketing activities to distribute mushrooms to three restaurants weekly, aiming to establish competent staff, efficient lab operations, compliance with safety regulations, and consistent mushroom production for distribution to restaurant customers.</p>
18	<b>GREENBOT - THE ECO FRIENDLY EDUCATIONAL ROBOT</b>	Geiv Tomço	Tiranë	€ 24,471	€ 19,311.00	12	Digital Education	<p>GreenBot represents innovation in educational robotics, integrating eco-friendliness with STEM learning to create a truly unique and impactful tool for schools and children. By utilizing recycled materials like 3D printing filament, GreenBot promotes environmental sustainability while providing an engaging platform for learning. Its user-friendly design and specially developed curriculum make STEM subjects accessible to students of all ages and learning levels, empowering teachers to effectively integrate robotics into their classrooms.</p> <p>The grant will support Greenbot in designing, developing, and piloting their educational robot project, aiming to impact 200 students in 10 schools in its first year, fostering interest and understanding in STEM subjects through interactive learning. Additionally, they plan to sell 15 units, generate income from app subscriptions and robot rentals, utilize recycled materials, conduct educational sessions and webinars, and create employment opportunities for youth involved in construction and teaching.</p>
19	<b>SKAITECH</b>	Arbi Bamllari	Tiranë	€ 64,950	€ 30,000.00	6	IT and Digital Solutions	<p>The first drone company in Albania, Skaitech manufactures the SQ-1, the first Albanian-built drone, offering customizations, repairs, and consulting services. Their comprehensive suite extends to AI, unmanned systems, robotics, IoT, and software development with the SKAITECH Cloud platform. The grant will help Skaitech to increase the drone fleet with LIDAR equipped UAV, which will allow it to offer mapping services for dense vegetation areas such as forests at high accuracy and to introduce LiDAR inspection for accurate forestry and infrastructure mapping.</p>





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20	<b>DOR ARTA HANDMADE</b>	Edlira Kurti	Librazhd, Fshati Spathar	€ 9,883	€ 9,280.00	9	Handicraft industry, Tourism, Hospitality, Recycling	Dor Arta Handmade, a startup rooted in the rich tradition of Albanian carpet weaving, revitalizes an ancient craft through a modern, innovative business model. Based in Librazhd and built on a family legacy, this venture transforms the traditional art of handloom weaving into an immersive cultural experience for tourists. The grant will help Dor Arta Handmade restore and enhance its existing atelier while preserving its traditional charm, invest in new looms to improve work processes and production, create new employment opportunities, and integrate atelier visits into touristic tours.

