

Entrepreneurship Support



15% of refugee business potential is in London

# AWARENESS RAISING FOR NEWCOMER BUSINESSES

## REFUGEE BUSINESS POTENTIAL IN THE UK

**135,000** refugees who have arrived in the UK over the past 10 years

**7,000 refugee entrepreneurs** who currently have not accessed business support in the UK

**1,000 refugee entrepreneurs** with the potential to start businesses in London

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## HIGHLIGHTING THE IMPACT OF COVID19







## **PROMOTING PRIORITIES FOR ACTION**



## London's Refugee Entrepreneurship Declaration

#### WHAT IS IT

A shared **statement of ambition** to support the expansion of business support services to 50% of London's refugee entrepreneurs.

#### **WHOSE IT FOR**

The declaration is for **public and private organisations and individuals** willing to support or expand services to include refugee entrepreneurs. The aim is to bring together the 20+ pre-existing organisations that are supporting refugee entrepreneurs in London, as well as inspiring new commitments from organisations not already involved in supporting this community.

#### **HOW WILL IT BE USED**

Signatories of the declaration will **be publicly announced in April** in advance of May's London Mayoral elections. The goal is to ensure refugee entrepreneurship remains on the radar of public authorities as we enter a new mayoral term.

#### **HOW TO GET INVOLVED**

TERN have published <u>a webpage</u> on the declaration and organisations are able to share & sign <u>here</u> the declaration throughout March.

## Full resource link here







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