

The logo for YEDI, featuring the word "YEDI" in a bold, purple, sans-serif font. A small orange square is positioned above the letter "i".

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The background of the cover is a low-angle, black and white photograph of several tall skyscrapers reaching towards a cloudy sky. The buildings are on the left side of the frame, creating a sense of height and scale.

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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York Entrepreneurship Development Institute

Financial Statements

December 31, 2021

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Independent Auditors' Report

To the Directors of
York Entrepreneurship Development Institute

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of York Entrepreneurship Development Institute which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2021, and the statement of operations and changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of York Entrepreneurship Development Institute as at December 31, 2021, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis of our opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. Those charged with the governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit. We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

Valente Pacitti, LLP

Licensed Public Accountants

Vaughan, Ontario
August 9, 2022

York Entrepreneurship Development Institute

(incorporated under the laws of Ontario)

Statement of Financial Position - December 31, 2021

(audited)

	2021	2020
Assets		
Cash	\$ 477,472	\$ 777,050
Accounts receivable	-	540
Taxes recoverable	21,232	45,123
Convertible loans (Note 3)	150,000	250,000
	648,704	1,072,713
Marketable securities (Note 4)	751,903	-
Investment in private companies (Note 5)	300,000	500,000
Property and equipment (Note 6)	496,266	547,861
	\$ 2,196,873	\$ 2,120,574
Liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 71,018	\$ 22,640
Government remittance payable	3,689	3,938
Deferred revenue	-	40,946
Unexpended program grant and loan (Note 7)	50,000	-
	124,707	67,524
Net Assets		
Net assets	2,072,166	2,053,050
	\$ 2,196,873	\$ 2,120,574

See accompanying notes.

Approved on behalf of the Board

Director

York Entrepreneurship Development Institute

Statement of Operations and Net Assets

Year ended December 31, 2021

(audited)

	2021	2020
Revenue		
Other income	\$ 697,540	\$ 1,338,868
Donations	860,828	677,897
Government grants	4,430	6,625
Gain on marketable securities	229,524	108,259
Gifts from other charities	-	163,718
Federal Government subsidy (Note 8)	10,000	10,000
	1,802,322	2,305,367
Expenses		
Charitable program expenses	1,598,172	1,279,824
General and administrative expenses		
Amortization	116,014	82,768
Professional fees	27,535	16,000
Office and general	14,575	16,116
Advertising and promotions	13,015	8,524
Unrebated HST	9,036	19,623
Bank charges	6,382	3,709
Telephone	5,657	4,544
Insurance	4,550	12,188
Repairs and Maintenance	1,901	-
Foreign currency exchange (gain) /loss	(13,631)	47,313
	1,783,206	1,490,609
Excess of revenue over expenses	19,116	814,758
Net assets, beginning of year	2,053,050	1,238,292
Net assets, end of year	\$ 2,072,166	\$ 2,053,050

See accompanying notes.

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Statement of Cash Flows

Year ended December 31, 2021

(audited)

	2021	2020
Cash provided by (used in):		
Operating activities		
Excess of revenue over expenses	\$ 19,116	\$ 814,758
Item not affecting cash		
Amortization	116,014	82,768
Gain on marketable securities	(229,524)	(108,259)
	(94,394)	789,267
Changes in working capital		
Decrease (increase) in taxes recoverable	23,890	(26,349)
Decrease in accounts receivable	539	46,186
Decrease in prepaid expenses	-	64,544
Increase in accounts payable and accrued liabilities	48,131	9,780
Decrease in deferred revenue	(40,946)	(236,944)
	(62,780)	646,484
Financing activities		
Proceeds from unexpended program grant and loan	50,000	-
Investing activities		
Marketable securities	(751,903)	15,006
Proceeds from sale of shares	200,000	-
Proceeds from sale of marketable securities	29,524	108,259
Investment in private companies	200,000	-
Convertible loans (Note 3)	100,000	(150,000)
Purchase of property and equipment	(64,419)	(438,372)
	(286,798)	(465,107)
Increase (decrease) in cash	(299,578)	181,377
Cash, beginning of year	777,050	595,673
Cash, end of year	\$ 477,472	\$ 777,050

See accompanying notes.

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1. Purpose of the organization

York Entrepreneurship Development Institute (the 'Company') is registered Canadian charity and as such is exempt from income taxes.

The Company was formed to provide free top tier business education and mentorship to innovative entrepreneurs from any sector or industry.

2. Summary of significant accounting policies

Basis of presentation

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations. Certain significant accounting principles are summarized below.

Measurement Uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations requires directors and management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results may differ from their best estimates as additional information becomes available in the future and adjustments, if any, are recorded as that information becomes known.

Cash and cash equivalents

The Company's policy is to disclose bank balances under cash and cash equivalents, including bank overdrafts with balances that fluctuate frequently from being positive to overdrawn and temporary investments with a maturity period of three months or less from the date of acquisition. Term deposits that the Company cannot use for current transactions because they are pledged as security are also excluded from cash and cash equivalents.

Marketable Securities

Investments are recorded and carried at fair market value. Unrealized gains and losses arising from the change in fair value of investments are recorded in the statement of revenue and expenses as gain on marketable securities.

Property and equipment

Property and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated amortization. Amortization is provided using the declining balance method over the useful life of the asset at the following rates:

Furniture and equipment	20% declining balance
Leasehold improvements	20% declining balance

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Financial instruments

The Company has elected not to disclose fair value information about financial assets and liabilities for which fair value was not readily obtainable. The fair value of cash, accounts receivable, investments, promissory notes and accounts payable is equal to their carrying amount given their maturity date.

Measurement of financial instruments

The Company initially measures its financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value, except for certain related party transactions that are measured at the carrying amount or the exchange amount, as appropriate. The Company subsequently measures all of its financial assets and financial liabilities at amortized cost, except for investment in private companies instruments that are quoted in an active market, which are measured at fair value. Financial assets measured at amortized cost include cash, accounts receivable, convertible loan and investment in private companies. Marketable securities are measured at fair value. Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost include accounts payable and accrued liabilities, and director's loan payable.

Revenue and Cost Recognition

The Company uses deferral method of accounting for revenue recognition. Unrestricted donations are recognized as revenue when received. Restricted donations are deferred and recognized as revenue in the year which the related expenses are recorded.

Contributed services

Directors and mentors volunteer their time to assist in the Company's activities. While these services benefit the Company considerably, a reasonable estimate of their amount and fair value cannot be made and, accordingly, these contributed services are not recognized in the financial statements.

3. Convertible promissory notes

In 2021 the Company has invested into a convertible promissory note in the amount of \$150,000, carrying at amortized cost. The note is receivable on demand on or after December 17, 2022 and bears interest at 5% per annum. At maturity, the convertible promissory note is convertible at the option of the Company into the most senior class or series of equity securities at a price per share offered by the debtor at that time.

4. Marketable securities

The carrying values and market values of the investments are as follows:

	Carrying Value 2021	Market Value 2021
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,176	\$ 2,176
Equities	205,941	247,052
Mutual Funds	510,735	502,675
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	\$ 718,852	\$ 751,903

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5. Investment in private companies

Investment in private companies is comprised of \$200,000 (2020 - \$200,000) invested in 328,828 common shares of 9223380 Ontario Inc., (The Chufa Co). During the year the Company made a \$100,000 investment in 750,188 common shares of Monkey Jobber Inc. These investments are measured at cost. These investments are assessed regularly for impairment and are written down if a permanent impairment exists.

6. Property and equipment

Comprised as follows:

	Cost	Accumulated amortization	Net 2021	Net 2020
Furniture and equipment	\$ 56,016	\$ 19,727	\$ 36,289	\$ 16,357
Leasehold improvements	739,393	279,416	459,977	531,504
	\$ 795,409	\$ 299,143	\$ 496,266	\$ 547,861

7. Unexpended program grants and loans

During the year, YEDI received \$50,000 in funds from a private funding source, Tritops Capital Inc., whereby the use of the funds is restricted to certain projects or programs. Unexpended program grants and loans provides the co-investors with the opportunity to co-invest in other investments made by YEDI from time to time. The Company will earn a fee of 50% (Investment fee) of the profit received from the approved investment. Such fees shall be withheld by YEDI prior to the distribution of any income or profits distributed by YEDI. Any income or profits distributed by YEDI in respect of such Approved Investment shall be proportionately distributed to all Participants.

8. Canadian Emergency Business Account Loan (CEBA)

The Canada Emergency Business Account (CEBA) is a government initiated program administered through chartered banks to provide small business corporations with lending options during the COVID-19 pandemic. The loan is interest free until December 31, 2023; bears 5% per annum interest starting January 1, 2024 and requires no principal repayments before December 31, 2023. If the loan remains outstanding after December 31, 2023, only interest payments are required until full principal is due on December 31, 2025. If the loan is repaid before December 31, 2023 it is eligible for a loan forgiveness of \$10,000. As the Company has repaid the loan before this date, the loan forgiveness of \$10,000 is recognized in the current year.

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9. Related party transactions

In the normal course of business, the Company employed its president as a faculty instructor and president of the Company. Included in the charitable program expenses is compensation paid to the president of \$218,494 (2020 - \$182,250). These transactions were made in the normal course of business and have been measured in the financial statements at exchange amount.

10. Financial instruments

The company is exposed to various risks through financial instruments. The following analysis provides a measure of the company's risk exposure and concentrations at the balance sheet date.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk the company will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The company is exposed to liquidity risk arising from meeting its payments to creditors including accounts payables. The company's ability to meet obligations depends on the receipt of funds from its operating activities in the form of revenue.

Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will cause a financial loss for the other party by failing to discharge an obligation. The company has exposure to the credit risk arising from taxes recoverable.

Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises three types of risk: currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk. The entity is not exposed to either of these risks.

Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. Approximately 45% of the company's revenues are in foreign currency. As at December 31, 2021, cash of \$336,352 (2020 - \$259,669) is held in USD dollars and converted into Canadian dollars.

Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The company is not exposed to interest rate risk

Other price risk

Other price risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk), whether those changes are caused by factors specific to the individual financial instrument or its issuer, or factors affecting all similar financial instruments traded in the market. The company is not exposed to other price risk.

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11. Subsequent events

In preparing these financial statements, the Company has evaluated subsequent events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure through the date the financial statements were available to be issued, and determined the following subsequent event requires disclosure in the financial statements.

Since January 1, 2020, the spread of COVID-19 has severely impacted many local economies around the globe. In many countries, including Canada, organizations and businesses are being forced to cease or limit operations for long or indefinite periods of time. Measures taken to contain the spread of the virus, including travel bans, quarantines, social distancing, and closures of non-essential services have triggered significant disruptions to organizations worldwide, resulting in an economic slowdown.

Global stock markets have also experienced great volatility and a significant weakening. Governments and central banks have responded with monetary and fiscal interventions to stabilize economic conditions.

The Company has determined that these events are non-adjusting subsequent events. Accordingly, the financial position and results of operations as of and for the year ended December 31, 2021 have not been adjusted to reflect their impact. The duration and impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, as well as the effectiveness of government and central bank responses, remains unclear at this time. It is not possible to reliably estimate the duration and severity of these consequences, as well as their impact on the financial position and results of the company for future periods.

12. Comparative figures

The financial statements have been reclassified, where applicable, to conform to the presentation used in the current year.