

**SURVEY QUESTIONNAIRE ON
SOCIAL WOMEN ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN THE KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA**

(Set A - For Social Women Entrepreneurs)

Social enterprise name: _____

Name of the founder/s (optional) _____

Year of establishment _____

Part I. Status of Social women entrepreneurship in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

1. What is the mission or aims of your social enterprise? _____
2. What are the key activities or social issues your enterprise is currently doing and given priority?

3. Who are the major beneficiaries of your enterprise key activities?

Part II Challenges faced by women social entrepreneurs

Instruction: Below are information needed by the researcher in order to determine the challenges faced by women social entrepreneurs in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. Please rate your perception based on the following scale:

- 5 – Strongly Agree
4 – Agree
3 – Neutral
2 – Disagree
1 – Strongly disagree

Challenges	5	4	3	2	1
A. Financing					
1. Social entrepreneurship ventures are still obscured and untried.					
2. The reluctance of agencies to fund women social entrepreneurial ventures.					
3. Ownership and regulatory issues.					
4. Infancy stage of a non-profit venture's capital market.					
5. Non (or less) allocation of seed funds for non-profit ventures by GOs or PVOs.					
B. Regulatory Framework					
1. Access to government licensing options.					
2. Regulatory environments and bureaucratic procedures.					

3. Gender-specific obstacle.					
4. Capacities to facilitate governmental procedures.					
C. Technical Support					
1. Integrating technological innovations in the business process.					
2. Measuring the social impact and effectiveness of social enterprise.					
3. Support for management consultancy, legal counseling, marketing, financial, and enterprise planning and development.					
4. Finding and building a venture team.					

Part III. Strategic management measures towards fostering social entrepreneurship in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

Instruction: Below are information needed by the researcher in order to determine the strategic management measure for fostering social entrepreneurship. Please rate your perception based on the following scale:

- 5 – Strongly Agree
4 – Agree
3 – Neutral
2 – Disagree
1 – Strongly disagree

Strategic Measures	5	4	3	2	1
A. Access to Funding					
1. Government to assist incentivize new sources of funding in favor of social entrepreneurship implementers.					
2. Banking industry to unlock bank lending to bankable social entrepreneur organizations					
3. Donor agencies to combine capital funds for social entrepreneurship purposes with mentoring & technical support.					
4. Government to conduct a self-assessment of social entrepreneurial landscape in the country.					
5. Government to provide mentoring along with capital					
6. Government to boost access to funding					
7. Social Entrepreneurs to ensure that capital source is the right one at the right time					
8. Corporate groups to align their CSR fund to social entrepreneurship endeavors of tested groups					
9. Corporate business enterprises to set up their a corporate social entrepreneurship venturing unit as part of their corporate social responsibility					
10. Corporate business enterprises to do business with social entrepreneurs					
2. Entrepreneurship Culture					
1. Concerned government and private agencies to assist social entrepreneurship from stigma of failure.					
2. Concerned government and private agencies to open the door for excluded talent.					
3. Concerned government and private agencies to assist well-deserving implementers showcase their success.					
4. Governments to promote the power and value of social entrepreneurship as an allied engine of economic growth.					

5. Concerned government and private agencies to create more networking opportunities for social entrepreneurship in the country.					
6. Social entrepreneur groups to share their success story to the public for promotion campaign.					
7. Well-experienced social entrepreneur associations to help and mentor the next generation of social entrepreneurs.					
8. Corporations to sponsor social incubators and accelerators.					
9. Corporations to recognize the contributions and success of social entrepreneurs.					
3. Taxation and Regulatory					
1. Target reforms and incentives for each step of the social entrepreneur's journey					
2. Reduce the administrative burden of tax and regulations to social					
3. Give social entrepreneurs a voice on reform					
4. Reduce the indirect tax burden					
5. Simplify the tax system					
6. Give social entrepreneurs a voice on regulation					
7. Simplify insolvency rule					
8. Stimulate innovation					
9. Corporations to share public policy experience					
10. Corporations to drive change					
11. Social entrepreneurs to use tax simplification methods to improve cash flow and decrease compliance costs associated with paying taxes					
12. Social entrepreneurs to explore government resources know their research and development (R&D) incentives					
4. Education and Training					
1. Governments to embed entrepreneurial learning & social entrepreneurship into the school curriculum.					
2. Government to support young people who chose a social entrepreneurial career.					
3. Government to encourage lifelong learning for entrepreneurs of all types.					
4. Social entrepreneurs look for the educational opportunities that suit their needs.					
5. Social entrepreneurs to give back to help others.					
6. Social entrepreneurs seek out and learn from other classes of entrepreneurs.					
7. Social entrepreneurs to give back to help others					
8. Corporations to expand internship programs to social entrepreneurs to provide more hands-on experience					
5. Support Coordination					
1. Social enterprise promoters to champion social entrepreneurship with united thinking.					
2. Social enterprises to cluster the right kind of support to social entrepreneurs for them to thrive effectively.					
3. Social enterprises to promote business incubators with social entrepreneurs for them to play a pivotal role.					
4. Government to create clusters to accelerate social entrepreneurship nationally.					
5. Government to build stronger links between different players in the ecosystem.					

6. Government to support and improve incubators and accelerators.					
7. Social entrepreneurs to capitalize on networking and collaboration.					
8. Social entrepreneurs to give back to the community their talents & expertise.					
9. Social entrepreneurs to join an incubator or accelerator for all classes of entrepreneurship.					
10. Social entrepreneurs to choose their target location carefully.					