

Jerusalem Talented Student Incubator (JTSI): a portrait from within

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Jerusalemites live in the city of Jerusalem, stuck between the rock of occupation and the hard place of isolation. Because of the apartheid wall, talented students in particular suffer from depression and a lack of opportunities. Alnayzak, an organization for promoting scientific innovation, developed a special “incubator” for those youths, aiming to create a space of hope for them to be able to reach for a better future for themselves and their wounded city. This presentation will describe the experiences encountered and lessons learned in meeting the needs of Jerusalem’s youths.