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#### **MISSION**

To champion youth entrepreneurship across

Canada by providing pre- and post-launch

coaching, business resources, start-up financing

and mentoring to empower young Canadians,

age 18-34, to start and grow a business that

contributes to sustainable economic development

in their communities.

#### **VISION**

Driving Canada's business success by helping youth help themselves.

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On the cover:

CYBF Entrepreneur: Tal Dehtiar, owner of Oliberté Footwear

**CYBF Mentor:** Lawrence Zimmering **CYBF Community Partner:** CYBF

Inception: 2009

Jobs Supported: 257 in Canada and Africa

**Location:** Oakville, Ontario **Website:** www.oliberte.com

Oliberté, one of CYBF's most successful socially-minded start-ups, manufactures premium casual footwear made exclusively in Africa, providing stable jobs and regular income to a region so desperately in need.

To read more about Tal's entrepreneurial journey, visit http://www.cybf.ca/story-gallery/success-stories/ontario/Oliberte.pdf

#### **Celebrating and Cultivating**

# Young Entrepreneurs

CYBF is the 'go to' place for youth entrepreneurship. As a national charity we invest in aspiring young entrepreneurs, age 18-34, to enable them to start and build successful businesses. These businesses represent a significant economic injection into our communities — creating new jobs and seizing opportunities that will contribute to the overall vitality of our country.

Now celebrating 14 years, CYBF has invested in more than 4,000 young people whose companies have generated more than 17,500 new jobs, CAD \$114 million in tax revenues and hundreds of millions of dollars in sales and export revenues.

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#### Message from the

## Chairman & CEO

For CYBF, 2010 was a year that will be remembered as a giant leap forward and a truly historical one at that. From strong growth to enhanced success ratios, from leading a new culture of entrepreneurship in Canada to international recognition, CYBF proved itself as a leader at all levels of youth entrepreneurship both at home and abroad.

We are most proud of the 17.7 per cent growth in our core start-up program. In fact, we now launch a new entrepreneurial business every 15 hours around the clock! In 2010, our portfolio success rate increased by .42 basis points to over 94 per cent, well above our international peer group in the Prince's Youth Business International network. With 17,500 new jobs created and nearly \$115 million in taxes and revenues pouring in from the businesses we have helped to start, CYBF has grown to become a critical contributor to Canada's economic future from coast to coast to coast.

2010 was also the year in which CYBF hosted the world's inaugural G20 Young Entrepreneur Summit (G20 YES) in Toronto, from which the G20 Young Entrepreneurs' Alliance (G20 YEA) was born. As a founding member of the G20 YEA, we are incredibly proud of the rapid momentum and impact this initiative has taken on in less than a year! The G20 YEA met in Seoul, Republic of Korea in November 2010 to complete our charter and we are preparing for the second G20 Young Entrepreneur Summit to be held November 2011 in Cannes, France where CYBF will represent Canada alongside 20 of our country's top young entrepreneurs.

CYBF is equally proud to be the Canadian lead and host of Global Entrepreneurship Week (GEW) through 2012. We are enormously proud that our efforts were recognized in March 2010 when CYBF accepted the "Country of the Year" award on behalf of Canada for our strong campaign. Last November, we engaged more than 350 partners to hold more than 700 events right across Canada with the common goal of encouraging and building a stronger culture of entrepreneurship.

Perhaps the most exciting part is what the future holds for CYBF. In the next five years, our expansion plans will create nearly 6,800 new businesses and nearly 34,000 new jobs. Our focus on a new innovation program will ensure Canada's most innovative young entrepreneurs can make us proud, and a national peer networking program will bring together young entrepreneurs and their mentors to build a groundswell of ideas, energy and support. We are poised to grow more entrepreneurs, to connect them, and to provide the leadership through partnerships to showcase – to Canadians and to the world – the magic that can happen when you believe in someone with a brilliant idea and the fire of entrepreneurial spirit in their belly.

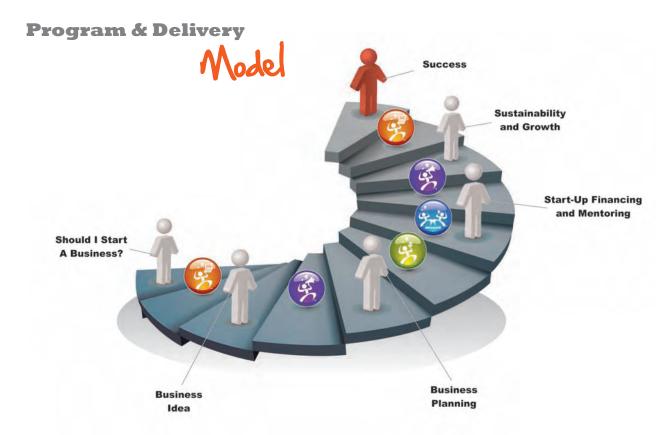




John Risley Chairman, Clearwater Fine Foods & Chairman, CYBF

Vivian Prokop
Chief Executive Officer,
CYBF







Pre-Launch & Post-Launch Coaching



**Online Business Resources** 



Start-Up & Expansion Financing



World-Class Business Mentoring CYBF knows that encouraging the innovation, creativity and fearless determination of Canada's young people is essential to driving the long-term economic growth, prosperity and competitiveness of our country.

We do this by offering young Canadians, ages 18-34, four fully-integrated programs to ensure the healthy start and sustainability of their new business ventures:

- Pre- and Post-Launch Coaching
- · Online Business Resources
- Start-Up and Expansion Financing
- World-Class Business Mentoring

With a 94 per cent repayment success rate, we know our business model works.

We invest our time and money in aspiring young entrepreneurs who have a great business idea – but need help to make it happen.

Our core programs provide young people with the tools they need to get started and become the next generation of business leaders and economic contributors.

Through our valued relationships with 161 community partners, CYBF is able to champion economic development from coast to coast to coast. Community partners are the local storefront for CYBF reaching more than 1,200 urban and rural communities. By working with volunteer loan review committee members, our community partners help aspiring young entrepreneurs develop robust business plans while guiding them through the CYBF process, ensuring their future success.

# Impact & Highlights

The year 2010 marked a monumental year for CYBF. Not only did we exceed every business objective, we also hosted the inaugural G20 Young Entrepreneur Summit.

Our successes this year were made possible thanks to our hard-working community partners, mentors, loan review committee members and the unwavering support of our board, staff and supporters.



**Start-Ups:** 579 new businesses launched, representing a 17.7 per cent increase over fiscal 2009

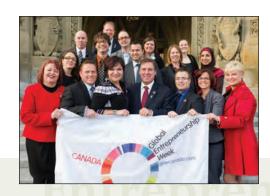
**Volunteers:** 574 volunteers joined CYBF, a 14 per cent increase over fiscal 2009

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**Repayment rate:** 94 per cent business start-up repayment rate, despite a challenging world economy

#### **Championing Youth Entrepreneurship:**

- Strategic Government Roundtables: Hosted Hon. Rob Moore, Minister of State (Small Business & Tourism) at two CYBF roundtables on the future of youth entrepreneurship in Canada.
- G20 Young Entrepreneurs' Summit: Created and hosted the inaugural Summit resulting in the development of a communiqué identifying five key policy issues to unlock the potential of young entrepreneurs in the G20 countries. This communiqué was presented at the G20 Business Summit in Toronto.
- G20 Young Entrepreneur Alliance: Founded a new international team and movement for collaboration among leading organizations supporting entrepreneurship.
- Global Entrepreneurship Week (GEW):
  - Signed a three-year MOU to host Global Entrepreneurship Week Canada through 2012.
  - Recognized as Global Entrepreneurship Week Country of the Year 2009, competing against more than 80 countries, including the United Kingdom, Russia and the United States.
  - Hosted GEW Canada 2010. Engaged more than 350 partners, executed more than 700 initiatives that engaged more than 100,000 Canadians. Ran a robust advertising, media and online campaign that reached millions of Canadians with more than 130 million message impressions.























#### Fiscal 2010 Highlights

#### **Programs:**

- **Newcomer Entrepreneur Program:** Launched specialized national program for newcomers to Canada.
- **Innovation Program:** Pilot successfully completed with national launch planned for fiscal 2011.
- Entrepeer Program: Launched phase one of this new program dedicated to building a community for CYBF key stakeholder groups, allowing them to share best practices, do business and provide specialized value-based affinity programs. CYBF launched its communication initiative, Entrepeer Weekly, and its first affinity partner, the Canadian Federation of Independent Business.

#### Mentoring:

- Executed a comprehensive survey among mentors to create future best practices and programs.
- Enhanced online tools to meet educational needs of mentors.
- Launched mentor recruitment campaign to drive successful pipeline.
- Entrepreneur-In-Residence (EIR): Expanded EIR educational seminars that directly assisted in meeting start-up objectives.
- **Fundraising:** Contribution revenue raised \$12.8 million in fiscal 2010, a 79 per cent increase over fiscal 2009.
- Marketing: Supported business objectives with new and aggressive grassroots marketing and social media initiatives including outreach via Facebook, Twitter, YouTube and educational webinars.





# Pre-Launch & Post-Launch Coaching

#### **Entrepreneur-in-Residence**

Entrepreneurs are the building blocks of Canadian communities. But just as they provide the foundation for their local economies, they need support and assistance to launch and grow their businesses.

CYBF offers young people a hands-on, business advisor known as an Entrepreneur-in-Residence who can offer the coaching they need to develop a successful business throughout the entrepreneurial lifecycle.

The EIR provides young entrepreneurs with assistance on:

- Creating a solid business plan
- · Developing financial strategies
- · Obtaining a business license
- Developing a good credit rating
- Sharing best business practices
- Facing and dealing with economic challenges
- Expansion and human resource challenges

#### Fiscal 2011 Goals:

- Increase the number of young entrepreneurs successfully helped through the Pre- and Post-Launch Coaching process by 20 per cent
- Expand the EIR educational seminar series Canada-wide
- Hire second EIR to work with entrepreneurs in Western Canada

CYBF made this opportunity work.
Without their support, resources
and investment, we would not be
where we are today.

Alia El Banna Owner, KIWI Choice







# Start-Up & Expansion Financing

#### Start and Grow with up to \$45,000\*

CYBF is proud to partner with the Business Development Bank of Canada (BDC) to offer qualified entrepreneurs with up to \$45,000 in financing – based on character and a great business idea, not collateral. This unique partnership provides young entrepreneurs with access to start-up and growth capital through CYBF's application process.

### **Starting up:** Get up to \$45,000\* in start-up financing!

CYBF provides eligible young entrepreneurs with start-up financing of up to \$15,000, with flexible three to five year repayment terms. Through the BDC partnership, CYBF approved applicants have access to two BDC dollars for every one CYBF dollar. That's a total of up to \$45,000 in seed capital with one application!

## **Growing the Business:** Expansion financing up to \$30,000\*

CYBF and the BDC recognize that once entrepreneurs have launched their business, supplementary financing may be required to grow or expand their business. That is why we offer qualified entrepreneurs, who have been in operation between 36 to 60 months, with expansion financing of up to \$30,000 with one application.

#### **CYBF's** Favourable Interest Rates

1st year: prime lending rate +2 per cent 2nd year: prime lending rate +1 per cent

3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> years: prime lending rate

\*please refer to www.cybf.ca for a complete listing of eligibility criteria and complete details related to all financing options

#### Fiscal 2011 Goals:

- Invest in 640 new start-up businesses: a 10 per cent increase over fiscal 2010
- Invest in 40 newcomer businesses
- Launch Innovation Program

#### **Eligibility Requirements:\***

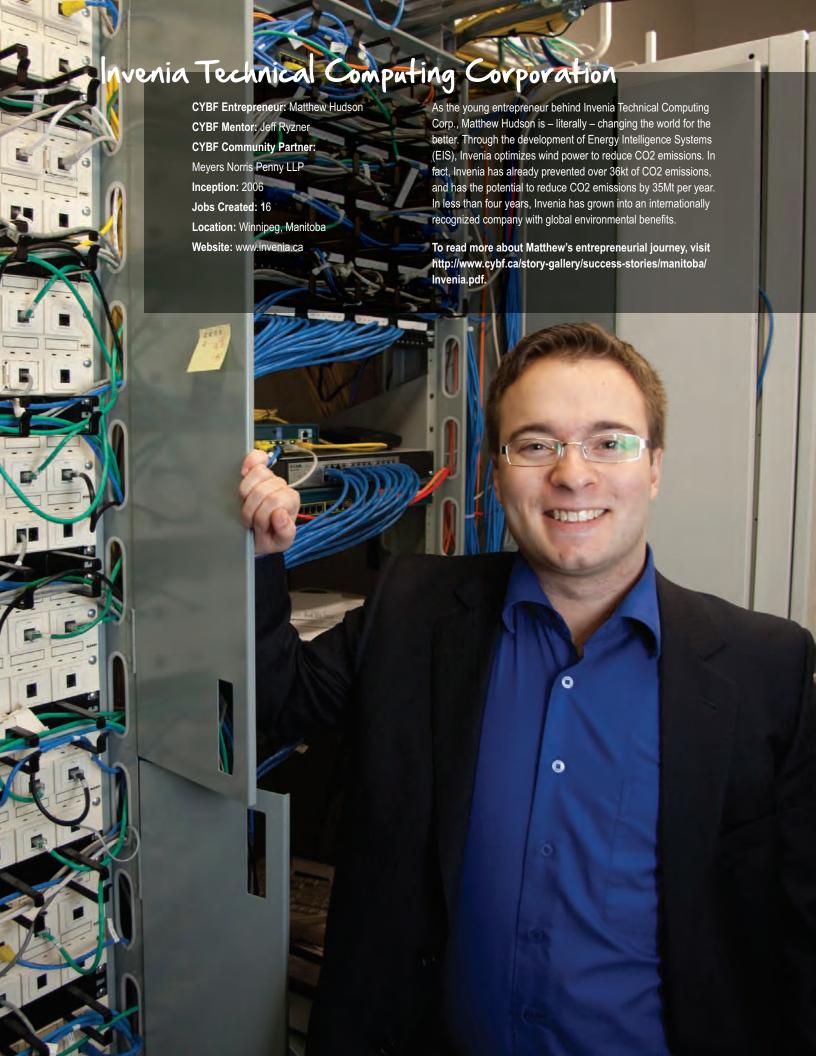
- Age 18-34
- Eligible to work in Canada (work permit holders not eligible)
- · Have a viable business plan
- · Business is new or under a year old
- Must agree to work with a business mentor for a minimum of two years
- Business creates full-time sustainable employment for the applicant
- · Not a full-time student
- Loan proceeds may not be used for the refinancing of existing debt

CYBF's contributions and assistance were a critically important part of moving from concept to realization. Between the role of our mentor, the support framework and financial assistance, Invenia would not be the company it is today without the help of CYBF.

**Matthew Hudson** 

Owner, Invenia Technical Computing Corporation







#### **World-Class Business**

# Mentoring

Why do the businesses started by CYBF have a successful repayment rate of more than 94 per cent?

Because we believe that CYBF's mentoring program truly works.

Our roster of highly qualified and dedicated business mentors bring years of experience and first-hand knowledge to the young entrepreneur. CYBF mentors encourage, share their knowledge and help to guide young entrepreneurs through every obstacle.

CYBF hand-matches every entrepreneur with a business mentor for a minimum of two years, to ensure they have support during the critical start-up phase. CYBF's MENT2B™ online orientation program creates a framework for and a relationship contract between the mentor and their mentee.

Globally recognized as an industry-leading initiative, CYBF's mentoring program is a template for success for many of the 40 countries within The Prince's Youth Business International network.

#### Fiscal 2011 Goals:

- Increase mentor pipeline to support the 640 start-ups for fiscal 2011
- Launch ongoing and regular networking events for mentors and entrepreneurs
- Enhance online tools, resources and information for mentors
- Launch Mentor-In-Residence (MIR) pilot program

I was so happy and relieved to find CYBF. The fact that I was hand-matched with a mentor to help support and guide me, is far more valuable than any traditional loan I could have received.









#### **Business**

### Resources

The right tools at the right time: one thing every young entrepreneur needs in their toolbox.

As the 'go to' place for youth entrepreneurship, CYBF offers a centralized online Business Resource Centre that provides a wide variety of tools, tips, stories and data to meet the needs of entrepreneurs, mentors and community partners.

Our resource library is always expanding and updated to include:

- Inspiring case studies to get entrepreneurs on the path to success
- An interactive business planner to take the guesswork out of planning
- Financial tips on taxation, cash flow and more
- Marketing tips and other how to's
- · Educational tools, forms and applications

#### Fiscal 2011 Goals:

- Continue to provide robust educational tools for all stakeholders
- Develop new web platform to offer an easily searchable and better organized resource library
- To explore new partnerships that will bring new resources and value to our entrepreneurs, mentors and community partners

CYBF's resources were available to us when others were not.

They opened doors — something we desperately needed during the growth stages of our business.

Ken LeBlanc
President & CEO, PropertyGuys.com



## Property Guys.com

CYBF Entrepreneurs: Ken LeBlanc, Jeremy

Demont, Dale Betts, Walter Melanson

CYBF Mentor: Dannie Brown

**CYBF Community Partner:** Enterprise Greater

Moncton, serving the Greater Moncton area

Inception: 1998

Jobs Created: 345

**Location:** Moncton, New Brunswick **Website:** www.propertyguys.com

Ken LeBlanc, Jeremy Demont, Dale Betts, Walter Melanson of PropertyGuys.com Inc. are true entrepreneurial inspirations. The foursome launched their innovative online real estate business in 1998 with a collective \$100 in their pockets. Today, PropertyGuys.com is Canada's largest private real estate network, with more than 120 franchises serving over 600 communities across Canada.

To read more about Ken, Jeremy, Dale and Walter's entrepreneurial journey, visit http://www.cybf.ca/story-gallery/success-stories/newbrunswick/PropertyGuys\_founders.pdf



#### **Championing Youth**

## Entrepreneurship

In today's knowledge-based economy, many young people recognize that they cannot rely on a position in traditional industries. Jobs are scarce, experience levels are high. Young people can no longer expect prosperity or security. They need to create it themselves.

Furthermore, with up to 71 per cent of small business owners set to retire in the next five to 10 years, the future of this country will depend on an increasing number of young people who are willing to start their own business.

We need to transform the Canadian economy from one that relies largely on our resources and the initiative of others to one that is based on the ideas and initiative of each Canadian. We need to support our aspiring young entrepreneurs in order to cultivate the next generation of business leaders.

This is why CYBF has made "Championing Youth Entrepreneurship" a deliverable for every part of our core program. We know that by celebrating and encouraging entrepreneurship through grassroots, regional, national and international initiatives, we will be part of the cultural shift that will transform Canada in the coming decades. We will work to find ways to encourage the dreams of entrepreneurs, support their ideas, to fund their businesses and to help make those businesses sustainable.

We believe that young entrepreneurs represent Canada's best future hope for generating the ideas that will drive economic development, innovation and prosperity.

#### Fiscal 2011 Goals:

- CYBF will once again host Global Entrepreneurship Week Canada efforts for 2011
- CYBF will represent Canada at the G20 Young Entrepreneur Summit 2011 in France
- CYBF will continue to represent Canada through the G20 Young Entrepreneur Alliance
- CYBF will forge new partnerships to drive a culture of youth entrepreneurship across Canada
- CYBF will work with governments to help develop youth entrepreneurship strategies that will further drive economic prosperity

Together we can provide the support young people need to fire their imaginations, transform their ideas into businesses, and build a better tomorrow for us all.



Vivian Prokop

Chief Executive Officer, CYBF







### By investing in CYBF you are investing in Canada's future

CYBF plays a vital role in advancing the economic vitality of communities all across Canada. We cannot do what we do without the partnerships forged and the financial and in-kind investments from corporations, governments, foundations and private individuals. On behalf of thousands of young entrepreneurs we have supported, thank you for believing in CYBF's vision and in helping to realize the dreams of Canada's future business leaders.

#### Fiscal 2010 Highlights:

CYBF is most grateful to the following partners, who joined us this fiscal year in raising more than \$16,000,000 in new funding to support our programs:

#### Corporate/Foundations:

- · Business Development Bank of Canada
- TD Canada Trust
- The Gwyn Morgan & Patricia Trottier Foundation
- The Keg Spirit Foundation

#### Governments:

- · Government of Alberta
- Government of Canada (Industry Canada)
- · Government of Prince Edward Island
- Government of Ontario
- · Government of Québec

CYBF's generous media partners enabled us to reach millions of Canadians through extensive advertising and promotional campaigns, by providing us with more than \$1,000,000 of in-kind support:

- National Post
- · Clear Channel Outdoor Canada
- Captivate Network
- Outdoor Broadcast Network
- Fokus Media
- Canadian Student Magazine
- · Hill & Knowlton Canada

#### **Supporters**









CIBC Small Business (Founding Sponsor)
Government of Québec
RBC Foundation (Founding Sponsor)



\$1,000,000 - \$5,000,000

Government of Alberta Government of Ontario TD Canada Trust



\$250,000 - \$1,000,000

BMO Financial Group
Bombardier Inc.
Clearwater Fine Foods Inc.
The Counselling Foundation of Canada
Groupe AXOR Inc.
Groupe Canam Inc.
The John Dobson Foundation
Scotiabank



\$50,000 - \$250,000

Accenture
Business Development Bank of Canada
Government of British Columbia
The Gwyn Morgan & Patricia Trottier Foundation
The Keg Spirit Foundation
McCarthy Tétrault LLP
Research In Motion
Spin Master Ltd.
Watermark Design





#### Fiscal 2011 Goals:

- Raise CAD \$12.8 million for program delivery
   Impact: 640 new start-ups; 3,200 new jobs (estimated)
- Obtain CAD \$1 million in in-kind support
   Impact: increased program awareness, increase in start-ups and mentors and reduced operational costs
- Continue to build affinity program partnerships
   Impact: special discounted offers

for CYBF stakeholders

#### The Need

The small business sector is being negatively impacted by two factors: the retirement of an estimated 71 per cent of small business owners over the next five to 10 years, and ongoing economic challenges. Canada needs to cultivate an entrepreneurial spirit and encourage more young people to become entrepreneurs, and CYBF needs your investment to help make this happen.

#### **Ways to Partner**

Support your youth-focused social responsibility and business objectives by investing in the CYBF program: start-up financing program, mentoring program, special national programs such as Global Entrepreneurship Week, sponsorship of events, and so much more.

#### Types of Support:

- Cash investment
- In-kind investment
- Stocks, bonds, mutual funds, GIC investments
- · Affinity program investment
- Volunteer investment

#### **Benefits**

- Help drive Canada's entrepreneurial culture and global competitiveness
- Directly contribute to Canada's economic recovery and growth
- Invest in launching new start-up businesses that in turn will invest in you
- Provide skills development and knowledge sharing opportunities for your employees
- Associate your brand with the leading 'go to' place for youth entrepreneurship

#### **Getting Started**

To learn more about how you can get involved please contact:

Vivian Prokop, CEO Tel: (416) 408-2923 ext. 3001 Email: vprokop@cybf.ca





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#### **AUDITORS' REPORT ON CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

To the Board of Directors of The Canadian Youth Business Foundation

The accompanying condensed statement of financial position and statements of operations and cash flows are derived from the complete financial statements of The Canadian Youth Business Foundation ("CYBF") as at September 30, 2010 and for the year then ended on which we expressed an opinion without reservation in our report dated November 19, 2010. The fair summarization of the complete financial statements is the responsibility of management. Our responsibility, in accordance with the applicable Assurance Guideline of The Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants, is to report on the condensed financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements fairly summarize, in all material respects, the related complete financial statements in accordance with the criteria described in the Guideline referred to above.

These condensed financial statements do not contain all the disclosures required by Canadian generally accepted accounting principles. Readers are cautioned that these statements may not be appropriate for their purposes. For more information on CYBF's financial position, results of operations and cash flows, reference should be made to the related complete financial statements.

Chartered Accountants, Licensed Public Accountants

Toronto, Canada November 19, 2010

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#### **Condensed Financial Statements**

#### CANADIAN YOUTH BUSINESS FOUNDATION Condensed Financial Results Statement of Financial Position As at September 30

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ASSETS		2010		2009
CURRENT				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	9,381,901	\$	4,139,752
Short-term investments Loans		992,086		3,706,362
Other current assets		4,409,367 263,781		3,378,730 232,971
Other current assets		15,047,135		11,457,815
LOANS		11,027,741		8,927,477
CAPITAL ASSETS, net	\$	51,753 26,126,629	\$	82,017 20,467,309
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LIABILITIES				
CURRENT	•			007.500
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$	688,580	\$	627,586
DEFERRED RENT, CONTRIBUTIONS AND GRANTS		8,008,904		8,213,075
		8,697,484		8,840,661
NET ASSETS		17,429,145		11,626,648
	\$	26,126,629	\$	20,467,309
CANADIAN YOUTH BUSINESS FOUNDATION				
Condensed Statement of Operations				
Year ended September 30				
		2010		2009
REVENUES	_		•	
Contributions	\$	12,854,106	\$	7,176,384
Loan interest and fees income Investment and other income		871,498 59,607		674,630 113,579
Investment and other income		13,785,211		7,964,593
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EXPENSES Entrapropourial programs		A 277 EA7		2 476 144
Entrepreneurial programs Mentoring		4,277,547 641,003		3,476,144 866,377
Promotional events		1,194,940		141,775
Administration		1,029,615		946,467
Fundraising		839,609		690,534
		7,982,714		6,121,297
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$	5,802,497	\$	1,843,296
CANADIAN YOUTH BUSINESS FOUNDATION				
Condensed Statement of Cash Flows				
Year ended September 30				
		2010		2009
NET INFLOW (OUTFLOW) OF CASH RELATED TO THE				
FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES				
OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Cash received from contributors	\$	12,586,814	\$	10,603,267
Cash received from principal payments		3,564,886		2,559,645
Loan advances		(8,213,150)		(6,670,600)
Other operating activities		(5,349,794) 2,588,756		(3,840,640) 2,651,672
FINIANCING AND INVESTING				
FINANCING AND INVESTING		2,653,393		(335,180)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents during the year		5,242,149		2,316,492
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Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year		4,139,752		1,823,260

A complete set of audited financial statements may be obtained through the National office by calling (416) 408-2923 ext. 2124.



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#### **Management Commentary On Financial Results For 2010**

Fiscal 2010 marked the fifth consecutive year of significant growth as we issued a record 579 advances to young entrepreneurs totaling \$8,213,150, an increase of 87 start-ups over last year. Youth entrepreneurship is leading the way as the Canadian economy grows out of the 2009 recession.

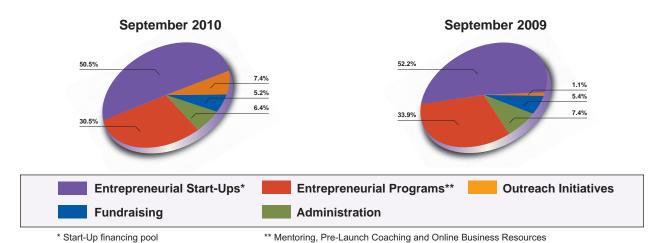
Federal and Provincial government support are key to CYBF's success to date and to our future. The 2009 Federal Government grant of \$10 million provided the key funding for 2010 and the Federal Government has provided a new \$10 million grant to fund our growth in 2011. The \$5 million Province of Québec funding over the next five years was finalized in 2010 and \$1.85 million was received during the year. These funds are critical to continuing the growth of CYBF.

Our five year Strategic Plan has been updated to 2015 as we have exceeded the growth targets for the last three years. CYBF is now growing into a much larger organization with significantly increased capacity to support the youth of Canada in their business endeavors. Innovation, green and newcomer funding initiatives are now in their test phases and will be key parts of our growth in the coming years.

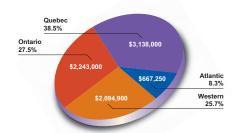
We continue to manage our overall operations in an efficient manner with administration expenses representing only 6.4 per cent of our total resource utilization. 81 per cent of our resources were used to fund our start-up, mentoring and education programs.

CYBF is now the leader of entrepreneurship in Canada. We hosted the extremely successful inaugural G20 Young Entrepreneur Summit in June 2010 and followed this with an a very active set of initiatives during Global Entrepreneurship Week (GEW) in the fall of 2010.

#### **How Our Financial Resources Were Utilized**



Loans Advanced In Fiscal 2010





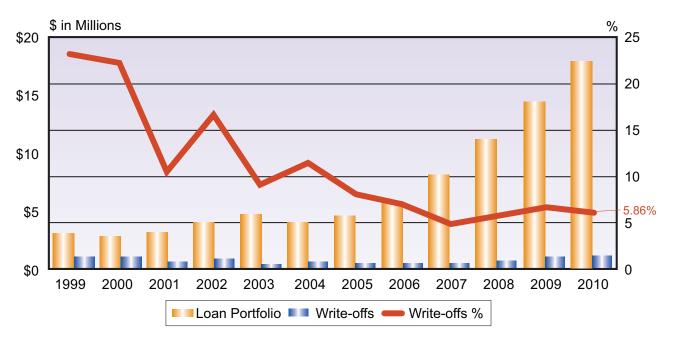
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#### **Effectively Managing Our Loan Portfolio**

Our loan portfolio, before loan loss provision, has now grown to \$18,079,000 with 1,633 young entrepreneurial companies currently benefiting through our start-up financing. Québec led the way with 221 start-ups totaling \$3,138,000. Ontario followed with 156 start-ups at \$2,243,000 and British Columbia showed strong growth to almost \$1,451,000 in new loans. The annual write-offs decreased slightly to 5.86 per cent of our average loan portfolio during the year as we continue to monitor arrears closely and the quality of applicants sent to us through our community partner network continues to be strong. This is also evidence of the critical role played by the mentors who advise each and every one of our young entrepreneurs on the road to their business success.

Our active community partner network now stands at 161. It is largely through these partnerships and the loan review committees throughout the cities and towns of Canada that we achieve our growth targets. They are all to be congratulated for their role in CYBF's success to date.

#### **Loan Portfolio and Annual Write-offs**



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#### **Investments**

#### CANADIAN YOUTH BUSINESS FOUNDATION

**Investments at Market Value** 

As at September 30

	2010	2009
OPERATING CASH CASH EQUIVALENTS	\$ 173,841	\$ 265,461
Cash in investment accounts earning 30 day T-bill rate Treasury bills	70,064	146,460
Other commercial paper SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS	9,137,996	3,727,831
Treasury bills Other commercial paper	992,086	1,099,418 2,606,944
	\$ 10,373,987	\$ 7,846,114

#### **Investment Policy**

CYBF has an Investment Policy with an active management strategy that has been approved by the CYBF Board of Directors. The primary objective of CYBF's investment portfolio is to:

- 1. Preserve its capital;
- 2. Provide liquidity to meet disbursement requirements as required over the next three to five years;
- 3. Maintain appropriate diversification; and,
- 4. Generate investment returns relative to these guidelines and prevailing market conditions.

The Investment Guidelines of this policy are quite extensive and in all instances CYBF shall adhere to the Prudent Person Principle whereby it shall invest and manage investments according to investment policies, standards and procedures that a prudent person would exercise in making investment decisions regarding property belonging to others.

In general, eligible investments include high quality government and commercial paper that do not exceed three years in maturity. No asset-backed securities, mortgage-backed securities, equity securities, derivatives, commodities, and securities not denominated in Canadian dollars are allowed.

The long-term return objective of CYBF's investments will be to meet or exceed the annual inflation rate as denominated by the published Canadian Consumer Price Index.

CYBF's return objectives will only be pursued in accordance with CYBF's tolerance for risk and ability to take risk with invested funds. Risk mitigating action with respect to funds invested will be focused on ensuring that CYBF maintains the real (inflation adjusted) value of its investment portfolio, meets its disbursement requirements and protects its capital.

CYBF will engage investment advisors/managers who have an industry proven record of adhering to internal investment guidelines designed to ensure a consistent approach to risk control through well-defined diversification and quality standards.

A copy of our full investment portfolio and Investment Policy may be obtained through the National Office by calling (416) 408-2923 ext 2101.



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A national organization such as CYBF could not succeed without significant leadership and involvement from a highly engaged and effective Board of Directors and Business Advisors. On behalf of Canada's young entrepreneurs, mentors and partners, we would like to thank these individuals who freely give their time; providing us with strategic advice, operating experience, support for our fundraising efforts, and help to champion youth entrepreneurship.

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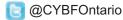
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