

C4DLab — University of Nairobi's Public-University Tech Incubator and Intel/UNICEF Partnership

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Quality score: 52/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Founded in 2013 inside the University of Nairobi's School of Computing and Informatics, C4DLab runs staged startup incubation and, from 2016, partnered with Intel and UNICEF to embed design-thinking and IoT training for its cohorts.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured results	1/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	1/3
Scalability	1/3
Sustainability / continuity	2/3
Innovation	2/3
Inclusiveness / equity	1/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	3/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-08-30

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