

Gaza Sky Geeks — Palestine's Tech Accelerator Rebuilding After War

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Quality score: 67/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Founded in 2011 by Mercy Corps and Google, Gaza Sky Geeks trained thousands of coders a year and helped nearly 30 startups raise funding, until its Gaza offices and feeder universities were destroyed in the 2023-24 war, forcing a fragile rebuild.

Key dimensions

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

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-08-19

[Gaza Sky Geeks \(Mercy Corps\)](#) — accessed 2026-08-19

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