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**Accelerators Guru & International Keynote Speaker ■ Start-Up Ecosystem Builder ■**

**Startup Nation & TEDx Tech Speaker**

### **Education**

- B.A in Economics and Logistics from Bar-Ilan University
- L.L.B from The Academic Center of Law and Business

### **Professional Experience**

- Established the following Accelerators:
  - [EVE Femtech Hub](#)- **Women Digital Health** (since 2018)
  - [Collaborative Intelligence](#) in New Delhi India (since 06/2017)
  - [GatIT](#)- **Smart Cities** municipal program (since 04/2017)
  - [TLV Generator](#) (since 01/2017)
  - [iHLS](#)- First in the world **Defense and Home Land Security** Accelerator (since 2016)
  - [Publicis TEMA Accelerator](#)- Publicis Israel (since 2015)
  - [ACT Entrepreneurship](#)- Shenkar design college (since 2014)
  - [Startup SCE Beer-Sheva](#)- Sami Shamoon College of Engineering (since 2013)
  - [Startup SCE Ashdod](#)- Sami Shamoon College of Engineering (since 2013)
  - [The Galilee Accelerator Carmiel](#)- ORT Braude- College of Engineering (since 2013)
  - [Startup Leadership Program TLV](#)- Hertzog, Fox Neeman Law Firm (since 2012)
- I mentor and consult startups & accelerators worldwide, mainly in Italy, Austria, Latvia, Lithuania, Russia, India, China, Romania, Spain and Azerbaijan
- I am an angel investor in technology startups, serving also as chairman and director in a variety of companies and startup
- I consult and mentor CEO's of medium and largescale companies, on management skills as well as business development and marketing
- I am a keynote speaker and professional lectures on Startup Nation's Eco-System, presenting a wide overview regarding entrepreneurs challenges in making reality out of a dream, the era of accelerators, Incubators, startups, founders, angel investors, VC and everything in between, paving the money brick road to success. Some of my international lectures are sponsored by Israel's Foreign Affairs and Economy Ministers, others are by special invitations of leading international conferences
- I was the CEO of Optimum Group since 2001-2012. Optimum Group is a premier global provider of information visualization, IT products and services for documenting all facets of engineering, production, maintenance and technical training

**Some of my Videos** (Additional videos can be found on [YouTube \(Tal Catran\)](#) and [Facebook](#))

[Femtech- Women Empowerment](#) (Tbilisi Georgia Mar. 2018)

[Collaborative Intelligence Accelerator](#) (New Delhi India Mar. 2018)

[Innovation Market](#) (Kiev Ukraine Dec. 2017)

[How to improve the Macedonian startup ecosystem](#) (Macedonia Nov. 2017)

[Euregio Startup Festival Tyrol](#) (Innsbruck Austria Nov. 2017)

[Heroes Innovation Festival- Maratea Italy](#) (Italy Sep. 2017)

[Entrepreneurship lessons to be learnt from Israel](#) (India June 2017)

[Everything you need to know about startup acceleration with Tal Catran](#)

[Why to become an entrepreneur?](#) (LITHUANIA- LOGIN Startup Fair 2016)



[From Dreamers to Do'ers \(Hebrew only\)](#)

**Some of my Interviews:**

[In Israel, failure in start-ups is looked as milestone in path of success](#) (INDIA 2018)

[Government should lower barriers for startups: Israeli innovator Tal Catran](#) (INDIA 2017)

[Don't ever think you know everything](#)

[Entrepreneurs are Visionaries, Always Low on Resources](#) (LITHUANIA- LOGIN Startup Fair 2016)

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*Tal is the undoubted Accelerators Guru, **founded 10 accelerators programs in Israel and several globally**. Tal is also a renowned Keynote Speaker sharing his toolbox of knowhow with entrepreneurial ecosystems worldwide. Tal serves as advisory board and chairman in a variety of companies and technology startups. His experience enables him to establish and enhance entire startup ecosystems. Tal's active involvement with startups, accelerators, innovation hub and major players in the entrepreneurial ecosystems stretches from Israel to Austria, Italy, Romania, Russia, Georgia, Macedonia, Azerbaijan, Uzbekistan, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Finland, Ukraine India and China. Tal brainstorms with municipalities, government offices and financial leaders to format the right recipe that would serve as a wakeup call and motivation boost, to get the ecosystem engine running.*

Look me up in the following links:

