

Join us at a Zoom presentation by:
Mr. Meir Yaacoby, Chief Engineer
Innovation: Africa



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Innovation: Africa

Innovation: Africa is an Israeli NGO bringing solar and water technologies to rural African villages. Their Chief Engineer, Meir Yaacoby, will share about Innovation: Africa's activities in 10 African countries providing light, clean water, food and proper medical care to more than 2.2 million people using solar energy. Meir will also share about some of the challenges they have faced over the years and the new in-house technology he is developing to provide an off-grid solar solution for schools, orphanages and health centers to receive light and refrigeration to store vaccines and medicines.



Mr. Meir Yaacoby, Chief Engineer, Innovation: Africa, USA-Israel

Mr. Meir Yaacoby is an Electrical engineer and a graduate of Tel Aviv University. Meir worked for Intel Israel, National Semiconductor and for the Israel Electric Company in the Business Development Unit where he was responsible for project design and implementation. Meir has been the Chief Engineer at Innovation: Africa for the past 6 years and led the development of iA's in-house remote monitoring system, for which received the Innovation Award at the United Nations. Over the past two years, Meir also developed an off-grid solar system solution to power schools and health centers called the Energy Box.

