



Annual Report 2024



"We are delighted to have had another very successful year supporting charities across South Yorkshire."

– Martin Singer, Chief Executive Officer

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Our mission is to support the leaders of our amazing voluntary sector organisations to access help and support from other experienced leaders. It has been so rewarding to see the growing impact of this work.

- Martin Singer, Chief Executive Officer



Summary



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We have now worked with a total of 58 voluntary sector leaders from across the region

£66k

Our volunteer mentors delivered an estimated £66k worth of free mentoring support this year!



- We successfully secured our charitable status (reg: 1205927)
- We received support from two funders and through continued private philanthropy



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100% of our mentees told us that they felt supported by their mentors and that their mentors had the skills and experience to help them

We have supported voluntary sector leaders from across South Yorkshire - including Barnsley, Doncaster, Rotherham and Sheffield

Our mentors are all volunteers and we have continued to add to our team throughout the year

Our team of mentors is South Yorkshire based & has a wide range of skills & experiences, drawn from many different professions



100%

Our mentors find mentoring to be a rewarding & positive experience

Our Board:



Tony Pedder, Chair



Nancy Fielder



Chris Hallam



Ruth Willis

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Martin Singer, Chief Executive Officer



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Feedback & Impact

"My mentor brought decades of relevant experience to help to navigate a significant strategic challenge...the work had a successful outcome..which exceeded our expectations"



"To put it simply, she has been absolutely amazing, and her mentorship has had a life-changing impact on me.

Working with my mentor has been an incredible journey of growth and learning "



"my mentor's objectivity and encouragement have contributed to building my confidence to turn [our charity] from a sinking ship to an (almost) thriving strategic player in the voluntary sector"

"my mentor really helped me to look at my role at the Charity and build on some of my knowledge gaps and also implement a new strategy"



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