

# BEYOND BANKING

COMMUNITY IMPACT

## JUSTICE EXPOSED EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM (JEEP)



### OVERVIEW

**Committed to serving as a second chance bank**, Industrial Bank started its work with the justice system in 2016 when 2 bank employees were volunteers with a local non-profit servicing currently and formerly incarcerated individuals. The organization **provided an eight-week program** that included financial education to young men between the ages of 14 and 17 who were housed in the Baltimore City jail charged as adults. In January 2018, the Bank partnered with the DC Department of Corrections **providing financial empowerment sessions to over 80 incarcerated men and women**. The first session began with groups in both medium and maximum-security levels and later included men ages 18 – 25 in a specialized group called Young Men Emerging (YME). Our financial empowerment program was not only well received by the residents of DC Jail and the YME group, but the surrounding community of non-profits dedicated to supporting returning citizens has also been extremely supportive of the Bank's efforts.

**Industrial Bank offers a unique “Community Banking” relationship designed for the justice exposed.**

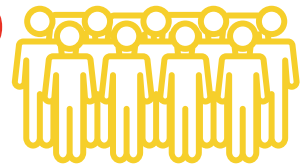
### CURRICULUM

- Session 1 : Bank Overview, Program Structure and Banking Basics
- Session 2 : The Importance of Saving and Budgeting
- Session 3 : Understanding and Managing Credit
- Session 4 : Effective Communication
- Session 5 : Purchasing Real Estate
- Session 6: Entrepreneurship or Requested Topic
- Session 7 : Graduation Ceremony/Presentation of Certificates by Industrial Bank President/CEO

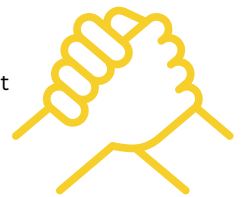
### IMPACT

over **1,000**

justice impacted individuals have experienced our program



Industrial Bank has participated in supporting returning citizens as they encounter freedom, in most cases for the first time in over 2 decades.



Serving

**Virtually**



Since 2021, Industrial Bank has partnered with several correctional institutions in various states to bring the same experience to incarcerated individuals virtually. We currently serve several Maryland facilities, Atlanta Georgia, New York and Chicago, Illinois

over **320**

Justice exposed individuals have graduated from our program



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