

Teaching girls to code through a medium they love

Vidcode is a software product that teaches teen girls computer science at scale.

# Meet the Team



Alexandra Diracles
CEO

Serial entrepreneur.
Ed-tech guru.
Fearless Leader.





Melissa Halfon CTO

Applied math genius.
Software developer.
Technical Wizard.



Lead Design

Designer.
Front End Developer.
UX Maven.







## Challenge

Computer Science is disconnected to teen girls' lives





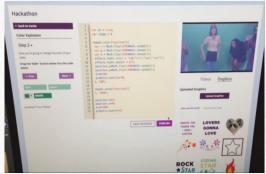




# How We Do It

Pair computer science with hobbies teens love









Design
Creative Thinking
Film



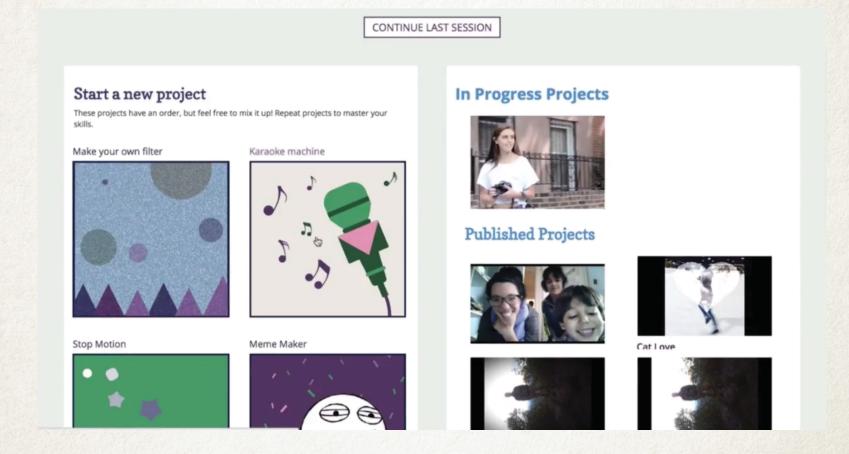
Code





**Share** 

### Link to Product Demo



http://bit.ly/vidcode2015

# New Population of Coders

**Girls and women 13-24** 

Market size > 60 million

Users of photo and video sharing platforms (Instagram, Youtube and Vine)



Participants in the online coding education market (Hour of Code)

>\$9B+ annual market opportunity

### Product/Market Fit

	RIGOROUS	CREATIVE	INCORPORATES SOCIAL MEDIA	DESIGNED FOR GIRLS
code cademy	X	X		
CodeHS		X	X	X
SCRATCH			X	X
<b>♥</b> vid <b>code</b>				

### **Business Model**



#### Freemium software + premium subscriptions

- Add ons
  - Premium education content
  - Teacher and Volunteer training/support



#### **First Market**

✓ Direct sales → organizations



#### **Future Market**

- Individual subscribers, at home
- Other demographics (boys, adults)

# Go to Market

#### Online

•Existing programs =

already aggregating kids

**Direct Sales** 

- Leverage their marketing power with ours
- •Reach of our current distribution partners
- > 20M seats

#### Channels

- Contests:
  - 1) Filmfests
  - 2) Challenges
  - 3) Hackathons
- Events:
  - 1) PTA meetups
  - 2) Educator workshops
  - 3) Maker Faires
  - 4) EDU conferences

#### Social media

- Teen magazines
- Celebrity Endorsements (currently partnered with Amy Poehler's Smart Girls)

### Traction

- ✓ Direct sales: 500 paying customers
- ✓ Online marketing: over 30K visitors, in 120 countries
- ✓ National Distribution Partners: Girl Scouts USA (9M), Amy Poehler's Smart Girls (150K), the White House TechHire(2M), Made w/ Code Google (1.5M), Millenium EDU/ Intel (15M)
- ✓ Short film about Vidcode presented by Mark Zuckerberg at F8 Developer Conference 2015 to 120K people.

#### Direct sales clients include:









### Retention



### Activity

✓ 1-2 user visits per week on average

### Output

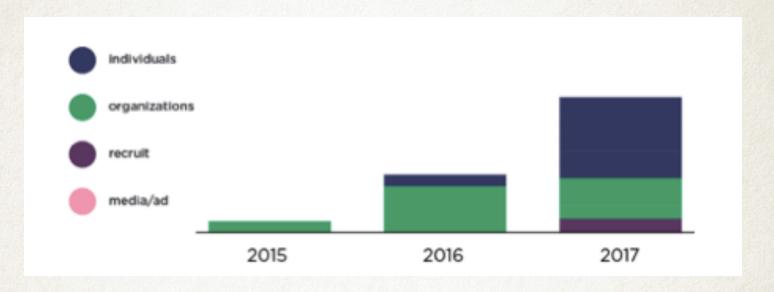
✓ 2.5 video projects created per visit

### Community/Completion

- √ 70% of users complete at least one lesson
- ✓ 35% of users share their videos with the Vidcode community and social networks (Facebook, Tumblr)

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	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2017	
Total <b>Monthly</b> Paying Customers	1,875 K	25 K	63 K	
Total Annual Revenue	\$66,453	\$2.7 mm	\$6.8 mm	
Total Annual Expense	\$163,075	\$352,987	\$852,987	
EBITDA	-\$96,622	\$2.34 mm	\$5.9 mm	

# Fundraising

#### **Previous Fundraising**

- Kickstarter \$33K
- Angel \$200K



#### **Advisor**

- Andy Moss, Microsoft
- Kathy Charlton, Kaplan
- Matt Candler, 4.0 Schools
- Thatcher Bell, CoVenture



#### **Use of Funds**

- Sales and Marketing Budget
- Product Development
- Software engineer
- BD + Customer Service
- Sales/ Marketing Lead



#### Fall 2015

#### Spring 2016

Summer 2016

- 2000 paid subscribers (30K MRR)
- Launch mobile app
- Run beta with national partner programs (Intel + Girl Scouts)
- Visualize learning outcomes

- 7000 paid subscribers (80K MRR)
- Automate group sales
- Pilot national partner programs (Intel + Girl Scouts)
- 20K paid subscribers (200K MRR)
- Roll out national partner program (Intel + Girl Scouts)

# **National Recognition**



WINNER: MOST INNOVATIVE & MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED











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