Angel Investing in the MENA Region
Where is the MENA Region?
A closer look

19 countries
400m people
<50% of population >30
$4bn in combined GDP
50% internet penetration
97% mobile penetration
GDP per Capita: USD5,000 – USD100,000
>50% smartphone penetration
The Ecosystem

- Dealflow? ✓
- Opportunities? ✓
- Valuations? ✓
- Legal Framework? ✓ / ❌
- Govt Support? ✓ / ❌
- VCs? ❌
- Exits? ✓
Why we are in Bahrain

- Nexus of markets, funding and the region
- High level of local human capital
- No Taxation
- Easy access to Saudi Arabia
- Easy access to regional deal flow
- Cheaper cost of doing business
- Perfect testing ground for expansion to the rest of the MENA region
- FTA with US