

In fiscal year 2022, Accompany Capital provided **\$1,475,913** in loans to 46 small businesses in Manhattan



#### About Manhattan

Manhattan is the smallest but most densely populated of the five boroughs. While home to globally important financial, corporate, and entertainment sectors, the majority of its businesses are small businesses and it is the US county with the 3rd largest number of Asian-owned businesses.

#### Total Borough Statistics

## \$9.8 Million in Loans

provided to 951 small businesses since 1997

## 90.3% of Loans to Refugees & Immigrants

621 immigrants and 235 refugees

## 49.3% of Loans to Women Owned Businesses

469 Businesses received \$4.3 million in loans

## 647 Jobs Supported

100 jobs created, 759.5 jobs retained since 2017

#### Impact

## In fiscal year 2022, Accompany Capital served 114 operating businesses

# 5

Businesses started

# 8

Businesses expanded

# 101

Businesses strengthened

# 28

Full time jobs created

# 8

Part time jobs created

# 324

Jobs retained

## Sarina Prabasi Buunni Coffee



Sarina Prabasi is Co-Founder of Buunni Coffee. Centered in Northern Manhattan, Buunni focuses on coffee and community building. Sarina and her husband Elias opened their independent coffee shop in Inwood when they moved from Ethiopia in 2011.

Sarina was named by both Fortune and Food & Wine magazines as one of the Most Innovative Women in Food & Drink, and she was honored by the New York Business Journal as a 2016 Woman of Influence. She is the author of the book, *The Coffeehouse Resistance: Brewing Hope in Desperate Times* which came out from Green Writers Press in April 2019.

Sarina participated in and was awarded a grant through a business pitch competition Accompany Capital hosted in partnership with Bridgehampton National Bank and went on to become an Accompany Capital loan client. She received a loan for \$25,000 from Accompany Capital in September of 2020 to help grow their subscription base and increase their online presence through digital marketing and advertising. Sarina also received PPP loans from Accompany Capital for all four of her locations for a total of \$141,205.