# \$250,000 in cash and prizes for the next big tech startups in BC

New Ventures BC Competition, presented by Innovate BC

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### **BC's largest startup competition**

- \$250,000 in cash and prizes
- Education seminars
- Networking events
- Mentorship
- Jury feedback
- Recognition









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## **Startup Seminar & Networking Series**

- April 7 | Product/Market Fit
- April 8 | Online Networking
- April 14 | Introduction to Pricing
- April 21 | Managing your Intellectual Property
- April 29 | Financial Models
- May 12 | HR 101 for Startups
- June 2 | Corporate Structure
- June 9 | The Pitch

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...more topics announced soon



# Mentorship

#### **Top 40:**

• Pitch coaching from Volition

#### **Top 25:**

- Team of 2-3 mentors from NVBC's network
- Mentor panel

#### **Mentor background:**

- 1. Entrepreneurs who have raised \$\$\$
- 2. Corporate finance experts
- 3. 10+ years domain experience







# Format

	Round 1 April 12	Round 2 + 2.5 May - June	Round 3 June - Aug.	Round 4 Sept.
# of Competitors	Around 170	From Round 1 down to 40	Up to 25	Up to 10
Requirements	Online entry form: eligibility	5-page plan+ 60-second video pitch	8-page plan + financials	Pitch to jury
Benefits	Seminars Networking	Seminars Jury feedback Networking Pitching	Seminars Mentorship Pitching Feedback Recognition	Prizes Media Recognition Awards

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## **Top Prizes**

- \$110,000 Innovate BC first-prize package
- \$60,000 Innovate BC second-prize package
- \$35,000 Innovate BC third-prize package
- \$10,000 Social Venture Prize
- \$10,000 Regional Startup Prize
- \$10,000 Woman-Led Venture Prize

Cash prizes are non-dilutive \*Prize details may change





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\$80,000 cash from BCIC

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Ecoation Innovative Solutions BCIC First Prize Winner

### **Past Winners and Successes**

AirG | Metalogix | Genologics Saltworks Pulse Energy | LightIntegra | Awesense Wireless Quadrogen Power Systems | Vonigo | AbCellera | Energy Aware (Neurio) | Mazza Innovation | MediaCore | AppBridge | Telemedig | Lungpacer Augurex Life Sciences | Aspect Biosystems | Certn Jane Software | MetaOptima | Ziva Dynamics DarkVision Technologies | Edvisor.io | Medimap Microdermics | Ecoation Innovative Solutions Microbiome Insights | Lumen5 | Cuboh | NiceJob | Open Ocean Robotics | Fable | Daanaa | aDolus





#### Guest Speaker: Udi Daon, CEO, Daanaa



## FAQs

- Entry fee
- Eligibility
- Registration process/questions
- Stage of venture?
- How much work will this be?
- What makes a winning venture?



### **Lead Partner**

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### **Gold Sponsors**



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### **Bronze Sponsors**





### Thank you!

Links: More info: <u>https://www.newventuresbc.com/compete/</u>

Application portal: <u>https://competition.newventuresbc.com/</u>

**Upcoming Events:** 

Tomorrow: Hiring your Salesforce webinar

April 7: Product/Market Fit webinar



April 8: Structured Networking event (online)

https://www.newventuresbc.com/category/events/



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