

TAG INVEST CONNECT

TAG Invest Connect, took place on October 24th at Southern Company Gas. In this event, startups owned by Georgia's entrepreneurs pitched their companies to a panel of investors, competing for a first-place prize of **\$10,000 and a second-place prize of \$5,000**.

OCTOBER 24TH, 2024



TAG Bridge Builders hosted a successful TAG Invest Connect 2024 on October 24th, a premier gathering aimed at bridging the gap between tech entrepreneurs and top-tier investors. This year's event offered a platform for early-stage Georgia-based startups to showcase their innovative ideas and network with a select group of over 40 distinguished investors.

The event featured a pitch competition with high stakes: a \$10,000 first-place prize and a \$5,000 second-place prize. Startups ranging from pre-seed to seed stages presented their business ideas, demonstrating the rich innovation coming out of Georgia's entrepreneurial ecosystem.

TAG Invest Connect 2024 wasn't just about the prizes; it was about creating opportunities. This exclusive gathering underscored TAG's commitment to fostering opportunity in technology and ensuring entrepreneurs have access to resources and relationships that can fuel their growth. Congratulations to this year's winners and participants who continue to redefine what's possible in the tech industry. TAG remains proud to support these startups and looks forward to seeing their continued success.



2024 TAG INVEST CONNECT PITCH COMPETITION FINALISTS



Tobenna Egbuna

Co-Founder/CEO Chezie



Patricia Marsh MD

Founder Ask Me Your MD, Inc



Dillon Moses

CEO Oceanview Al



Yamini Sagar

Founder & CEO Instarails



Pramod Sajja

President Farm To Plate Inc.

2024 TAG INVEST CONNECT PANEL JUDGES



Allyson Eman Venture Atlanta Conference



Junior Gaspard Fulcrum Equity Partners



Aaron Hurst Dogwood Ventures



Scott Lopano Tech Square Ventures



Sig Mosley

Zane

Ventures

PELOTON

Shachar Oren Sound Media Ventures

2024 TAG INVEST CONNECT COMMITTEE MEMBERS & PITCH COMPETITION COACHES



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2024 TAG INVEST CONNECT PITCH COMPETITION WINNERS

First Prize Winner Patricia Marsh MD

Founder, Ask Me Your MD, Inc



Second Prize Winner

Tobenna Egbuna Co-Founder/CEO, Chezie



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



















