

# SATELLITE 2017<sup>®</sup> STARTUP SPACE

Tuesday, March 7, 2017 | Located in the SATELLITE Unveiled Theater on the Exhibit Floor

## What is Startup Space?

Startups have become a large and influential presence in the commercial space industry. With new companies being created across the country and around the world, it's important that the entrepreneurs behind all of this activity are well-equipped and prepared to see their startups go from the "mission planning phase" to "launch."

SATELLITE 2017's Startup Space will give burgeoning entrepreneurs a chance to pitch their space startup idea to a panel of highly-qualified, experienced, and widely-recognized entrepreneurs, space professionals, and investors. The format of Startup Space will be a day long space startup pitch competition, and pitches will be organized into different groups based on their focus. Startup Space will be open to all SATELLITE attendees.

As a sponsor of Startup Space, your company can be a part of the innovation foundation, providing a company representative to sit on the panel of judges for a pitch group to give feedback to each presenter, and select the winning idea from that group.

## Contestants

**Luigi Balarinni**, *CEO*, Ragnarok

**John Bauman**, *CEO*, Launchspace Technologies Corporation

**Jason Budinoff**, *Founder & CTO*, bSpace Corp.

**Zach Burnham**, *Student*, Arizona State University / LunaH-Map

*Lead Ground Operations Engineer*, Aeternitas Aerospace

**Daniel Ceperley**, *CEO*, LeoLabs, Inc.

**Emile de Rijk**, *CEO*, SWISSto12

**Alain Gachet**, *President & Founder*, Radar Technologies International

**Jim Gledhill**, *President*, Teleira

**Simon Halpern**, *Founder & CEO*, Phase Four

**William Hosack**, *CEO*, Orbital Micro Systems

**Scot Loach**, *CTO*, Aterlo Networks

**Michael Lyon**, *CEO*, Xtronaut Enterprises, Inc.

**Janos Opra**, *Chief Business Development Officer*, Optisys LLC

**Adam Maher**, *President*, Ursa Space Systems, Inc.

**Christopher Richins**, *CEO*, RBC Signals

**David Shaw**, *Co-Founder & CCO*, Astrapi Corporation

**Christianna Taylor**, *CEO & Co-Founder*, Intelligent Space

**Guy Thomas**, *President*, C-SIGMA LLC

**Boris Yendler**, *CEO*, YSPM

**Vered Zur**, *Marketing*, NSLComm

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## Judges

**Chad Anderson**, *CEO*, Space Angels Network

**Robert Bell**, *Executive Director*, World Teleport Association

**Justin Cadman**, *Senior Vice President*, Raymond James

**Van Espahbodi**, *Partner, Co-Founder*, Starburst Accelerator

**Maher Ezzeddine**, *CEO* at Ideanco, *Chairman* of Harvard Business School Aerospace Alumni Group

**Dave Fischer**, *Head of Corporate Strategy and Startup Development*, Ball Aerospace

**Rafferty Jackson**, *Principal*, Jack Industries

**Steven Jorgenson**, *Managing Member*, Space Finance Group Holdings

**Will Porteous**, *General Partner & COO*, RRE Ventures

**Phil Spector**, *Of Counsel*, Milbank

**Tom Watts**, *Chairman*, Watts Capital Partners, LLC

## Remaining Sponsorship Opportunities

### Gold \$5,000 (Four Opportunities Available)

- One company representative to serve as a judge for one pitch group
- Premier branding in promo materials and onsite for Startup Space
- Reserved seating at the Satellite Executive of the Year Luncheon

### Silver \$2,850 (Four ~~Three~~ Opportunities Available)

- One company representative to serve as a judge for one pitch group
- Branding in promo materials and onsite for Startup Space

### Bronze \$1,200

- Branding in promo materials and onsite for Startup Space

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