



## H-TOWN ROUNDUP INNOVATION LEADERSHIP & MEDIA DAY

**H-Town Roundup Media Day: Tuesday, February 27, 2024 from 10:00am – 12:30pm**

**SPEAKER STORIES ARE SEPARATE FROM SUBMITTED STORIES**

Process: Invited guests and speakers will be at a breakfast beginning at 9:15am at Esperson. Registered media are welcome to join the breakfast to speak with guests that they have not identified prior to Media Day as an Interview Request. Guests are aware that Media will be onsite and they have committed to being available.

INVITED INTERVIEW GUESTS – Updated Daily

SPEAKERS HAVE BEEN INVITED TO MEDIA DAY – PLEASE SEE NAMES & BIOS ON THE HTR SPEAKERS

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**ADDITIONAL INDUSTRY LEADERS INVITED TO MEDIA DAY ARE INCLUDED IN THIS LIST**

Name	Organization / Comments
Al Ware	Founder & CEO of VoxBox
Alfredo Arvide	BluePeople & Tech and Tequila Talks
Andrew Ramirez	CEO Village Insights
Ashley Dewalt	Div Inc and the Collectiv
Bailey Kinney	Ex Director Lemonade Day Houston
Bill Bobbora	Third Coast Bank
Billy Cohn	TMCi
Blair Garrou	Ecosystem Trailblazer Recipient; Former Lead of Houston Exponential Board and Houston Innovation Council
Brandy Guidry	Pearland Innovation Hub
Brannon Albritton	JP Morgan
Brian Richards	Head of Houston Innovation Council
Bryan Luhn	UH Director of Media Relations
Carlos Estrada	Biowell
Christine Gabriel	Cameron Management
Damyana Cooke	Head of Black Founders Network
Darren Smith	Co-Founder and COO of Tradeblock
David Van Es	Kollect Fun
Dr. Toniesha Taylor	TSU Innovation and Communications
Eric Fishhaut	The Woodlands Area Chamber of Commerce Innovation Council
Isis Ashford	GREENS
Israel Wilson	Expert in Emerging Technologies
Jane Stricker	SVP and Executive Director
Jason Taylor	CodeLaunch Show Creator
Jeff Clark	CEO, Pressr
Jessie Martinez	LAS

<b>JJ Hollie</b>	President and CEO TWACC
<b>Jon Lambert</b>	CEO The Cannon
<b>Jonah Margulis</b>	Head of N.S. Aker Carbon Capture
<b>Joshua Taylor</b>	Head of Black Founders Network
<b>Julie Russ</b>	
<b>Ken Williams</b>	Founder of GROW
<b>Kody Bailey</b>	Equiliberty
<b>LaGina Harris</b>	The Us Space
<b>Liana Gonzalez</b>	RedLabs
<b>Maggie Segrich</b>	Sesh
<b>Matt Bonasera</b>	CodeLaunch Show - Last year's Houston winner and won first the national competition
<b>Meredith Wheeler</b>	Sesh
<b>Michelle Avalos</b>	Impact Hub
<b>Mike Brown</b>	Win Win
<b>Mitra Miller</b>	Houston Angel Network
<b>Morris Chen</b>	Cameron Management
<b>Muriel Foster</b>	Head of Gener8tor
<b>Natara Branch</b>	CEO, Houston Exponential
<b>Nate Thompson</b>	Co-Founder of HTX Sports Tech
<b>Oleg Lysiak</b>	Honeycomb Hackathon Team
<b>Paul Cherukuri</b>	Rice's First Vice President of Innovation
<b>Philip Yates</b>	Equiliberty
<b>Raheel Malik</b>	CodeLaunch Show Host
<b>Robert Johnson</b>	Business Advisor II at Ft Bend County SBDC
<b>Robert Pieroni</b>	Director of Italian Business Development
<b>Samantha Colletti</b>	Managing Director, Silicon Valley Bank
<b>Scott Gale</b>	Halliburton Labs
<b>Sergio Lucero</b>	Stellar Access – Houston Spaceport
<b>Skylar Laws</b>	Omni Space 360
<b>Sunny Zhang</b>	Born Global
<b>Susana Rosas</b>	CEO – Suyana Designs
<b>Tanu Chatterji</b>	Director UH Tech Bridge
<b>Timmeko Moore Love</b>	Houston GM Greentown Labs
<b>Vanessa Wyche</b>	Director NASA Johnson Space Center
<b>Veronica Woo</b>	Biowell
<b>William Schlitz</b>	COO, Pressr
<b>Zach Ellis</b>	South Loop Ventures