



VOLTA COHORT

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About Volta Cohort

Volta Cohort helps early stage, high calibre founders attract and secure venture capital sooner. The program provides mentorship, resources and investments of \$25,000 through a microfund co-founded by Volta, BDC Capital, Innovacorp and the Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency. Up to five companies are selected to join the program every six months.

Along with investment, Cohort companies are given space at Volta and access to a board of mentors comprised of CEOs and founders of Volta's Resident and Alumni companies. The board will meet with each company every two months and hold the company accountable for agreed upon milestones and metrics.

Between meetings, the companies have access to all relevant programming and support Volta provides. For companies outside of Halifax, support will be arranged with partnering organizations in other cities across Atlantic Canada.

A collaboration between:



Event Schedule

All times listed are in Atlantic Standard Time

5:30pm | Opening remarks from emcee, Sahil Ahuja,
Volta's Sr. Strategic Projects Coordinator

5:35pm | Welcome address by Martha Casey,
Volta's CEO

5:40pm | Pitches begin:

- Amp Health
- Detectica Inc.
- MyPAQ
- Reno Tree Inc.
- HosTech
- Myomar Molecular Inc.
- Spokesfan
- HOLLO Medical
- Air Clarity Solutions
- Storybox
- Parados
- MOC Biotechnologies Inc.
- Materiality
- Bluethumb Technologies

7:30pm | Judges' deliberation
Volta Changemaker Series video reel featuring
past Cohort winners

7:50pm | Winners announced
Closing remarks

Judges

Matt Cooper

Chief Innovation Officer, Volta

Tash Jefferies

Global Startup Sales, Marketing Mentor, Founder,
TashJefferies.com

Ben McDade

Investment Associate, Innovacorp

Evan Radisic

Portfolio Manager, Technology Investments, ACOA

Kimberly Yeung

Principal, Strategic Investments and Women in
Technology Venture Fund, BDC

Pitching Companies



Amp Health is on a mission to prevent 10 million people from developing chronic disease in the next 10 years. Their first product, Struggle app, uses unique behaviour change techniques to help prevent diabetes in prediabetics.



Detectica Inc. has developed a nanosensor platform to rapidly detect viral pathogens via saliva, blood, or nasal swab. It works for humans as well as animals.



MyPAQ is a sustainable way to get your everyday essentials. Their kiosks make it easy for you to get your personal care products in a way that is affordable, convenient, and sustainable.



Reno Tree Inc. connects homeowners with multiple lenders, and contractors to help streamline the home renovation process from start to finish.



HosTech is a one-stop virtual solution for all your health problems.



Myomar Molecular Inc. is developing a diagnostic tool to detect muscle loss.



Spokesfan is a social media platform for word of mouth recommendations.



HOLLO Medical Inc. is developing the next generation of holding chambers for inhaler users.



Air Clarity Solutions is developing an innovative air filtration technology that will reduce indoor air pollution, in turn allowing businesses and people to breathe easier.



Storybox is an interactive website that both informs and establishes a sense of community through one-on-one mentorship, videos, blogs, and podcasts.



Parados provides members of high-performance athletics and military organizations with the tools needed to reach and maintain their cognitive potential.



MOC
BIOTECHNOLOGIES
Incorporated

MOC Biotechnologies Inc. offers hybrid bioprinting technologies to clone hard and soft implants, scaffolds, tissues and organs to deliver world-class solutions for pharmaceutical companies, research centres and more.



MATERIALITY

Materiality is an intelligence platform to engage, track and communicate ESG issues critical to your stakeholders and your success.



Bluethumb Technologies is a fintech company that develops socially innovative financial technologies with the purpose of ending poverty in Canada.