Growth

Idea | Validation | Business Plan | Funding | Growth

After closing your first round of funding, ensure your company has the talent, mentoring, venture capital, and visibility to continue to grow.

Hiring
Posting on these job lists can help you grow your team.

- Austin Startup
- IEEE Central Texas Section
- STC Austin (Society for Technical Communication)
- Silicon Hills
- Austin on Rails
- Austin .NET User Group

Mentors/Advisors
Find mentors and advisors who will help you to refine your strategy.

- Rice Alliance (Austin Chapter)
- CleanTX
- Technology Advisors Group (TAG)
- eWomen Network (Austin Chapter)
- Techstars
- E3 Angel Network
- Texas Women in Business
- Central Texas Angel Network
- Access Ventures
- Hill Country Angel Network
- Wilco Angel Network
- Baylor Angel Network
- North Texas Angel Network
- Cowtown Angels
- Texoma Angels

Visibility

Competitions
By participating in a competition, you can present your pitch in front of investors and startup media.

- Austin Fast Pitch
- InnoTech Austin
- SXSW Accelerator
- SXSW Launchedu
- Global Venture Labs Investment Competition
- SXSW V2Venture
- SXSW Eco Startup Showcase

Sponsor Events
Through sponsoring a meetup group or other event, you can gain visibility for your business. The groups listed below accept sponsors for their regular meetups.

- AIGA Austin
- Austin .NET User Group
- Austin Adobe User Group
- Austin Javascript
- Austin Machine Learning Group
- Austin Mobile Professional Developers
- Austin PHP Meetup
- Austin Python Meetup
- Austin TechBreakfast
- Austin UXPA
- Cloud Austin
- Co-Founders Austin
- Financial Operations
- Girl Develop It
- OpenStack Austin

Funding from venture capital companies can help you expand your business.

- Austin Ventures
- Next Step Capital Partners
- Accent Capital
- Access Ventures
- Advantage Capital Partners
- Duchossois Capital Management
- Far West Capital
- ARCH Venture Partners
- Mercury Fund
- LiveOak Venture Partners
- Silverton Partners
- Adams Capital Management, Inc
• Covera Ventures Approach
• Emergent
• Triton Ventures