

LAUNCH RALEIGH PITCH CONTEST

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Diesha Banner
A Glass Above



DB

James Best
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JB

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ED

Carlotta Harper
Tasty Tweets NC Catering



CH



MD

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Triangle Social Media



DH

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MK

Michelle Kelly
Cravin' Sumthn'
Gourmet Cupcakes



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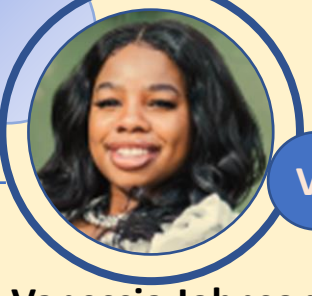
NS

Natasha Sessoms
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SG

Shauntel Gaines
Gaia's Gate



VJ

Vanessia Johnson
Church Is My Club



JS

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JUDGES

DR. ANGIE ARRINGTON [Judge Master]

Dr. Angie Arrington is the Founder & CEO of Evolve Consulting LLC where she operates as the Principal Consultant. In this role, Dr. Angie provides management consulting, leadership & professional development training and executive & management coaching. She is passionate about helping leaders evolve to being their best selves. Dr. Angie is a graduate of LaunchRaleigh's Cohort 2019 and the first Launch Graduate to earn six figures the first-year post Launch.



DR. ADRIAN ALLEN

Dr. Adrian Allen is a Consultant at Adrian Allen Consulting and Professor at the School of Business, Shaw University. Dr. Allen specializes in business management, marketing and operations. She is skilled in leadership, business, workforce development training and process improvement. She is a certified SCRUM Master



RYAN RAY

Ryan Ray is President & CEO of Jobs for Life, Founder of Triangle Entrepreneurial Leadership, and Founder of Year of the Black Entrepreneur. Ryan is engaged in numerous community and economic development activities including organizational leadership, consulting, public speaking, team building, and fundraising.



MIA LaMOTTE

Mia LaMotte is a brand and image consultant. Mia specializes in consulting and coaching professionals in building their brand, image, and business. She is a strategist, a tough leader, and an innovator with a "disruptive mindset" to help you break those old habits. Mia speaks, trains, and hosts podcasts among her many other community and business engagements.



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Who will walk away with the GRAND prize?



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