

# KAIROS 50

To whom it may concern,

It is our pleasure to announce we are now accepting applications for the inaugural Kairos 50, the first ever list to recognize the fifty most innovative student-run companies around the world. In order to be eligible, at least one student founder must currently be in college (Ph.D.'s not included). To officially be considered for recognition, please fill out the brief application form found at: <http://www.kairossociety.org/kairos-50/application>. The application deadline is December 24<sup>th</sup> at 11:59PM EST. If you would like to nominate a company, the nomination form can also be found on our website at: <http://www.kairossociety.org/kairos-50/nomination>. Please note that nominations are not required and provide no advantage other than another source to contact regarding company information.

The Kairos Society (<http://www.kairossociety.org>) brings together the leading university entrepreneurs worldwide to create innovative solutions to our world's greatest challenges. The Kairos 50 will be made up of diverse ventures with the ability to change the world through innovation in education, clean energy, healthcare, technology, commerce, and more. This distinguished list is highly selective and involves a rigorous selection process conducted by a panel of CEOs, students, and entrepreneurial leaders on the basis of global impact.

The winners will not only be published, but also invited to attend the highly prestigious Kairos Global Summit in New York City where 350 top young entrepreneurs will join 150 world leaders for a private three day gathering to create the next billion dollar companies that solve global problems. Members of the Kairos 50 will be given the chance to showcase their innovations on the trading floor of the New York Stock Exchange. The following morning the Kairos 50 winners will be invited to a private brunch at the Forbes Family Estate. Past mentors that have supported the Kairos Global Summit include former President William J. Clinton, Phil Condit (Former CEO, Boeing), Ellen Kullman (CEO, DuPont), Duncan Niederauer (CEO, NYSE), Peter Diamandis (Chairman, X-Prize Foundation), and more.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us by email at [kairos50@kairossociety.org](mailto:kairos50@kairossociety.org)

Sincerely,  
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