

OUR BRAND PILLARS:

DIVERSE

THE FACE OF INNOVATION. REDEFINED

In Chicago, our diversity is our greatest strength. We have a significant number of VC firms committed to investing in founders of color: Fifth Star Funds, LongJump, Chingona VC, CAST US, Capitalize VC, and TechRise

REAL

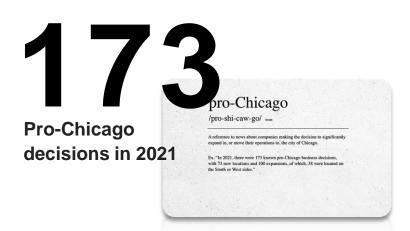
THE INDUSTRIES THAT DRIVE INNOVATION. REDEFINED.

In Chicago Midwestern pragmatism meets
21st century ambition to solve problems that
matter. We are not tech for tech's sake.

CONNECTED

THE ECOSYTEM FOR TECH.REDEFINED

In Chicago our companies thrive because of our infrastructure. We're home to tier-one universities We boast globally recognized R&D institutions, and our national and global centrality is unmatched.





Our companies address real problems, that matter to how we live our lives everyday.

- How do we feed the world sustainably? (e.g. Nature's Fynd)
- How do we improve precision medicine?(e.g. Tempus)
- How do we build an inclusive ecosystem?(e.g. GET CITIES)
- How do we create a zero-waste city (Rheaply)

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DIVERSE

market for angle and seed stage investments for black and Latin founders

(Crunchbase, 2022)



3rd

highest

concentration of CS and engineering grads in the U.S.

#1

most connected airport and rail hub in the U.S.

(TravelPulse)

CONNECTED

#1 private business backed tech incubator in the world

(UBI Global)



