

Northwest Xcelerator (NWX) - Xcelerating Black Building Tech Startups

EPIC Prize Round 2 - Design It! Submission

NWX is an emerging incubator based in Portland, Oregon whose mission is to increase community participation in climate solutions within Black and underserved communities. Our Minimum Viable Program (MVP) for this prize is centered on building a network of mentors, investors, educators, technicians and community stakeholders to actualize this mission. This network will utilize experts in public, private, and community-based sectors and will integrate the knowledge and resources necessary to support start-up creation through a culturally-relevant approach. NWX intends to utilize small teams over the next year to execute events, media, planning, and coordination of resources to foster network and program building. We intend to leverage feedback from key stakeholders to optimize improvement of the program in order to advance our organization's goals.

