Elevating Local Emerging Entrepreneurs



Learn from the Region's Premier Business Leaders

Next Level is a free dynamic accelerator from the Greater Washington Partnership designed to support small businesses in the Baltimore, Washington, DC, and Richmond markets. With curriculum supported by New Majority Ventures and live masterclasses with executives from some of the region's largest companies and universities, Next Level could be your launchpad to success.

Why Choose Next Level?

Access to Social & Technical Capital

Gain exclusive access to the expertise and resources of the Greater Washington Partnership's leading employers as masterclass instructors.

Personalized Connections

Connect with industry leaders and build direct relationships with Partnership companies to help you secure contracts and accelerate your business growth.

Free Certifications & Pitch Competition

Receive free access to W/MBE certification and participate in our concluding pitch competition to our audience of executives.

What You'll Learn







Next Level is funded by:





Ready to Join?

We invite applications from small businesses that:

- Operate within the Baltimore to Richmond corridor
- Provide relevant goods or services to Partnership companies' procurement partners
- Demonstrate potential to scale, with: (1) gross revenues of ~\$25K; (2) 5 or more active employees; or (3) 1-3 years of contracting history with commercial or government buyers.

Our program welcomes and supports entrepreneurs from all backgrounds and experiences, recognizing that innovation thrives when everyone has an opportunity to succeed. Next Level is designed to eliminate barriers and provide resources to ensure all talented founders can build successful ventures.

Apply Today

<u>Click here for the application to</u> our March – June 2025 cohort!

Applications close February 19th

To learn more and join our mailing list, reach out to:

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Our Network of Business Leaders





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