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Pioneers '19 Latest: Pitching Startups Revealed

Vienna – With Pioneers '19 now just three weeks away, we're excited to reveal the names of the 50 startups we've selected to pitch at our flagship event, which takes place in Vienna on May 9th-10th. We also share details of the prizes they'll win - that networking trip to Silicon Valley is on the cards once again!

As usual, the startups will be divided into seven pitching sessions, each with its own topic. The jury for each of these mini-contests will choose a winner to advance to the final eight, who will pitch on the Arena Stage on the second day. The last finalist will be a wild card voted for by the audience.

For those that make it through to the final, it will be hard to keep their minds off the big prize enjoyed by all our winners in recent years: an all-expenses paid networking trip to Silicon Valley. Once again they'll meet some of the most influential people in the Californian tech hub. The winner will also win the chance to have a video pitch professionally filmed by Austrian television network Puls4. In addition, two team members will receive a Talent Garden Flex membership for one year, while a team member of each of the remaining Top 8 finalists will take home a one-year Talent Garden Club membership.

Here are the pitching tracks, their definitions, and the startups who'll compete in each of them:

- **Moving the World:** Mobility or logistics startups working to transport people and goods faster, smarter and safer.

Startups: Recogni, Powhere, ONO, Naoris, MotionTag, Mashroom, ClearKarma, Carplane

- **Working Smarter:** Technology that solves pain points for businesses, helping them spend fewer resources on day-to-day processes or reach their goals more effectively.

Startups: ZAPIENS, Uhura, TPS Engage, Nexus Edge, Cubbit, ChiveOS, Alpha AR

- **Digital Economics:** Startups working on payments and transaction technologies, investment tools and financial management breakthroughs.

Startups: Xencio, Value3, USDX Wallet, Trality, RealMarket, Auquan

- **Augmenting Nature:** Deep science that pushes the bounds of nature, builds something new out of its elements – or puts it back in working order!

Startups: Oxford Cellentech, HepC, Genomtec, EcoPack, DropGenie, 9T Labs

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- **Powering a Sustainable World:** Startups with sustainable technology at their core, or which enable sustainable business practices.

Startups: SolCold, NiveauUp, MetGIS, HYDROGRID, Birds.ai, doro

- **The Good Life:** Technology that builds a safer, smarter or more enjoyable world.

Startups: Vicara, StoryBall, LogSentinel, H2L, crime.ai, Crashtest Security, COZYO, 1702ai

- **Living Long and Healthy:** Devices and software solutions that diagnose, analyse or monitor health issues or help us to live healthier for longer.

Startups: Kite Medical, HT Biolumaging, Gero, DX-Labtrack, contextflow, Breathe ILO, BrainTrip, 3D-SHAPER

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