




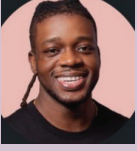









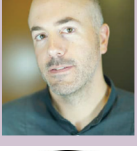


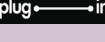




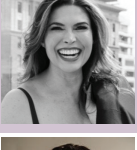




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## ACCELERATORS

Ranked by number of active cohorts

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Employee Benefits Firms

Rank	Company Name	No. of Active Cohort Companies	Accelerator Duration (in weeks)	Focus Areas	Investments Exits	Full-time Employees Year of Establishment	Founder	
1	 <b>MedTech Innovator</b> 907 Westwood Blvd. Los Angeles 90024 medtechinnovator.org	65	16	nonprofit global competition and accelerator for medical device, digital health and diagnostic companies	203 13	94 2013	Paul Grand	
2	 <b>MAGIC Fund</b> North Detroit St. Los Angeles 90046 magic.fund	50 <sup>1</sup>	10 <sup>1</sup>	a venture capital firm that seeks to invest in early-stage in companies	159 24	14 2017	Adegoke Olubusi	
3	 <b>GRID110</b> 800 Wilshire Blvd. Los Angeles 90017 grid110.org	28	12	economic development, inclusive entrepreneurship, community impact, early stage startups	N/A N/A	32 2012	Shrina Kurani	
4	 <b>MuckerLab</b> 1631 Electric Ave. Venice 90291 mucker.com	20	52	technology, consumer products, healthtech, B2B SaaS, media and content, data and analytics, e-commerce	N/A N/A	14 2011	Eric Rannala William Hsu	
5	 <b>USC Education Technology Accelerator</b> Waite Phillips Hall, 3470 Trousdale Pkwy. Los Angeles 90089 rossier.usc.edu	16	24	works with entrepreneurs who are developing promising technology solutions aimed at solving some of the most pressing educational challenges and improving educational access and outcomes for all learners	52 1	1 2018	Doug Lynch	
6	 <b>Techstars Los Angeles Accelerator</b> 3951 Higuera St. Culver City 90232 techstars.com	13	13	aerospace/defense, fintech, supply chain and logistics, and vertical SaaS	57 N/A	20 <sup>1</sup> 2016	Mat Kozlov	
7	 <b>LA Blue Accelerator by Braid Theory</b> 461 W. 6th St., Suite 201 San Pedro 90731 braidtheory.com	12	12	supports startups developing solutions within the blue economy, encompassing ocean, freshwater, and coastal regions	N/A N/A	5 2022	Ann Carpenter	
8	 <b>Science Inc.</b> 1447 2nd St., Suite 200 Santa Monica 90401 science-inc.com	11	16	direct-to-consumer services and marketplaces	126 N/A	17 2011	Michael Jones	
9	 <b>Cedars-Sinai Accelerator</b> 8601 Beverly Blvd. West Hollywood 90048 csaccelerator.com	10	13	health care	63 5	7 2015	James D. Laur	
10	 <b>Plug In Ventures</b> 12777 W. Jefferson Blvd. Building G, 3rd Floor Los Angeles 90066 pluginventures.co	8	12	validate and empower Black & Brown early-stage entrepreneurs	13 1	16 2014	Derek Smith	
	 <b>SCALE Aerospace Accelerator<sup>2</sup></b> 721 N. Douglas St. El Segundo 90245 starburst.aero/scale-accelerator/	8	13	emerging aerospace technologies, defense and security, market entry and product development, networking and partnerships, economic growth	120 <sup>1</sup> 4 <sup>1</sup>	100 <sup>1</sup> 2020	François Chopard	
12	 <b>Disney Accelerator</b> 1209 Grand Central Ave. Glendale 91201 sites.disney.com/accelerator/	5	12	technology	51 7	15 <sup>1</sup> 2014	Bonnie Rosen	
	 <b>Starburst Aerospace</b> 840 Apollo St., Suite 100 El Segundo 90245 starburst.aero	5	13	aerospace	N/A N/A	15 2012	Francois Chopard	
14	 <b>Preccelerator Program</b> 1316 3rd St. Promenade, Suite 107 Santa Monica 90401 preccelerator.com	4 <sup>1</sup>	13 <sup>1</sup>	technology	N/A N/A	5 2013	Len Lanzi	

<sup>1</sup> Business Journal estimate.

<sup>2</sup> Joint initiative between Starburst Aerospace and UCLA.

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