

## **Chamberlain Hrdlicka to Host Prestigious National Investing Event**

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### **Investors' Circle, world's largest early-stage impact investing network, takes "Beyond the Pitch" to Texas**

Houston, TX, December 18, 2014--Houston law firm, Chamberlain Hrdlicka, announced that it – and Texas – will be hosting one of the nation's most prestigious impact investing events for the first time when "Beyond the Pitch" comes to Houston on February 19. The event is one of three held annually and attracts investors from around the nation. Companies presenting at the event represent the energy and environment, impact software and media, education, global health and wellness and sustainable consumer product industries.

Investors' Circle members – which include angel investors, family offices, foundations and funds – are dedicated to moving capital into early-stage, for profit companies that address social and environmental challenges. Members invested nearly \$30 million into almost 80 companies from 2012-14. Investors' Circle is described by Forbes magazine contributing writer, Marissa Feinberg, as "the biggest, oldest, and baddest early-stage investor network supporting enterprises that better our world."

Unique to "Beyond the Pitch" events is that due diligence begins at the event and Investors' Circle also facilitates follow-up after the event, leading to above-average, historic investment rates of 50%.

As part of the event, Chamberlain Hrdlicka will present a workshop for the entrepreneurs, providing important legal information at a critical point in the development of the early-stage companies.

While attendees are not required to be Investors' Circle members, accredited investors who are interested in impact investing are encouraged to attend. Investor space is limited and discounts for early bird registration expire on February 5.

For more information and to register, please go to: <http://investorscircle.net/beyond-the-pitch-texas>

### **About Chamberlain Hrdlicka**

Chamberlain Hrdlicka is a diversified business law firm with offices in Houston, Dallas, Atlanta, Philadelphia, Denver and San Antonio. The firm represents both public and private companies as well as individuals and family-owned businesses across the nation. In addition to tax planning and tax

controversy, the firm offers corporate, securities and finance, employment law and employee benefits, energy law, estate planning and administration, intellectual property, international and immigration law, commercial and business litigation, real estate and construction law.

### **About Investors' Circle**

Investors' Circle is the largest early-stage impact investing network in the world. Together with hundreds of angels, venture capitalists, foundations and family offices, IC has propelled over \$185 million into more than 285 enterprises dedicated to improving the environment, education, health, and community. An entrepreneurial nonprofit organization, IC cultivates its impact investor network, provides opportunities for high-potential impact entrepreneurs to meet impact investors, and facilitates investment.

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