Nullspace Ventures: Fund Kickoff Summer Event

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Nullspace Ventures is an emerging pre-seed and seed fund focused on harnessing the best technical talent in undergraduate and graduate programs in America.

With our unique position of having friends in both venture and academic spaces, our purpose in starting this fund is to enable historically academia-focused individuals to create meaningful technological change in the world by bridging the two. We believe step-function technological changes will arise from innovative solutions to truly difficult engineering problems.

Our fellows program is our way of guiding technical ability in academia into entrepreneurship. Our fellows are objectively some of the smartest and most accomplished students in America in mathematics, physics, and computer science.

Our tentative fellows include IMO Gold medalists, USAPHO Silver medalists, first-place winners of the Regeneron STS (the oldest and most prestigious high school science competition in the US), founders with eight-figure exits in high school, and authors of published research in top ML journals and Science (considered the best biology journal in the world).

We aim to host multiple events on the weekend of August 15th. This will act as a fund kickoff and show a proof of concept for how our fund will enable us to bridge the gap between technical academic talent and venture funding. This, however, requires a small amount of capital for food and venue, alongside airline tickets for fellow participants. We humbly ask for any contribution in order to hold such events, and would deeply appreciate any financial assistance to pursue our goals.

Itinerary

Friday, August 15

- 7:00 PM: Welcome Reception and Dinner
 - Semi-private dining experience for fellowship cohort, investment partners, and select investors. Anticipated attendance: 40 participants.
- 8:00 PM: 12:00 AM Networking Reception
 - Open invitation extended to highly technical friends throughout Silicon Valley for poker. Snacks and drinks will be provided.

Saturday, August 16

- 9:00 AM: Breakfast
- 12:00 PM 1:30PM: Lunch
 - Attendees will include founding members, fellowship cohort, technical founders in the Bay, and select investors. Venue contingent upon funding allocation and will either be on-site (Airbnb) or designated restaurant.
- 6:00 PM 8:00PM: Dinner
 - BBQ at the Airbnb for the fellows.
- 8:00 PM 12:00 AM: Startup Discussion
 - Fellows bonding time.

Sunday, August 17

- 11:00 AM 1:00 PM: Brunch
 - A private brunch between the fund fellows and the event sponsors

Budget Breakdown

Here is a comprehensive budget breakdown for the event.