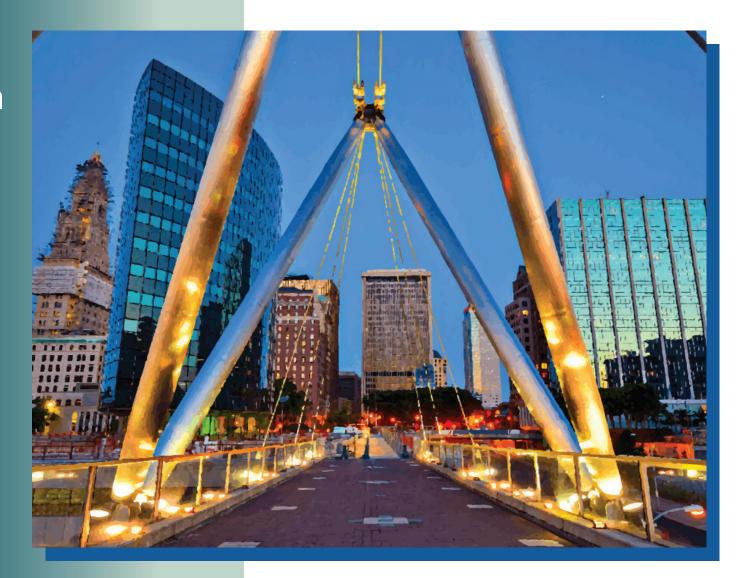


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"Train people well enough so they can leave, treat them well enough so they don't want to."

- Richard Branson



We are building a bridge for talent that leads to many great destinations

2023

**Timeline** 

TalentBridge23 is a six-month incubator program focused on supporting a select group of innovative startups, cultivating Connecticut talent and building deep relationships with leading insurance carriers.

We're proud to announce the launch of for possible funding. TalentBridge23, an incubation program that connects talent, innovation and opportunity Selection preference has been given to startwithin the Hartford Insurtech community in 2022 and 2023. Nassau Re/Imagine, an Insurtech incubator, will run a 6-month machine learning and/or risk management program sponsored by Nassau, CGI, LTI, University of Connecticut (UConn) and University of Hartford (UHart).

Ten startups working to solve important 1. Strengthen ties between local compaproblems for seniors - their retirement and their healthcare - have been selected. They 2. Spotlight promising emerging insurance will be partnered with mentors from one of the three sponsoring companies, a univer- 3. Strengthen relationships between startsity faculty advisor, at least one experienced industry advisor and an investor.

They will also receive support from dedi- 5. Create local jobs. cated interns in the joint UConn/UHart Insurtech program. In addition, they will The program will also create an opportunity receive free access to shared workspace to foster internal innovation by pairing top at One American Row in the heart of downtown Hartford.

At the end of the 6-month program, the and selection of mentors. startups will have the opportunity to pitch in front of a select group of Connecticut-affili- For more information, contact Laura Dinan ated angel investors and venture capitalists Haber at Idinanhaber@nfg.com.

ups focused on solving important problems faced by seniors. Advanced data analytics, will help drive the solutions.

The program will:

- nies and the local universities
- talent,
- ups and leading insurance carriers;
- 4. Increase brand awareness of Connecticut as a hub of industry innovation; and

leaders of established organizations with founders of great startups. Nassau Re/Imagine will coordinate the recruiting, pairing

October	10/14	Application Deadline
	10/21	Notifications Sent
November	11/11	InsurTech Fellows Orientation
	11/11	Startup Presentations
	11/18	Rankings Due
	11/28- 12/16	Interviews (3-4 per Fellow and Startup)
December	12/28	Startup and Fellows Rankings Due
	1/6	Startup and Fellows Matches Assigned
January	1/20	Experiential Learning Kickoff (Startups and Fellows)
March	3/6	Mid-Point Check-In/ Concluding Project Overview
	3/10	Mid-Point Evaluation of Fellows Due
April	4/28	InsurTech Fellows Concluding Project Presentations
May	5/3	Final Evaluation of Fellows Due
	5/8	Stakeholder Meeting, Program Debrief
June	6/15	Industry Forum

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## Startups

## **Sponsors**

























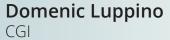




"Nassau is launching
TalentBridge23 because
we recognize the value and
impact of bringing together
cutting-edge startups, rising
young professionals from
local universities, and industry
mentors."









CGI is excited to sponsor the TalentBridge23 program. Since our inception, we have been committed to supporting our community and the local companies and talent in Connecticut. We feel strongly that there is no better insurance talent in the world than what we have available in Hartford. Programs such as TalentBridge23 are key to growing the success of Connecticut through providing an incubator for talent, innovation and excellence.





Paula Beaulieu LTIMindtree



TalentBridge23 is an excellent opportunity for our team to invest in Hartford as a tech hub. It's yet another tangible investment we are making in the Hartford community as we continue to spread the word that LTIMindtree is a great place to work for so many reasons. It will enable us to further strengthen our engagement with local universities and colleges, community service outreach programs. LTIMindtree is an employer of choice in the Hartford area.

## Universities

## Supporters

UNIVERSITY OF HARTFORD



**Kenneth A. Goroshko**Barney School of Business,
University of Hartford



UHart's Barney School of Business has appreciated the opportunity to build first-in-nation InsurTech Venturing coursework in collaboration with the UConn School of Business. This has been a critical steppingstone to supporting TalentBridge23 and providing innovative startups with next generation risk management and insurance talent.





Jennifer E. Mathieu, M.Ed Connecticut Center for Entrepreneurship & Innovation, University of Connecticut



UConn has been a proud supporter of the growing InsurTech industry in Connecticut and is happy to be a part of the team launching the TalentBridge23 initiative. It is our hope that through this program students are provided with excellent education and access to a career pipeline into exciting roles in this industry.

