

Virtual Membership

The Virtual Membership is a new class of membership for the Tech Coast Angels to supplement our current reach by expanding opportunities for new investments and investors. The virtual investor may participate in committee screening and general membership screening meetings remotely via WebEx or other similar technologies as appropriate and required. Virtual members will have the opportunity to invest alongside other TCA investors, to participate in special events at a discounted rate should they be in the southern California area and take part in investments in either individual companies or in the ACE fund.

TO QUALIFY:

- Interested investors must reside outside of the Southern California area
- Accredited investor meeting Federal guidelines (add the same as what you have for regular members)
- The virtual investor is expected to invest a minimum of \$25,000 per year in a combination of individual investments and/or the ACE fund
- Virtual members should be willing to remotely participate in due diligence in deals of interest
- The entity will have to sign a rules of membership i.e. ROMAC agreement

BENEFITS:

- Access to deal flow
- Participation in pre-screening activities for new deals
- Participation in the Angel Capital Entrepreneur (ACE) funds as developed
- Access to board members and TCA membership base
- May attend general membership screening meeting 1X year
- May participate in special initiatives developed by TCA
- Invitation to dinner meetings and special TCA events at a 20% discount
- Membership in the Angel Capital Association and the benefits accruing to all members
- Participation in the Orange County screening panels, and other network screenings as they become enabled by conferencing and WebEx technology

MUTUAL BENEFITS

- Increase the potential deal flow through the contacts and networks of other individuals and corporations
- Virtual members are encouraged to bring deals to TCA for screening
- Virtual members are encouraged to recruit other members for TCA which in turn adds to the value of the deals and membership
- Add to the intellectual capacity of TCA and to enable a more diverse group to screen deals, participate in analysis, and perform due diligence of prospective companies



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- Participation in Meet the Angels panels, training programs, workshops, fast pitch competitions, investor meetings, ACA conferences and similar events
- Provide additional capital for investment in our portfolio companies and for our ACE funds
- Provide potential entrepreneurs with a broader investor base, making TCA the preferred funding choice for their startups

Cost: \$1,000 annual dues

To apply for membership as a virtual member, an application should be submitted at www.techcoastangels.com/membership