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the problem

**most students leave
college without ever
shipped a single thing.**

nobody teaches them to actually build



*High barriers to entry – coding
skills, portfolios, GPA
requirements*



*Pitch decks and panels replace
actual product development*



*No AI-native space where students
learn to build with the next-
generation of tools*



the solution

**the first AI-native
builder community on
college campuses.**

*Starting at USC. No prerequisites.
Just show up and build.*



Startup Incubator

Come with an idea or none. Leave with something real.



Builder Community

Work alongside others. Bond over shared experiments.



AI-Native

Vibe coding with intention. AI tools, not AI slop.

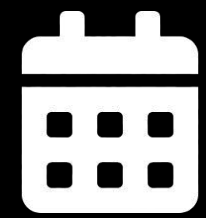


Failure-Friendly

Broken prototypes = progress. We celebrate attempts.

our programs

Everything ends with something built, learned, or shared.



weekly meetings

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Core gathering. Updates, builds, check-ins.



build nights

weekly

Open co-working. Ship projects side by side.



mini sprints

bi-weekly

Idea to MVP to ship. Repeat.



ai workshops

monthly

Vibe coding done right. AI tools, real output.



community bonding

always happening

The glue. Socials, hangouts, shared culture.



guest speakers

monthly

Founders share stories and answer questions.



demo days

semesterly

Members present what they've built.

who it's for

**any student.
any idea.**

any major. any year. any background.
selecting on character, not credentials.



The Beginner

Never built anything. Wants to learn by doing.



The Idea Person

Has an idea but hasn't started. The barrier felt high.



The Builder

Already building. Wants community, feedback, momentum.



The Curious

Not sure yet. Interested in startups, AI, or tech.



why sponsor sandbox

**reach the next
generation of builders
before anyone else.**



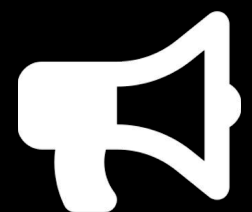
Early Adopters

Members actively use AI tools and ship products – they adopt early and stay loyal.



Talent Pipeline

Meet ambitious, AI-literate students before they hit the job market.



Brand Visibility

Logo on all materials, events, social media, and merch across every campus.



Ground Floor

Be part of the first AI-native builder network across college campuses.

sponsorship tiers



tool partner

licenses
& credits

non-financial sponsorship

- API credits or licenses for members
- Logo on website and materials
- Mentioned at workshops and events
- Product featured in AI workshops



brand

\$500

per semester

- Everything in Tool Partner
- Logo on event signage
- Social media shoutouts
- Mentioned in sponsor emails

most popular

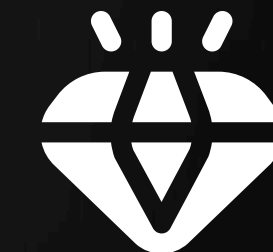


community

\$1,500

per semester

- Everything in Brand
- Co-host one event per semester
- Send a speaker or recruiter
- Demo Day featured sponsor slot
- Access to member talent pool



founding

\$3,500

per semester

- Everything in Community
- Naming rights on a program
- Exclusive recruiting sessions
- Logo on all merch
- Priority Demo Day placement
- Advisory input on programming

tool partner

**we use your tools every
day. let us show the next
generation of builders why.**



AI Assistants

LLMs, copilots, and code gen tools our members vibe code with daily.



Design & No-Code

Visual builders and design tools that make prototyping fast.



Dev Platforms

IDEs, hosting, and deployment – where projects go from idea to live.



Productivity

Project management, docs, and collaboration that keep teams aligned.





Let's build together.

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