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## **InvestMidwest takes applications for 11th event**

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**InvestMidwest** is accepting applications for its 11th-annual event to connect promising startups with interested investors.

As many as 45 companies seeking financing will be chosen to present at the March 24-25 event in St. Louis, according to the InvestMidwest Web site. Companies will be chosen for one of three sectors — life sciences, technology/general business and clean tech/alternative energy.

Companies must be located in the central United States, seek \$1 million to \$20 million and project revenue of \$20 million within five years, except for life sciences companies.

Selected companies will make 10-minute presentations to venture capitalists, private investors and corporate investors.

Applications turned in by Nov. 13 will get preferential consideration; the final deadline is Jan. 8. Companies will know by Feb. 12 whether they have been accepted.

More information is available on the InvestMidwest **Web site**.