

Support media that matters to Santa Cruz's economic future!

OUR LOCAL TECH ECOSYSTEM: Santa Cruz has a vibrant technology ecosystem that includes startups, established businesses, consultants, venture capitalists, co-working spaces, and support services such as design, legal, marketing, and more. The community includes the New Tech Meetup (one of the largest in the country), TechRaising, hackathons, and a variety of other tech and professional groups.

THE HEARTBEAT OF THE SANTA CRUZ TECH COMMUNITY: Santa Cruz Tech Beat provides a comprehensive and convenient way for business and community leaders, technologists, educators, students, service providers, and the general public to stay informed about news, events, business developments, jobs, thought leadership, and resources in Santa Cruz County.

WAYS TO ENGAGE: Santa Cruz Tech Beat reaches a locally-focused ecosystem via:

- <u>Weekly email news digest</u>: Subscribe (free) to stay regularly informed about must-know news, developments, events, and more.
- Website: Catch up on current news, events, job openings, and resources. Join the Business Catalog.
- Social media: Follow on Facebook, Twitter, Google+ to stay informed on the fly.
- Share a guest feature article in SCTB. Submit news tips, events, and job openings.
- Partnership: Gain visibility as a supporter of economic development and vitality in Santa Cruz.

WHO BENEFITS FROM BEING A PARTNER?:

- Companies that need to have their finger on the pulse of Santa Cruz tech news and developments, that are interested in hiring the best and the brightest engineering, marketing, and sales professionals.
- Business stakeholders whose economic livelihood depends on the success of local tech businesses. This includes attorneys, commercial realtors, bankers and financial/investment planners, venture capitalists, and others.
- Public organizations that have a vested interest in the economic vitality of Santa Cruz County, that want to promote job creation and attract the best possible talent to the area. This includes City and County Economic Development, UC Santa Cruz, Cabrillo, and elected officials.

WHAT PARTNERS ARE SAYING:

- "Santa Cruz Tech Beat is the go-to source for news, features, and the latest developments in the Santa Cruz County tech scene." Bud Colligan, CEO of South Swell Ventures, Ring Leader of Central Coast Angels
- "I truly believe Santa Cruz Tech Beat is having a large role on the brand association with Santa Cruz as a tech/entrepreneurial community." Zach Friend, 2nd District Supervisor, County of Santa Cruz
- "Santa Cruz Tech Beat is our single source for news about the innovators who are building the next generation of our local economy." Jeremy Neuner, Co-Founder & Executive Chairman, NextSpace
- "Santa Cruz Tech Beat is an authentic community voice that benefits the entire economic development of the city of Santa Cruz." J. Guevara, Economic Development Mgr, City of Santa Cruz
- "Santa Cruz Tech Beat is a great resource for keeping up with the latest news and events related to the burgeoning tech sector in Santa Cruz County." Donna Blitzer, Director Government and Community Relations, UC Santa Cruz



Become a Partner		BRONZE \$2,000/yr	SILVER \$3,000/yr	GOLD \$5,000/yr	PLATINUM \$10,000/yr
Placement in weekly digest:					
	Headline BANNER & link (horizontal)	1 for 3 mo	2 for 3 mo ea	4 for 3 mo ea	12x12 months
	• Logo & link (right side)	✓	√	√	✓
	Partner-submitted feature articles	1	2	4	6
	Partner-submitted news links	√	√	√	√
	Highlighted job posts			√	√
Placement on website:				,	
	Logo & link on Partner page	✓	√	√	√
	Partner-submitted feature articles	1	2	4	6
	Partner-submitted news links	√	√	✓	√
	Listing in Business Catalog		· √	· ✓	· ✓
	Logo & link on Home page		,	√	√
	Highlighted job posts			,	· √
Placement in social media:					,
	Acknowledgement & appreciation online	✓	√	✓	✓
	Promotion of published partner-		√	√	√
	submitted news links		,	,	•
	 Promotion of published partner- 		✓	✓	✓
	submitted feature articles				
	Promotion of job posts				✓
And there's more:					
	 Reach locally focused tech & business leaders, founders, funders, entrepreneurs, service providers, and business, education, government leaders 	✓	√	√	√
	 Public acknowledgement & appreciation at events 			✓	✓
	• For institutions, economic development organizations, colleges/universities, angels/VC's who have the highest vested interest in Santa Cruz being a vibrant place for founders to start companies, funders to invest in them, for job-creations for new grads and seasoned professionals alike.				√
	The satisfaction of knowing you're supporting media that matters to the economic future of Santa Cruz!	√	√	√	√