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AMEXCAP is working with sponsors to bring together general partners, institutional investors, specialist service providers, policy makers, and industry players from Mexico and the United States to discuss opportunities and challenges for investment in the Mexican Venture Capital industry.

Following the success of the recent event "Mexico PE Day New York City" (May 16, 2013) where 31 LP firms (managing +US\$1.5 trillion in assets) attended and met with the Mexican Delegation of 24 GP firms and with regulators, government officials and advisory services firms, the upcoming event in San Francisco focusing on the Venture Capital Industry will update participants on the current state of the VC market in Mexico.

The forum will bring together institutional investors from the United States and a delegation from Mexico and will offer the opportunity for organizations involved in the Mexican VC ecosystem to engage with new contacts and cement existing relations.

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DRAFT AGENDA

Mexico VC Day – San Francisco 2013: An Update on Mexico's Venture Capital Industry San Francisco, California October 17, 2013

08:00 Registration and breakfast

- 08:30 Welcome and Opening Remarks Arturo J. Saval, President AMEXCAP & Senior Managing Director, Nexxus Capital Alex Rossi, President AMEXCAP VC Committee & Managing Partner, Latin Idea Ventures
- 08:50 Conference 1: "NAFIN's role in developing Mexico's Venture Capital Industry" Raúl Solís, DGA, NAFIN (Mexican Development Bank)

09:20 Panel 1: VC Funds

Moderated by Carlos Rangel, W. K. Kellogg Foundation Alex Rossi, Latin Idea Alonso Diaz, Gerbera Everardo Camacho, Capital Indigo Michael Chu, IGNIA Rodrigo Pérez, Newgrowth Fund Rogelio de los Santos, Alta Ventures

10:30 Networking break

10:50 Panel 2: Mexican Entrepreneurs

Moderated by Phil Wickham, Kaufmann Fellows Bismarck Lepe, Ooyala Diego Solórzano, Carrot (Venture Partners) Francisco Vizcaya, FINAE (Adobe Capital) Gabe Manjarrez, MiCel (Ignia) León Rangel, Cursame (Wayra, Spectron) Serge Elkiner, Yellow Pepper (Latin Idea)

12:00 Panel 3: Impact Investing

Moderated by Justina Lai, Sonen Capital Erik Wallsten, Adobe Capital Jacob Donnelly, New Island Capital Lauren Cochran, Imprint Capital Mario Marmissolle, Promotora Social Mexico Rafael de la Guía, Omidyar Network Rahul Chandra Desai, Inter-American Development Bank

13:00 Lunch – Keynote: Don Dodge, Google Ventures (Presented by EY)

14:30 Panel 4: Early Stage Investments

Moderated by Allen Taylor, Endeavor Investor Network Federico Antoni, Venture Partners Hernán Fernández, Angel Ventures Mexico Tim Guleri, Sierra Ventures Marcus Dantus, Wayra Lee Rand, Mexico Ventures

15:30 Panel 5: Institutional Investor views on the Mexican VC Market

Moderated by Cate Ambrose, LAVCA Eric Johnson, Cambridge Associates Felipe Vilá, Fondo de Fondos Hilton Romanski, Cisco Maureen Downey, Pantheon Ventures Rogério G. Ramos, Multilateral Investment Fund

16:30 Networking break

17:00 Panel 6: Entrepreneurial Ecosystem in Mexico

Moderated by Carlos Baradello, Sausalito Ventures Adolfo Babatz, Clip Adriana Tortajada, INADEM José A. Fernández, Instituto de Emprendimiento Eugenio Garza Lagüera - Tec Monterrey* Pilar Aguilar, Endeavor México

18:00 Conference: "Exit to VC Funds" Fernando Fabre, Endeavor

18:30 Closing remarks Alex Rossi, AMEXCAP

19:00 Cocktail Space for networking

*TBD: To-be-defined (Schedule subject to change without notice)