

Generation Quarterly News - Spring 2023



SENIOR PARTNER LETTER 2023

Generation IM | March 28, 2023

Generation's Senior Partner, David Blood, provides an update on the state of sustainable investing, as well as an update on the firm's leadership team and impact initiatives.

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GENERATION'S GROWTH ADVISOR SERIES: JP RANGASWAMI

Generation IM | April 21, 2023

JP Rangaswami, Senior Advisor to Generation's Growth Equity strategy, shares his career journey, what led him to working with the Growth team, and his advice to companies on board governance.

[Read the article.](#)



'RECESSION RESILIENT' CLIMATE START-UPS SHINE IN TECH DOWNTURN

The New York Times | January 1, 2023

Head of Growth Equity, Lila Preston, provides commentary on the current investment landscape, noting that the \$94 billion climate-tech investment market is a vital part of the venture capital ecosystem.

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GENERATION SPEAKING AT FORTUNE BRAINSTORM TECH IN PARK CITY IN JULY

Fortune | January 31, 2022

Generation Chairman Al Gore and Head of Growth Equity Lila Preston will be joining the world's top tech leaders, VCs and thought leaders to speak to tech's biggest challenges at Fortune's annual Brainstorm Tech conference in July.

[Read the article.](#)



ILLUMEN CAPITAL IMPACT EXPERIENCE 2023

Illumen Capital | April 2023

A few members of the Generation Growth Equity team participated in Illumen Capital's Impact Experience, where investors, fund managers, entrepreneurs and artists joined together in Montgomery, Alabama, to examine the legacy of slavery and present-day manifestations of racism in the asset management industry.

[Watch the highlights.](#)

Growth Portfolio Company News:

Pivot Bio and Convoy Named to the 2023 CNBC Disruptor 50 List

CNBC | May 9, 2023

Generation Growth Equity portfolio companies Pivot Bio and Convoy were named to the CNBC Disruptor 50 list, which highlights private companies that are chasing some of the market's biggest opportunities.

[Read the article.](#)

How Back Market Paves the Way for Sustainable Consumption

Forbes | April 17, 2023

Read Forbes's interview of Back Market CEO, Thibaud Hug de Larauze, which touches on the company's recent achievements – the avoidance of 1 million tonnes of CO2 emissions and attaining B Corp certification.

[Read the article.](#)

One-Minute Battery Swaps are Spurring EV Adoption in Asia

Bloomberg | April 6, 2023

Communities in Asia are embracing electric mobility with the help of EV companies like Gogoro, who are proving that battery swaps can be easy, affordable, and accessible. With increasing networks, 500,000 monthly users, and over 260 swaps on its network per minute, Gogoro helps users overcome range anxiety while getting the world closer to net-zero carbon emissions.

[Read the article.](#)

Innovate Your Plate: The Foods That Are Revolutionizing Dinner

Fast Company | March 31, 2023

Karuna Rawal, CMO of Nature's Fynd, discusses the meaningful impact of producing alternative protein more sustainably during a panel at Fast Company's Grill at SXSW.

[Watch the video.](#)

Microbes On The Farm: A Solution For Climate Change?

Financial Times | March 18, 2023

To keep up with demand, Pivot Bio is doubling output for products by opening a facility in St Louis, Missouri, and adding a distribution center in Omaha, Nebraska. The company hopes to cover about 10% of total US corn acres with its microbial nutrient this year.

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Tech Staffing Unicorn Andela Acquires Engineering Assessment Platform Qualified

Business Insider | March 9, 2023

Andela, the remote technical talent startup, is acquiring Qualified to widen its pool of remote tech talent and equip it with better tools to evaluate the talent of prospective workers.

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WEKA Launches Sustainable AI Initiative

HPC Wire | February 28, 2023

WEKA, the data platform provider for performance-intensive workloads, unveiled a new Sustainable AI Initiative that aims to raise awareness of the carbon emissions being driven by next-generation computing technologies like artificial intelligence and machine learning.

[Read the article.](#)

Elation Health Named Best in KLAS Award Winner for 2023

Elation Health | February 8, 2023

Elation Health, the clinical-first technology company powering innovation in primary care, has been named 2023 Best in KLAS for the EMR-Centric Virtual Care Platform category.

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