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Early Stage Capital Forum Selects Presenting Companies

Washington, DC – December 12, 2003 - The Washington DC Technology Council, (DC Tech) announced today it has selected nine technology companies to present at the Fourth Annual Early Stage Capital Forum to be held on February 6, 2004 at the Ronald Reagan International Trade Center in Washington DC.

Companies had to meet a strict criteria to be selected to present. The companies exceeded the panels expectations and are more diverse and of higher quality than we have seen in the past." Said Lara Vande Walle, DC Tech's President.

The companies chosen to present are: Apogee Ventures, Bantu, Datastream, IT Global Secure, Learning Dynamics, Odyssey Technologies, Rheologics, Sensics, and Virdais.

Each company selected will now attend a one-day intensive "boot camp" as well as work with a coach to mentor them until the presentation. At the ESCF they will have an opportunity to showcase their company to over 300 expected attendees.

Defywire Inc. received funding in 2003 as a result of presenting at the ESCF.

"The 2003 Early Stage Capital Forum was invaluable in raising the startup money for our wireless middleware company, Defywire Inc. The Capital Forum provides a terrific opportunity for Washington DC area entrepreneurs to meet and discuss important issues with their peers, while networking with venture capitalists and getting jump start on their funding. Said Jill Stelfox, CEO of Defywire, Inc.

The Washington DC Technology Council (DC Tech) provides information; resources and connections helping its member companies grow and succeed while expanding the technology and business community of the Nation's Capital. Members include locally based, national and international technology companies as well as service providers, embassies and educational institutions. For up-to-date information on DC Tech events, programs and member benefits, visit at www.dctechcouncil.org.

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