

### Happy Tuesday,

This is the twenty-eighth monthly update email for the **Chisos Circle**. For those that are new to this list, we've created an archive of past update emails <u>here</u>.

The Chisos Circle is an ecosystem of individuals and resources helping **Chisos entrepreneurs build their businesses** and helping Chisos grow. By growing the Circle we increase the odds of finding the right connection or resource that can help an entrepreneur's business move forward.

<u>Ask of the Community</u> - We are leaning in a bit more to the impact benefits of the CISA capital solution. When I read about the mission and the initiatives of groups like the <u>Kauffman Foundation</u> or <u>Right to Start</u>, I know we are on the right track. My ask this month is for introductions to any of these entrepreneurial-focused organizations. The CISA is a tool that can help these organizations further their own goals of empowering entrepreneurs.

### **Critical Updates**

- We made three new Fund II investments:
  - (2) Haley Shinn & Ramone Farrier, founders of THR1FT. THR1FT is a digital marketplace that aggregates secondhand and sustainable fashion from sellers into one app. THR1FT will seamlessly pull all product data from a seller's web store onto the app, without holding any of their inventory.

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- Scott Wilson and Joticle. Joticle is a lifelong learning platform for experts, educators, students, creators, and hobbyists. A centralized platform that makes learning, research, and discovery available to everyone at any age, Joticle's proprietary approach is also adaptable to curriculum and corporate training data workflows. Joticle is currently raising funds on the <u>WeFunder platform</u>.
- Our <u>FUND II investor portal</u> is live on Securitize. Accredited investors can view our offering materials and subscribe for investment directly through the portal. There are still a few smaller check (<\$50k) allocations available.</li>
  Details on minimums and Fund II deals can be found in the portal.
- Looking for co-invest deal flow? We recently created the <u>Chisos Follow-on</u> <u>Syndicate</u> via AngelList to participate in future follow-on fundraising opportunities from our portfolio companies. All deals will require an unrelated 3rd party investor to lead the round. Joining the syndicate requires no commitment and allows you access to those deals in the future.
- PORTFOLIO FUNDRAISING Multiple portfolio companies are fundraising.
  Please visit our <u>Portfolio fundraising portal</u> to learn more about each opportunity.

# Portfolio Wins & Updates 🎉

- Tinia and Re-Nuble are launching an Urban Agriculture Pilot Project in Upstate New York, in collaboration with the city of Glens Falls, NY
- Kyiana, founder of entertwine, completed a cohort at Launch House and was featured on femfounder.co. <u>"Failure really only comes when you give up"</u>.

## **Thought Provoking Content**

- Energy Cancelled
- Why We Stopped Making Einsteins

Please forward this email to anyone who might be interested in what we are doing. Always feels free to reach out with any questions or comments!

> Best Regards, Will Stringer & Stephen Grinalds

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