



BCIC Awards \$235,000 to BC's Top Tech Companies

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Six months of competition came to an end last night as **the winners of the 12 annual BCIC-New Ventures Competition** were announced in Vancouver. From this year's 146 applicants, top prizes were awarded to an online learning platform, a dental implant technology provider and an online child caregiver search tool.

The big winner was Victoria's MediaCore Technologies who took home the \$100,000 BCIC first-prize and the \$10,000 Plug and Play Tech Centre prize. MediaCore is a cloud-based, online video learning platform optimized for K-12, universities and corporations that provide education or training to students online. **MediaCore raised \$1 million in funding in last month** and is clearly on a roll.

The \$55,000 BCIC second-place prize went to **NaviDent Technologies**. NaviDent Technologies offers disruptive leading edge technological advances to provide dentists a simpler, safer and significantly more accurate procedure to place dental implants.

MyBestHelper Solutions picked up the \$35,000 BCIC third-place prize. MyBestHelper offers an innovative online solution to finding childcare: families can find, book and pay trustworthy child caregivers for a flat fee. **MyBestHelper took home top prize** in last year's Startup Weekend Vancouver.



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