

Calling All Entrepreneurs!

APPLICATIONS OPEN MAY 1!

The NextGen Global Competition engages young entrepreneurs who are seeking careers and business opportunities in the franchising industry.

We are looking for outstanding young entrepreneurs who are poised to take off if given the mentoring and support from franchise business leaders who are the best in the world at growing businesses.

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APPLY AT WWW.NEXTGENFRANCHISING.ORG
APPLICATION PERIOD: MAY 1 – SEPT. 1, 2017

Winners will be notified in mid October 2017 and must attend the IFA Annual Convention in Phoenix, Arizona, from Feb. 10 – 13, 2018.

Qualifications

- Open to entrepreneurs ages 21-35
- Must be in business for 1-5 years
- Company must have potential to scale through franchising

Prizes

- A trip to IFA's Annual Convention, complimentary convention registration and travel expenses (up to \$1,500 US)
- A spot at the NextGen in Franchising Summit, a two-day educational and networking program for next generation entrepreneurs
- Accelerator Program with industry leaders and CEOs
- An opportunity to participate in the FRANSHARK competition for additional cash prizes
- Extensive, industry-wide media exposure
- Opportunities to engage directly with leading franchisors, franchisees and suppliers in franchising and with other young entrepreneurs