

### **CERTIFYING LGBT BUSINESSES. CONNECTING OUR COMMUNITIES.**

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## Second Annual Biz Pitch Finals Competition

Congratulations to our winners: Five North Chocolate, PILOT Coaching, and Play OutApparel!

On Dec. 11, nglccNY hosted the final round of our second annual Biz Pitch Competition!

Sponsored by EY, this event capped off a year of competition and allowed the winners of previous rounds to vie for top prizes including a ticket to the the 2020 NGLCC International Business & Leadership Conference in Las Vegas and a full scholarship to attend the "Building a High-Performing Business" program at Dartmouth College's Tuck School of Business.

The top finishers reacted to the news of their awards, sharing their insights about the honor and the importance of this opportunity

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## January Long Island Members' Mixer

#### Open to all LGBT business owners and professionals interested in being a part of

#### nglccNY's Long Island business community!

The number of LGBT-owned businesses continues to grow. However, the region has been lacking a central business voice focused on strengthening economic opportunities in the community. That's why nglccNY is extremely excited to organize our third Long Island event!

This nglccNY Long Island Members' Mixer is an opportunity for LGBT business owners to network, share ideas, have fun and grow their businesses. We're thrilled to continue growing a robust presence on Long Island, and look forward to connecting with and showing our support for dedicated LGBT business owners who are bolstering the economy on the Island.

#### Hosted by:



Location: Waves Salon • 100 East Main Street • Melville, NY 11787

Time: Tuesday • January 14th, 2020 Mixer and Reception 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Attire: Business / Business Casual

Please note that if you have any questions regarding your membership status or member login credentials, contact our Director of nglccNY, Thomas "TJ" Chernick at Thomas@nglccNY.org.

Read more and register

## January 2020 M3!

Open to all LGBT business owners and professionals!



This high-energy event brings Chamber members and guests together for quality networking and community building. Don't miss this opportunity to forge connections with members, corporate partners, and non-profit leaders. M3: Members' Monthly Mixer takes place monthly and is hosted by a different nglccNY Corporate Partner or Business Member each month.

#### Hosted by: Dave & Busters

Location: Dave & Busters • 234 W 42nd St 3rd floor • New York, NY 10036

Time: Wednesday • January 22nd, 2020 Mixer and Reception 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Attire: Business / Business Casual

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# PILOT Inc.: Technology Made Easy

## Highlighting the recent successses of the HR Technology LGBTBE

At the National LGBT Chamber of Commerce (NGLCC), our favorite thing is when our LGBTBEs are recognized for the amazing work they do and the contributions they make to the U.S. economy. Ben Brooks, Founder of PILOT Inc., has truly made us proud with recent recognitions for this excellent work.

Recently, PILOT Inc. won first place largest HRTech event in

the world: HR Technology Conference Pitchfest. PILOT competed with over 100 companies at this event, and walked away victorious with a \$25,000 cash prize!

PILOT Inc. was also recently named the #1 Workplace Technologies Startup to Watch in 2020. Brooks was Top 100 Influencer in HR & Technology by HR Executive Magazine, too!

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