

2024 Top Tech Startup Award

Nominations are open for *Food Logistics'* and *Supply & Demand Chain Executive's* 2024 Top Tech Startup Award, which highlights top software- and technology-based startups in the supply chain and logistics industry.

What is the overall timeframe?

Submissions open: Monday, Sept. 16, 2024

Entries due: Friday, Oct. 24, 2024

Featured on FoodLogistics.com and SDCExec.com

The criteria includes:

- Startup must be in the supply chain and logistics space and/or have customers within the supply chain/logistics landscape.
- Company must have launched a viable product in order to be eligible.
- Company must have real customers; those with only potential orders are not eligible.
- Startup must be revenue generating. \$10-50 million in annual revenue preferred, but not mandatory.
- Winning submissions are based on the ability to outline in detail the ins and outs of the startup and what it's doing to improve the supply chain space.
- Winners ARE NOT determined based on relationship with *Food Logistics* and *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* or their advertising position.
- Winners will be considered for further special promotional opportunities at Manifest Las Vegas 2025. Manifest will choose three of the Top Tech Startup winners to be featured on the Manifest Innovation Stage and given the opportunity to give an 8-minute demo. In addition, the three winners will be featured in The 'Fest, Manifest's weekly newsletter, as well as on the Manifest LinkedIn channel.
- Companies can be located nationwide and/or international.
- There is a \$99 submission fee associated with this award. The application fee INCLUDES access to the logo license should you win, which gives unlimited rights and full access to include, share and embed the award logo anywhere, everywhere at all times. Payment is required upon completion of nomination. Those applications not accompanied by a submission payment will be disqualified.
- Be sure to hit "Submit" at the end of the application process. Application must be completed in full to be considered. Incomplete submissions will be disqualified.
- Names, titles and other information will publish as listed in the nomination form. Not all pieces of the nomination form will publish. *Food Logistics* and *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* will not be held responsible for publishing information that was incorrectly submitted in the nomination process.
- All applications must be submitted electronically. Applications submitted via email or through social media channels will not be considered.
- Information provided in the application may be used in print and online.

- Limit up to one nomination per company. Multiple submissions for the same company may result in elimination.
- Companies can self-nominate. Nominations can also come from suppliers, vendors, customers, co-workers, PR/marketing firms and/or the companies themselves. PR/marketing firms/agencies are not eligible to apply for themselves.
- Honorees are vetted by *Food Logistics*' and *Supply & Demand Chain Executive*'s editorial staff.
- Previous wins do not automatically guarantee a spot in this year's award. Multiple applications for the same company could result in elimination. Awards from other publications/organizations also do not guarantee a win.
- Nominations close **Friday, Oct. 24, 2024 at 11:59 p.m. CST.** *Food Logistics* and *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* will not accept any past due submissions.
- Questions can be directed to editor-in-chief Marina Mayer at mmayer@iron.markets.

Your First Name (required, will not publish)

Your Last Name (required, will not publish)

Your Company Name (required, will not publish)

Your Phone Number (required, will not publish)

Your Email (required, will not publish)

About the Company

Company Name (required):

* Upload company logo here.

Company Street Address (required, will not publish):

City (required, will not publish):

State (required, will not publish):

Zip Code (required, will not publish):

Country (required, will not publish):

Website (required):

Company's Social Media Handles (Facebook, LinkedIn, X formerly known as Twitter) (optional, will not publish):

Contact Name at Company (required, will not publish)

Contact Email at Company: (required, will not publish)

Details About the Startup

Year Founded (required):

Annual Revenue (required, will not publish):

Describe the tech startup, i.e., boilerplate, what it's designed to do/achieve. Be thorough. The more information, the better (required, no word/character count limit)

Describe the tech startup's achievements/accomplishments. Real results are required in order to be considered. (required, no word/character count limit)

Describe the product launched in detail. (required, no word/character count limit)

* Upload press release here.

Detail some of the startups' customers (required, will not publish, no word/character count limit)

What category best describes your company/product? Select ALL that apply. (required)

- a) 3PL
- b) AI
- c) AI-powered automation
- d) Autonomous middle mile
- e) E-commerce
- f) Fulfillment execution systems
- g) Real-time transportation visibility
- h) Robotics
- i) Smart data capture
- j) Other (please specify):

Please describe something “worth noting” about this tech startup that would be a competitive differentiator and would be of interest to *Supply & Demand Chain Executive* and *Food Logistics* readers. (required, no word/character count limit)

Will the company be attending Manifest 2024 Feb. 5-7, 2024 in Las Vegas?

- a) Yes
- b) No
- c) Not sure

Registration is open for our virtual webinar series, SCN Summit: Future of Supply Chains. Are you interested in sponsorship/speaking opportunities?

- a) Yes
- b) No
- c) Not sure