

# STARTUP BREAKTHROUGH

## IN SHORT

The largest event of its kind in Ukraine brings together **startups** and **innovators**, successful **entrepreneurs**, **investors**, **representatives** of major technology corporations, and the **government**.

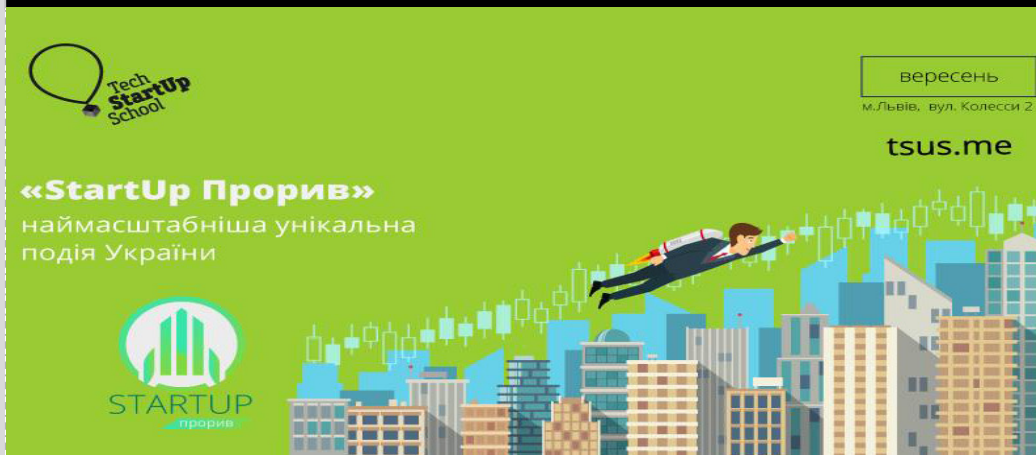
Focus: theoretical and practical **training** of startups and innovators, helping to prepare a startup for a presentation to investors.

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**We once again join the StartUp Breakthrough. As the preliminary submissions showed, the quality of the startups is growing.**

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HEAD OF TECH STARTUP SCHOOL

## STORY



“Startup Breakthrough” is one of the critical projects of "Tech Startup School" and is the incubation program for startups. For its effective organization, more than 100 practicing businessmen and startups were involved, business acquaintances and cooperation with more than fifty mentors were organized, and more than 100 thousand investments were attracted for startups. Some program participants continue to work closely with NGOs, participate in all-Ukrainian and international competitions, and even represent Ukraine in the international arena. The Startup Breakthrough format provides educational and motivational lectures for the participants of the competition. After half of the lectures are listened to, preliminary pitching of startups takes place in front of an expert jury, which selects teams to participate in the final of the competition and the competition for financial support for the development of the project. The official start of the Startup Breakthrough 2020 project was given by the Prime Minister of Ukraine Denys Shmihal.

Year	Number of listeners	Number of teams
2018	60	40
2019	87	19
2020	120	21

## IN FOCUS



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<https://tsus.lpnu.ua/en/all-project/startup-breakthrough>

<https://lpnu.ua/events/startup-proryv-pochatok-masshtabnogo-zakhodu-v-tech-startup-school>

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