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USVI Set to Host Inaugural Tech Beach Retreat, Aims to Boost Tech Innovation

Tech Beach Retreat USVI Brings Over 200 Industry Influencers and Innovators to St. Thomas

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The Westin Beach Resort & Spa at Frenchman's Reef in St. Thomas, USVI.

The U.S. Virgin Islands is gearing up to host its first Tech Beach Retreat (TBR USVI), a major technology conference set for June 19-21 at the newly renovated Frenchman's Reef on St. Thomas.

The event is a collaboration between the Virgin Islands Research and Technology Park (RTPark) and Tech Beach Retreat, aiming to position the USVI as a hub for global tech innovation.

The partnership between RTPark, known for fostering technology-driven economic development, and Tech Beach, a prominent Caribbean technology and innovation platform, highlights a strategic move to boost the local tech ecosystem and attract international business to the region.

Enhancing USVI's Tech Landscape

Peter H. Chapman, CEO of RTPark, expressed enthusiasm about the partnership with Tech Beach, stating, "This collaboration allows us to connect with a network of global tech leaders and showcase the Virgin Islands as an ideal location for tech companies considering expansion."

Edward Thomas, chairman of the RTPark Board of Directors, emphasized the significance of the event, noting, "Hosting TBR USVI is a tremendous opportunity to demonstrate our commitment to building a resilient, technology-driven economy and to enjoy our world-renowned tourism experience."

A Summit of Opportunities

Scheduled over three days, the TBR USVI promises a dynamic lineup of activities designed to foster innovation and collaboration. Participants will have the chance to network with over 200 high-caliber attendees, including entrepreneurs, investors, and corporate executives. The agenda includes keynotes, fireside chats, and panels led by industry experts.

Tech figures such as Jeff Pulver, co-founder of Vonage; Zahir Dossa, co-founder of Function of Beauty; and representatives from leading companies like LinkedIn, Google, Nvidia, TikTok, and OpenAI are confirmed to attend.

The Importance of Local Engagement

Sydney Paul, RTPark's associate director of marketing and communications, highlighted the transformative potential of the summit, "Having experienced Tech Beach's events elsewhere, we are excited to replicate that energy here in the USVI and integrate our local community into the growing regional tech ecosystem."

Event Details and Registration

Availability for the Tech Beach Retreat USVI is limited, with a special discounted rate available for USVI entrepreneurs using the code "RTParkFounder." Interested parties are encouraged to register soon at [Tech Beach Retreat USVI's website](#). Additionally, sponsorship opportunities are available for organizations looking to engage deeper with this groundbreaking event.