





2024 Tech Fast 50 Winners Report

Technology Fast 50 **2024** AUSTRALIA **Deloitte.**





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INTRODUCTION

Deloitte's Technology Fast 50 program recognises, profiles and celebrates Australia's fastest-growing tech companies.

Now in its 24th year, it ranks the nation's top 50 public and private tech companies based on percentage revenue growth over three years (2022 to 2024).

Despite a tough environment with high interest rates and a stringent funding environment, our Top 50 companies have achieved an average growth rate of 658%, showcasing their ability to thrive amidst adversity. Curious to know who made the list? Get ready to see who has achieved remarkable success with this year's Tech Fast 50 superstars!

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2024 OVERVIEW

TECH FAST 50 TOP THREE

#01	Honey Insurance	+5,336%
#02	PropHero	+2,403%
#03	pay.com.au	+2,256%

LEADERSHIP & ENTERPRISE GROWTH WINNER



TECH FEMALE LEADER WINNER

#01 Cynthia Scott Group CEO & Managing Director

RISING STAR TOP THREE



CLIMATE & SUSTAINABILITY WINNER



AUSTRALIAN STATE CHAMPIONS

NSW	Honey Insurance	+5,336%
QLD	Midnight Health	+1,153%
SA	Handy Finance	+228%
/IC	pay.com.au	+2,256%
ΝA	Hola Health	+1,521%

2024 SNAPSHOT

Top 50 entry point growth

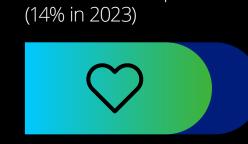




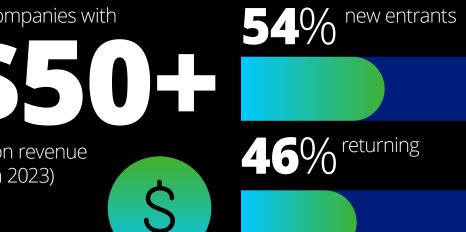
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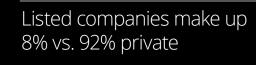


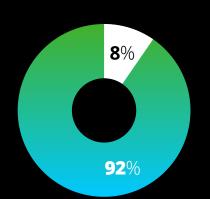
















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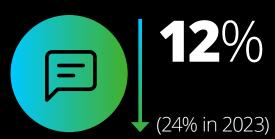
(same as 2023 56%) **VIC** 18% (down from 2023 28%) **QLD** 12% (up from 2023 6%) (same as 2023) (up from 2023 4%)

SECTOR SPLIT

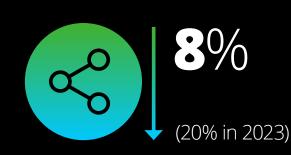
Software

26% (30% in 2023)





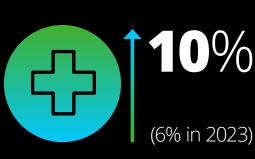
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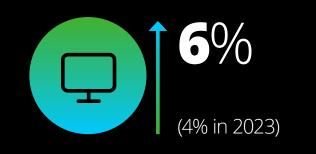
Fintech 8%



Healthtech









2024 has brought a wave of economic recalibration to the Australian tech industry. With rising interest rates and a stringent funding environment, tech growth companies are navigating an increasingly complex landscape.

Navigating Economic Recalibration: Resilience Amid Higher Capital Costs

The higher costs of capital have prompted many companies to pivot towards sustainable growth and operational efficiency. Despite these challenges, the resilience of the sector is evident as the 2024 Tech Fast 50 winners continue to make remarkable progress.

Globally, the tech industry is experiencing similar pressures. However, Australia's unique position, with strong government support for innovation and technology, provides a robust foundation for growth. Ongoing investment in R&D, digital infrastructure, and early-stage grants under initiatives like the Industry Growth Program is mitigating some economic pressures faced by startups and scale-ups.

Capital Accessibility and Operational Discipline: Driving Innovation

The start-up tech industry in Australia is facing some significant challenges. Accessibility of capital has become more difficult due to higher costs, directly impacting growth rates. Companies are now evaluated not just on their growth trajectories but also on their operational discipline and cash flow generation—a shift towards long-term sustainability. While capital accessibility remains a challenge, it is pushing our companies to innovate and optimise their business models. This focus on operational discipline will set a strong foundation for future growth. Economic pressures drive companies to innovate in cost-efficiency and business model optimisation. For instance, the adoption of cloudbased solutions and Al-driven automation is accelerating as firms seek to reduce operational costs and enhance productivity.

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Sectors on the rise

Healthtech, Fintech, and Greentech: Leading the charge

Healthtech continues to be a standout sector in 2024 increasing from 6% to 10% of our Tech Fast 50 cohort. The demand for healthcare innovations, accelerated by the pandemic, shows no signs of slowing down. Companies like Updoc, Hola Health and Midnight Health's on-demand health platforms are leading the charge in this space. These healthtech companies are using AI, machine learning, and big data to optimise the patient experience, forever changing how healthcare services are accessed.

Fintech remains another robust area of growth. High inflation and changing consumer behaviours have pushed the adoption of new financial technologies, driving changes in the financial services market and emerging companies are emphasising strategies based on recognition of consumer financial stress, cyber security concerns and the consumer need for value and convenience. According to the Global Fintech Index, Australia ranks highly in fintech innovation, with Sydney and Melbourne emerging as key fintech hubs. Fintech startups are transforming the financial services industry in Australia, with over 800 fintech companies operating across the country. Australia is number one in the world for contactless payment penetration and has the fourth largest pool of managed funds in tthe world.¹

Our Tech Fast 50 fintech companies are exemplifying these trends and showing that they are truly cognisant of the changing market and consumer demands. Honey Insurance are using advanced geospatial technology and artificial intelligence to streamline the application process. pay.com.au are facilitating seamless business payments while maximising rewards and WINR Corporation are specialising in identity resolution, identity verification and fraud prevention. Fintech is the second largest sector

on the 2024 Tech Fast 50 list, rising another 2% from last year to 18% of our Top 50.

Green technology is also set for substantial growth, driven by the increasing emphasis on climate change and sustainability. The Australian government's commitment to achieving net-zero emissions by 2050 is helping to drive investments in green technologies, making it a fertile ground for innovation. Environmental sustainability is a growing concern among Australian businesses, with a rise in eco-friendly businesses focused on renewable energy, waste reduction, and circular economy solutions. Global and local investments in climate technologies are driving this sector forward. The focus on reducing greenhouse emissions across various industries is becoming a central theme.

This trend is reflected in the growing number of Australian startups in the greentech space. The emergence of greentech is now the largest and fastest growing vertical for Australian startups, from 5% in 2018 to 14% in 2023.²

Our Climate & Sustainability award winner, Ofload, focusing on sustainable logistics solutions, is a prime example of this sector's potential. Ofload leverages technology, connecting leading brands with carriers in a smarter way to utilise otherwise spare shipping capacity, thereby eliminating empty kilometres and unnecessary emissions.

The rise of healthtech, fintech and climatetech or greentech underscores the evolving landscape of the tech industry in Australia. These sectors are meeting critical societal needs while driving substantial growth. Looking at Cut Through Ventures data stacks up: For Q3 2024, fintech topped funding deals at \$209M, followed by enterprise/business software at \$122M. Climatetech ranked third with \$79M, and healthtech was fifth at \$59M.³

What Investors are Looking For

Sustainable Growth and Innovation: Key Investor Criteria

Investors have shifted their focus towards companies with strong operational metrics and positive cash flows, favouring sustainable growth over rapid expansion. Innovation remains a key criterion, with investors seeking unique solutions to current economic and societal challenges. Additionally, there is increased interest in companies with diverse leadership, as evidenced by the rise in female-led firms from 14% to 18%.

The venture capital and private equity landscape in Australia is evolving. Investors are particularly interested in sectors that demonstrate resilience and long-term growth potential.

"The Tech Fast 50 awards shine a spotlight on the innovation, resilience and opportunity for Australia's tech sector. In a backdrop of economic challenges, declining productivity and higher capital costs, these trailblazing companies are not just navigating, but excelling.

This year we showcase tech innovators who are setting new benchmarks and exemplify the strength and potential of Aussie tech innovation, demonstrating that with strategic investment and overcoming growth barriers, we can and are continuing to take Aussie tech innovation to the global stage, and adding to national prosperity.

A new report from the Tech Council of Australia,

'From Research to Reality: Lifting Tech Investment
in Australia', based on modelling provided by Deloitte
Access Economics, shows increasing tech investment will
bring substantial benefits to our economy and we look
forward to seeing higher tech investment in R&D and
tech adoption in coming years."

Conclusion

Thriving Through Innovation and Sustainability

If we add up the liquid value of venture-backed M&A and IPO outcomes over the past decade, Australia comes in third (behind the U.S. and China) in total liquidity. This has occurred despite Australia remaining an underserved market, with venture capital investment accounting for only 0.18% of GDP in Australia, compared to 0.27% in China, 0.55% in the U.S., 0.64% in the U.K., and 0.77% in Israel.⁴

The 2024 Tech Fast 50 list highlights the resilience and adaptability of the Australian tech sector. Despite economic headwinds, companies are thriving by focusing on capital efficiency, sustainable growth, innovation, and operational excellence. This approach ensures that they are well-positioned for future success in an ever-evolving landscape. As we look ahead, continued investment in digital infrastructure and technology, coupled with the entrepreneurial spirit of Australian startups, will drive the next wave of growth and innovation.

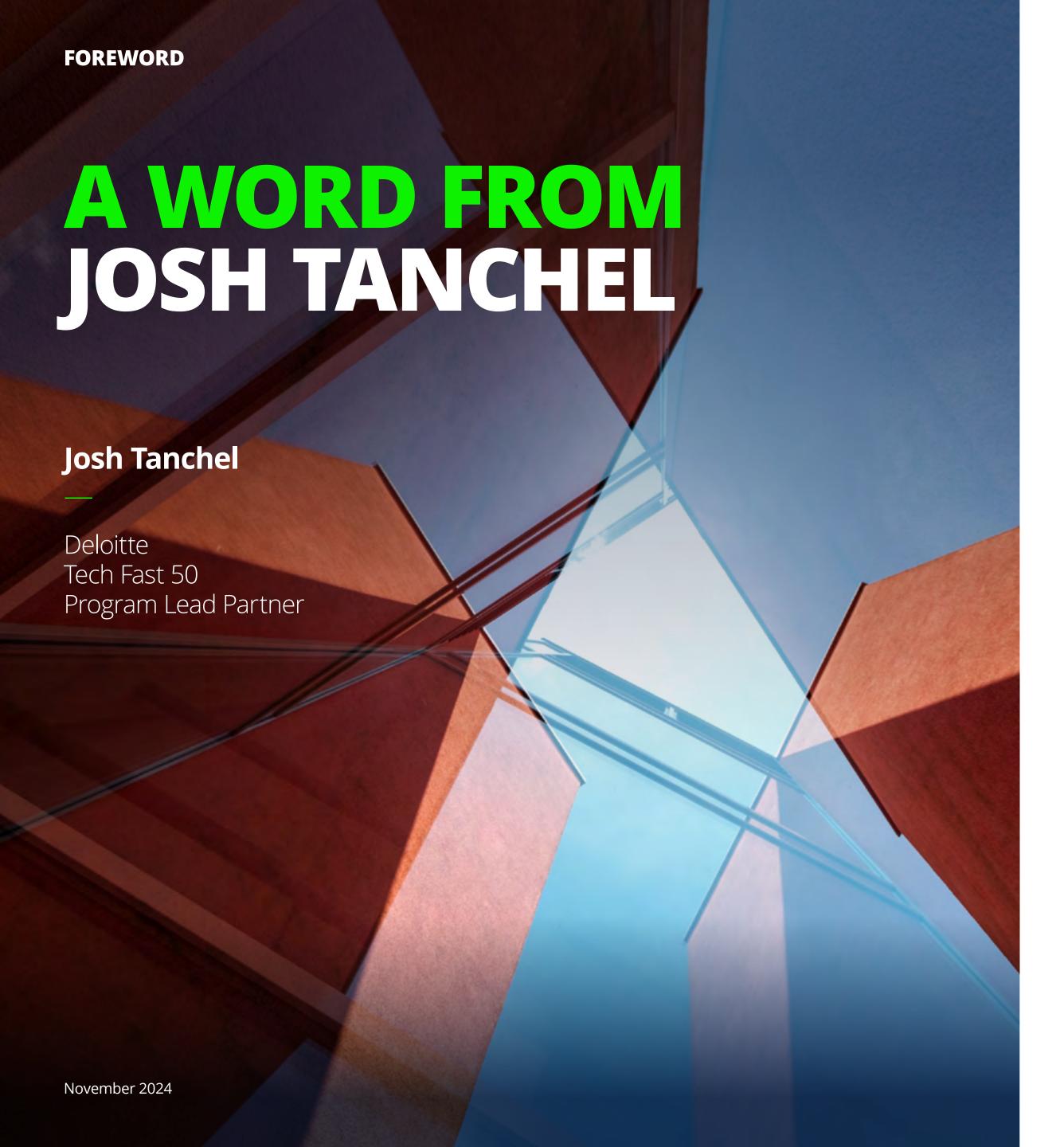
- ¹ Fintech Australia, What is Fintech FinTech Australia, viewed 15 November 2024.
- ² Simon Thomsen, <u>Startup Muster reveals AI, greentech, a 2nd</u> <u>job, home offices, older founders</u> <u>and impact are central to the Australian ecosystem Startup Daily, Startup Daily, 31 October 2023.</u>
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 <u>3rd-highest liquidity behind the U.S.</u>

 <u>and China, new analysis shows | Fortune</u>, Fortune, 11

 September 2024.





Celebrating Top Performers: Exemplifying Innovation and Resilience.

Welcome to the 2024 edition of the Deloitte Tech Fast 50 Australia awards. In a year marked by economic challenges and higher costs of capital, our Tech Fast 50 companies have once again demonstrated remarkable resilience and adaptability. Despite the tough environment, our Top 50 companies have achieved an average growth rate of 658%, showcasing their ability to thrive amidst adversity. This year's focus has shifted towards sustainable growth performance, with operational discipline and positive free cashflows becoming increasingly key metrics for valuations.

Our top three winners—<u>Honey Insurance</u>, <u>PropHero</u>, and <u>pay.com.au</u>—exemplify the innovation and resilience that define the Tech Fast 50. Their impressive growth rates set new benchmarks in their respective fields.

Honey Insurance achieved an impressive growth rate of 5336%. PropHero, with a growth rate of 2403%, is revolutionising property investment. pay.com.au continues to lead in the fintech sector with a growth rate of 2256%. It's also noteworthy that Honey Insurance completed the largest-ever Series A funding round in Australia at \$108 million.⁵

Recognising Leadership and Diversity

Swoop and Zip: Leading by Example

This year's Leadership & Enterprise Growth award goes to <code>Swoop</code>, recognising their ground-breaking technology, local partnerships, and commitment to socioeconomic and environmental impact, Swoop are proudly shaping the future of connectivity in Australia. We are also proud to see an increase in female-led companies, with Cynthia Scott, CEO and Managing Director of <code>Zip</code> winning this year's Female Leadership award, highlighting her commitment to mentoring, gender diversity and innovation and the impact this has had on Zip's significant turnaround.

Swoop and Zip have demonstrated exceptional leadership and growth. Their achievements reflect the increasing importance of diversity and strategic growth in the tech industry.

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⁵ Justin Hendry, Startup funding rounds hit six-year low, InnovationAus, 9 April 2024.

Embracing Sustainability

Ofload: Championing Sustainable Practices

Ofload takes the Climate & Sustainability award with a growth rate of 820%, underscoring the increasing importance of sustainable business practices. Ofload's focus on sustainable logistics solutions is a testament to the growing importance of environmental responsibility in the tech sector. Their growth underscores the potential of green technology.

Rising Stars: Showcasing Dynamism and Innovation

The Rising Star category celebrates emerging companies. Software at Scale tops the list with a growth rate of 2356%, followed by Evermed and Restack. These companies exemplify the dynamic and innovative spirit of the Australian tech ecosystem. The diversity in the Rising Star category highlights the broad range of innovative solutions being developed across different sectors, from software to healthtech.

The Rising Star category highlights the dynamic and innovative spirit of the Australian tech ecosystem. Companies like Software at Scale and Evermed are setting the stage for future growth and success.

Australian State Champion winners

Our State Champion awards recognise the fastest-growing tech companies across Australia, including pay. com.au in Victoria, Honey Insurance in New South Wales, Handy Finance in South Australia, Midnight Health in Queensland, Hola Health in Western Australia, and Dabble in the Northern Territory. Congratulations for taking the Tech Fast 50 award home for your state.

· NSW	: 56%	(2023 56%)
· VIC	: 18%	(2023 28%)
· QLD	: 12%	(2023 6%)
·SA	: 4%	(2023 4%)
·WA	: 8%	(2023 4%)
·NT	: 2%	(2023 0%)

Sector Pick

Healthtech Boom: Health technology startups are thriving in Australia. In total, we've counted 24 startups in the health space that have collectively raised more than \$167 million this year. This includes from our Tech Fast 50 cohort Hola Health who raised \$4.5 million in March for its nationwide, 24/7 telehealth platform and on-demand wellness advice platform. In May, Health tech startup Updoc secured a \$20 million investment from ASX-listed capital fund Bailador Technology Investments. Since it was founded in 2021, Updoc has served more than 200,000 customers via its digital platform that connects patients with registered health practitioners.⁶

"Capital costs have certainly impacted growth rates this year but the success of major capital raising by companies like Honey Insurance just goes to show the quality of the Tech Fast 50 list.

NSW continues dominate the Tech Fast 50 winners list but there's notable growth in QLD and WA, showing a broader geographic spread of innovation and growth. It was also good to see an increase in female leadership, from 14% to 18%, indicating some progress towards gender diversity in tech leadership roles.

The rise in Healthtech and Fintech sectors highlights the evolving landscape of the tech industry, with increasing investments and innovations in these areas."

Global Context and Investor Sentiment

Australian Tech Versus Global Trends: A Comparative Perspective

It is worth noting that the broader economic landscape has had a significant impact on the performance of tech companies globally. While Australian tech firms have shown remarkable resilience, they are not alone. Globally, tech companies are also adapting to similar challenges. However, what sets Australian companies apart is their ability to leverage local strengths, such as a supportive government policy framework and a highly skilled workforce. The Australian tech sector continues to punch above its weight on the global stage, with many firms expanding their footprint internationally. Their ability to adapt and innovate positions them as leaders in the international tech landscape.

Unicorn Country: Australia remains one of the most capital-efficient producers of unicorns, with 1.5 being produced per billion dollars of capital invested compared to 1.1 in the United States and 0.8 in the UK.⁷

In terms of investor sentiment, there is a noticeable shift towards more cautious optimism. The focus is now on sustainable growth and long-term value creation. Investors are looking for companies that can demonstrate robust business models, strong governance, and the ability to generate positive cash flows.

This shift is reflected in the types of companies making it to the Tech Fast 50 list—firms that are not only growing rapidly but also doing so in a sustainable and responsible manner.

Conclusion

Celebrating Success and Driving Future Growth

IThe Tech Fast 50 awards continue to highlight the dynamism and resilience of Australia's tech sector. Despite economic headwinds, these companies are not only surviving but thriving, showcasing innovative solutions and strong leadership across various sectors. The shift towards sustainable growth and operational excellence reflects a mature and adaptive industry poised for future success. We look forward to witnessing the continued success of these companies and the impact they will have on the broader tech ecosystem.

As we celebrate the achievements of the Tech Fast 50 companies, we also recognise the broader contributions of the tech sector to the Australian economy. The innovations and solutions developed by these firms are driving positive change across industries, from healthcare to finance to environmental sustainability. They are creating jobs, fostering economic growth, and positioning Australia as a leader in the global tech landscape.

The achievements of the Tech Fast 50 companies are a testament to their innovation, resilience, and strategic vision. We look forward to another year of growth, innovation, and success for the Australian tech sector. Congratulations to all the winners and finalists of the 2024 Tech Fast 50 awards. Your achievements inspire us and set the benchmark for excellence in the tech industry.

⁶ Eloise Keating, 24 Aussie health tech startups that raised millions in 2024, SmartCompany, 18 September 2024.

⁷ John Henderson, <u>Tech companies Canva, Employment Hero, Go1, SafetyCulture and Pet Circle prove</u>
<u>Australia is leading the world in startup efficiency</u>, The Australian Financial Rreview, 20 November 2023.

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ASX is proud to continue its long-standing sponsorship of the Deloitte Technology Fast 50, an initiative we have supported for over a decade.

It's great to see that the event continues to grow each year, along with the exceptional calibre of companies that join the awards and continue to achieve success beyond them.

We extend our congratulations to the 2024 winner—Honey Insurance—and to all the finalists who have demonstrated outstanding leadership and ingenuity. It's also pleasing to see several ASX-listed technology companies making their mark on this year's finalist list.

Over our 150 year history, ASX has been at the forefront of supporting Australia's economic success, evolving with the times to foster innovation and growth. From our early roots in the metals and mining industries to now accelerating the technology markets that are shaping the future, ASX has become home to a diverse range of successful companies. Australia's capital market system includes the world's fifth-largest pension pool, making ASX uniquely positioned to help companies raise the capital they need to grow and achieve their ambitions, while offering investors the opportunity to share in this success and build long-term wealth.

Over the past five years, ASX-listed technology companies have raised over A\$23 billion⁸ in follow-on capital which have been put towards a range of activities including domestic and international expansion and acquisitions. With the S&P/ASX 200 Index reaching record highs throughout 2024, investor demand for high-growth companies shows no signs of slowing. Offshore companies and investors have recognised ASX's strength as an attractive market to list and raise capital on and this is demonstrated in global listings and dual listings from regions including New Zealand, the United States, Singapore, and Canada.

We wish all the Deloitte Technology Fast 50 finalists a bright and successful future and we look forward to welcoming many more innovative technology businesses to ASX.

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⁸ Dealogic. Technology follow-on capital raised 30 Sep 2019 – 30 Sep 2024.

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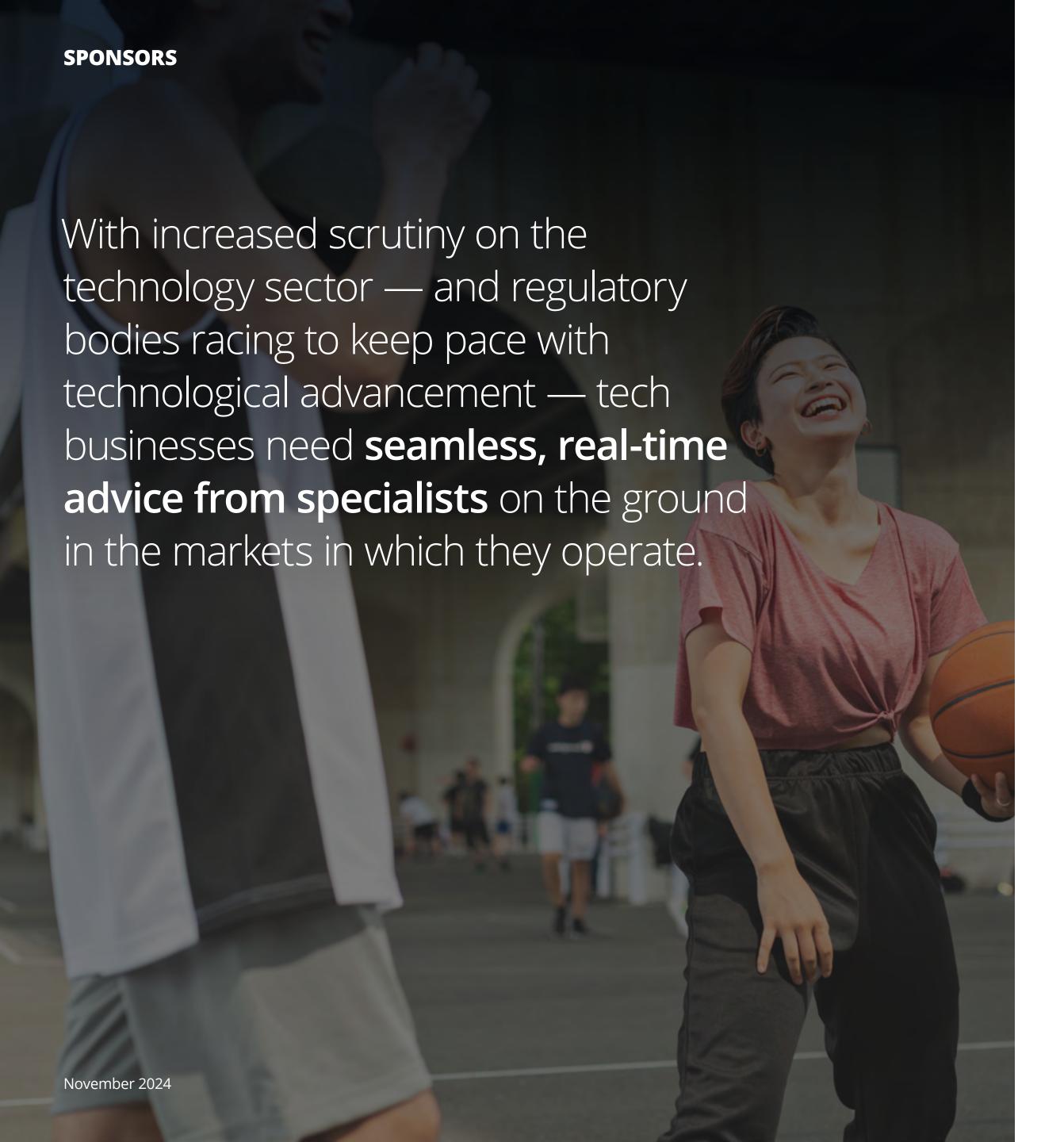
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- Provide an integrated end-to-end service for tech businesses that includes corporate, tax, merger and foreign investment control, as well as IP, data privacy/cybersecurity, employment and compliance advice.
- Can advise on M&A, joint ventures and strategic alliances to access the right technology to support tech focused and enabled businesses.
- Can improve liquidity and enable greater focus on your core businesses operations through carve-outs and spin-offs whilst also attracting other avenues for new investment.
- Can help manage your industrial and employee relations strategies.

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By way of example we assisted Menulog, one of Australia's most successful leading on demand delivery platforms, successfully become part of JUST EAT, a global online delivery marketplace juggernaut.

We can't wait to see what incredible founders, operators and businesses this year's Tech Fast 50 Awards unearths!

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With our values guiding our efforts, we are committed to working closely alongside our employees, customers and partners to build on the promise of tomorrow and contribute to the communities around us.

Workday would like to congratulate the winners and nominations in this year's Tech Fast 50 program. We are delighted to support companies, individuals and initiatives that contribute to building a community who are essential to driving innovation. We look forward to seeing all winners and nominated companies continuing the tradition of the many Australian and New Zealand startups that have since grown to become well-known brands in local and global markets.

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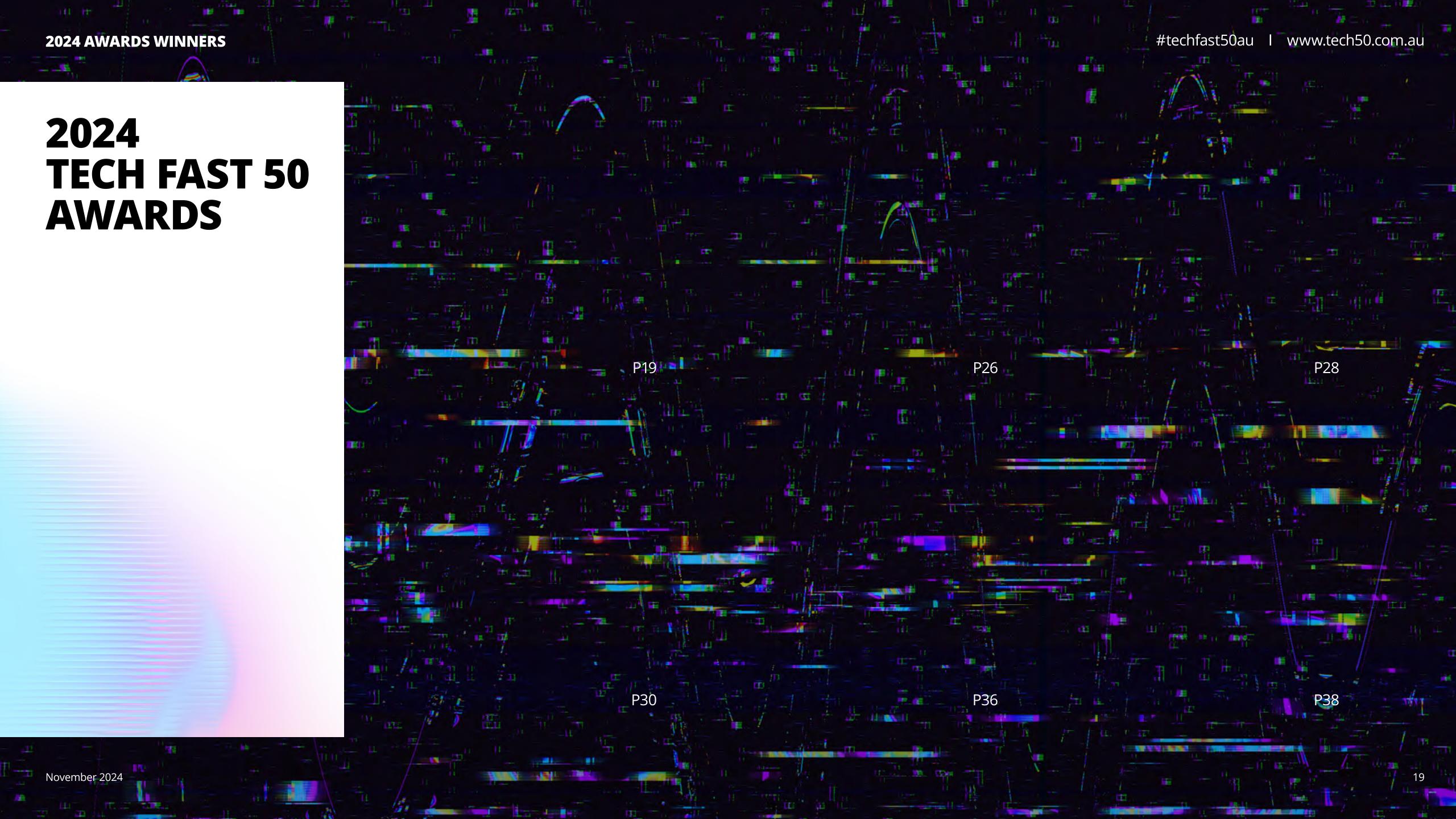
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John McDuling Editor-in-chief Capital Brief







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Honey is revolutionising home insurance with cutting-edge technology and customer engagement.

Honey is revolutionising home insurance with cutting-edge technology and customer engagement. As Australia's first smart home insurer, Honey leverages advanced geospatial technology and artificial intelligence to streamline the application process, allowing customers to secure the right coverage in just 3 minutes – far quicker than the industry average.

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TECH FAST 50 #02



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Since our launch in July 2021, PropHero has undergone significant growth:

- 150+ members from 16 nationalities
- · Operating in 4 markets: Australia, Spain, Indonesia, and Ireland
- 40x revenue growth in the last 3 years
- 5000 app users from 36 countries
- 2500+ properties in portfolio
- \$1Bn AUD in assets under management
- Raised A\$15M from both international, and Australian VC funds
- Reached positive EBITDA in May 2024
- Excellent client satisfaction with 40+ Net Promoter Score
- >300 partners across the property wealth ecosystem
- US\$ 100M+ total value of properties bought in 2024
- 21.8% Average capital growth for our Australian clients in the last 12 months.
- 11.6% Average gross yield for our investments in Spain.

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TECH FAST 50

#04	Aunty Grace +2,093%	#05	Hola Health +1,521%	#06	Tranzformd +1,452%	#07	Updoc +1,207%
#08	Ecommerce Equation +1,156%	#09	Midnight Health +1,153%	#10	Fabulate +1,105%	#11	Evie Networks +1,065%
#12	Ofload +820%	#13	NexI +715%	#14	Wagetap +684%	#15	iCatalyst +587%
#16	Carma +560%	#17	Assembled Media +552%	#18	Hampr +536%	#19	AutoGrab +505%
#20	RightSec +466%	#21	DroneShield +417% (ASX: DRO)	#22	Claxon +386%	#23	Dabble +373%
#24	Proptech Labs +371%	#25	WINR Corporation +342%	#26	Affinda +325%	#27	EVSE +305%

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#40	Tape Ark +174%	#41	Employment Hero +173%	#42	InDebted +155%	#43	Dashdot +153%
#44	Accelerate ITS +152%	#45	Hometime +146%	#46	Farmbot Monitoring Solutions +312%	#47	Beforepay Group +131% (ASX: B4P)
#48	Catalytic IT +131%	#49	Arinco +130%	#50	Ordermentum +123%		



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ABOUT THE WINNER

LEADERSHIP & ENTERPRISE GROWTH



+72%



Swoop (ASX:SWP) is a leading Australian telecommunications provider specialising in fixed wireless broadband, NBN (National Broadband Network), and mobile solutions.

We deliver ultra-reliable, high-throughput connectivity through our own fibre and fixed wireless infrastructure to residential, business, and enterprise customers. Committed to exceptional service and competitive pricing, Swoop also offers voice services and tailored solutions. With a strategic focus on growth through acquisitions and network expansion, Swoop aims to become Australia's premier challenger in the telecom space. Since listing in 2021, Swoop has acquired several companies and continues to gain recognition, recently named as a Digital Transformation Leader by AFR and a finalist in the 2023 Australian Growth Company Awards.

swoop.com.au



ABOUT THE WINNER

TECH FEMALE LEADER

Cynthia Scott

Zip CEO &

Managing Director

CYNTHIA SCOTT

As a female CEO of an ASX-200 digital financial services company, Cynthia is passionate about mentoring women within and outside Zip. Cynthia regularly speaks publicly about her career and has previously set up industry networking bodies for women.

zip.co

Cynthia drove the establishment of the 'Women at Zip' program which provides a forum for the fearless women at Zip to feel connected through sharing experiences, hearing from external leaders in the industry, networking and mentoring events. She recently joined a fireside chat with Zip's US team on the topic: Empowerment through diversity: stories of growth and resilience.

Under Cynthia's leadership, Zip has achieved an outstanding turnaround. In FY24, Zip achieved Cash EBTDA of \$69.0 million for the year, an improvement of \$117.0 million on the prior year's loss. A focus on product innovation saw Zip introduce a new product in Australia and pilot a 'Pay in 8' product in the US.

Zip's focus on gender diversity, including within its technology teams, remains a priority. At Zip, women represent 43% of the total workforce, with 50% female representation on the Zip Board. In addition to the organisation-wide focus on gender diversity, Cynthia has been focused on increasing the representation of women in its Technology Division. In FY24, Zip saw a 5% increase in the total number of women in Technology and an 8% increase in female representation on the Technology leadership team Cynthia is a supporter of ALIAVIA Ventures, a venture capital firm investing in early-stage female founders building technology companies. In October 2023, she moderated their South by Southwest (SXSW) Sydney panel: How Australian companies can successfully expand to the US.

For the Tech 50 2023 awards, Zip was awarded the Enterprise Growth and Leadership award including in relation to its diversity, equity and inclusion initiatives. More recently, Cynthia was recognised in the Australian Financial Review's Women in Leadership Awards 2024 in the non-banking sector.





#01

Software at Scale

+2,356%

#02

Evermed

+1,774%

#03

Restack

+728%

ABOUT OUR TOP THREE

RISING STAR #01



+2,356%



Software@Scale is a specialised technology consultancy that helps businesses solve complex urgent technical challenges, whether related to cloud implementation, cybersecurity, or AI integration, while ensuring platforms remain secure and scalable.

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RISING STAR #02



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Evermed is bringing the industry into the digital world, enabling consumers to access their medication without stepping into a pharmacy.

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ABOUT OUR TOP THREE

RISING STAR #03



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#04

Hey Zomi

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#05

Wingman Group

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#06

Techko

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#07

MakerX

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ABOUT THE WINNER

CLIMATE & SUSTAINABILITY



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CFLOAD

Ofload is Australia's leading digital freight service, helping businesses achieve efficient, flexible and sustainable supply chains, with a nation-wide carrier network servicing over monthly shipments of all types of freight.

Ofload connects leading brands such Asahi, Kimberly-Clark, Metcash, Noumi and Sara Lee with carriers in a smarter way to utilise otherwise spare shipping capacity, thereby eliminating empty KMs and unnecessary emissions. The company actively supports Australia's small business carriers, connecting reliable small-to-medium-sized transport operators from the 'long tail' of the nation's AUD\$66B road freight industry, with Australia's largest brands and shippers.

In 2023, Ofload was ranked in the Top 100 Innovators by The Australian newspaper. In 2022 Ofload made the Australian Financial Review's BOSS Most Innovative Company list.

ofload.com.au



AUSTRALIAN STATE CHAMPIONS

NSW

Honey Insurance

+5,336%

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NT



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ABOUT THE WINNER

AUSTRALIAN STATE CHAMPIONS

QLD

Midnight Health

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Midnight Health is a digital healthcare company that has serviced over 200,000 Australians through three consumer brands; Hub.health, Youly.com.au and Stagger.com.au.

Their platform provides access to telehealth consultations, prescriptions, pharmacy delivery and treatment plans across 25+ conditions including sexual health, weight loss and skincare.

The startup has successfully raised \$40 million in capital from strategic investor nib holdings to support their vision of providing healthcare to all Australians that is accessible when, where and how they need it.

midnight.health

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AUSTRALIAN STATE CHAMPIONS

SA



+228%



In 2017, the co-founders at Handy Finance launched our company with a vision to reimagine personal finance.

Despite significant advancements in technology and consumer data, we saw an industry stuck in the past, burdened by outdated loan processes that failed to leverage the full potential of the technology and data that was available to it. Our belief was simple: by digitising and automating loan processes, we could create a more efficient, customer-centric experience.

Leveraging a broader set of data allowed us to offer better rates to those with good credit histories – something traditional institutions often overlook. Overtime our product offering and vision has expanded. Today, we aren't just building a fintech; we are creating a new standard for financial products. In terms of growth strategy, our focus has always been on consistently refining our core technology – ensuring that we acquire customers at the lowest cost, process loans swiftly, and offer great value to consumers.

handyfinance.com.au

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ABOUT THE WINNER

AUSTRALIAN STATE CHAMPIONS

VIC



+2,256%



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AUSTRALIAN STATE CHAMPIONS

WA

Hola Health

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Hola is Australia's only truly on-demand telehealth platform, connecting patients with doctors in just 15 minutes.

Founded in Perth in 2020, Hola has rapidly evolved from a medicine delivery service to a leading 24/7 telehealth provider, serving over 400,000 Australians.

Our innovative platform offers consultations, prescriptions, medical certificates, and referrals with an average wait time of only 8 minutes. With just 13 employees in Australia and a network of registered healthcare practicioners, we efficiently manage over 60,000 patient appointments monthly. Hola's commitment to continuous improvement and innovation has yielded remarkable results. Over the past 18 months, we've experienced more than five times revenue growth and a six-fold increase in transactions. We now handle thousands of daily transactions through our platform, demonstrating the scalability and effectiveness of our model. This significant momentum underscores the success of our strategy and positions us strongly for future expansion, including our plans for overseas growth.

hola.health



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