Mission
As Ventures celebrates its 25th anniversary, we continue to empower individuals with limited resources and unlimited potential to improve their lives through small business ownership. We do this through a robust toolkit of services that include training, coaching, capital, incubation and learning opportunities such as InnoVentures.

Program
InnoVentures is a unique program that provides a chance for Ventures business-owners from the food, product, and service sectors to pitch an innovation that will increase efficiency and grow sales for their business to a team of judges. Contestants work with coaches to refine their ideas and a guest panel judges will score the pitches over a series of events to determine winners. Winners will earn prizes and resources to expand their enterprises. Benefits include: verbal recognition at event, inclusion in event program (photo and bio) and featured on social media. We will need a total of 2 Spanish speaking interpreters to fill the InnoVentures Interpreter volunteer positions by Friday, December 20th, 2019.

Position
Volunteering as an InnoVentures Interpreter is an opportunity to use your Spanish-language skills to empower entrepreneurs on stage. You will be expected to attend each event, provide on-the-spot, simultaneous interpretation for business pitches.

Responsibilities include:
- Commit to attending required events (see below)
- Perform the pitch flawlessly and simultaneously by interpreting sections of the pitch from Spanish to English
- With little preparation, convey an equal level of emotion and professionalism as the contestant

Qualifications include:
- Native Spanish-speaker or high level of Spanish fluency
- Experience as a professional or volunteer interpreter
- Interest in and enthusiasm for Ventures’ mission to empower low-income entrepreneurs
- Outstanding public speaking skills

Time Commitment
We anticipate that this position will require up to a 13-hour time commitment from January – March of 2020. To apply, please email volunteer@venturesnonprofit.org and submit your resume by Friday, December 20th, 2019.

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<td>6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.</td>
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