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ARLINGTON, Va., Sep 26, 2013 (BUSINESS WIRE) — SPI Start-Up Alley's impressive panel of industry reviewers have spoken and selected 19 companies to participate in the inaugural year of the Solar Power International Start-Up Alley Challenge. The Challenge, held on Wednesday, October 23 during SPI '13 in Chicago, is the culmination of the show's new Start-Up Alley program.

Start-Up Alley Semi-Finalists:

Aeos Technology, Altium Energy, Divya Energy, Faze1, [GreenLancer.com](#), kWh Analytic, Lighting For Learning, LimeLight Solar, QuickSolar, renewz sustainable solutions inc., Skysun, LLC Solar Exchange, Solar Site Design, SolarCast, LLC SolarZentrum North America, Inc. Sun Synchrony Tangerine+ **Ultrasolar Technology**, Weave

Start-Up Alley is a new, featured show floor area at Solar Power International that will bring up-and-coming companies to the Expo Hall to showcase what's on the horizon for the solar industry. Based on other successful programs of this type, Start-Up Alley will further enhance the cutting-edge nature

of SPI's offerings, and offer start-up companies the support, visibility, and access to industry leaders that can lead to a solid footing in the solar energy business.

Mike Dershowitz, President & Founder of ModSolar, and the driving force behind the program, commented, "At so many major events, finding the start-up companies with the innovative ideas is like looking for a needle in the proverbial haystack. Start-Up Alley puts all the needles in one place."

All semi-finalists receive a free booth and will have the incredible opportunity to gain visibility with the SPI audience for their early-stage business. For more information, and to see a full list of Start-Up Alley judges, visit <http://www.solarpowerinternational.com/conference-program/start-up-alley/>.

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