

# SPIRE Atlas Ventures

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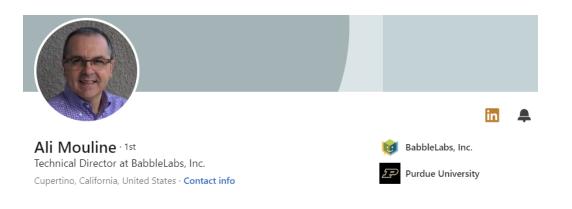
• "SPIRE Atlas Ventures is launching a \$3.5 MM venture studio fund based in Casablanca, Morocco, and aiming to back West African AI, Deeptech and Saas Start-ups leveraging strong technical teams behind 7 start-up exits in the US as well as our strong Silicon Valley ecosystem."

#### **EXECUTIVE TEAM**





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#### HATIM CHRAIBI (General Partner)

Hatim is the general partner aat SPIRE Atlas Ventures and managing director of SPIRE Advisory Group, a Silicon Valley accelerator. To date, Hatim's organization has positioned and accelerated over a 100 international start-ups in the Silicon Valley. Hatim has a BA from the University of San Francisco and an MBA from McGill University.

#### **ALI MOULINE (Chief Technology Officer)**

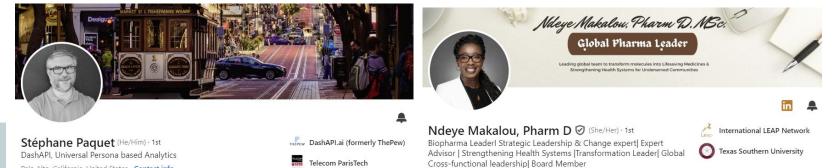
Ali is currently the CTO of SPIRE Atlas Studio and CEO/co-founder of Voxalto, full stack software development services involving frontend, backend, and AI technologies.

He is an experienced engineering leader, technologist, and product manager.

For the past 25 year he has held various technical positions at Silicon Valley companies including several early stage startups.

He holds B.S. and M.S degrees in Electrical Engineering, both from Purdue University.







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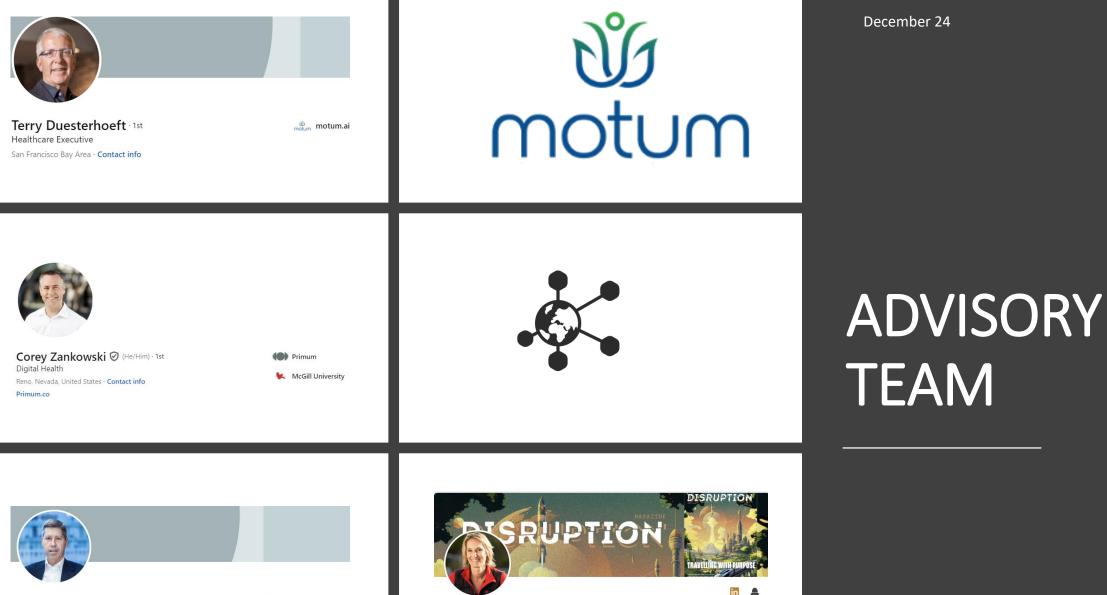
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### SOME of our TRACK RECORD



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- **ENARA Health** development team: platform, developing and deploying all the AWS hands-free applications and services, including the IOS and Android patient apps, the care providers dashboards, and all the AI analytics. This culminated in Enarahealth raising a \$6M series A round.
- **Babble Labs:** Technical Direction at a startup focused on applying AI to enhance audio and video in noisy and low bandwith conditions. The Audio AI applications he contributed to included the hands-free operation (using voice) of mobile law inforcement portable radios in high noise environments as well as the de-noising of online conference calls (Zoom, Webex, etc...). Babblelabs was aquired by Cisco Systems in October 2020. The Babblelabs technology is now part of Webex suite of apps.
- **DXNow:** Product positioning, Clinical Traction and Global expansion. Company sold to CooperSurgical.
- **DNAmito:** Evaluation of technology, start-up constitution, Advisory team, board of directors. Company's product licensed to Varian Medical.

#### CURRENT IDEAS EVALUATED

- Start-up has been selected by NEXT-AI Canada among finalists as Edge AI. The start-up focuses on streamlining and speeding up operational processes in the cloud, the fog and the edges (IoTs) using AIbased solutions in combination with emerging technologies, including AI/ML, 5/6G and quantum technologies. Pre-seed of \$300,000 and full stack technical team.
- Digital Health start-up for cardiology monitoring, gathering data for diagnosis and predictive medicine. Pre-seed of \$300,000 and full star technical team.
- Agrotech visual AI technology to evaluate quality and size of fruits and vegetables for triage. Pre-seed of \$300,000 and full stack technical team.
- Fintech start-up to facilitate payments at 0% interest rates. Pre-seed of \$300,000 and full stack technical team. Pre-seed of \$300,000 and full stack technical team.





### ALLOCATION







Ideation or pre-seed start-ups

10 investments over 5 years (2-3 Start-ups a year) Maximum of \$300,000 preseed investment per start-up to build MVP/pilot site for an average 20% ownership in each start-up

# PROJECTED RETURNS

- Projected IRR: 20%
- Return on Investment (ROI):
  - The SPIRE Atlas Ventures' fund ROI over 5 years will be in the range of 2X, depending on the success rate of the startups launched.
  - Projected ROI: 1.7x over 5 years (300%)



- Example Calculation (Hypothetical Scenario,
- Initial Investment: \$300,000 at a potential initial valuation of \$1,000,000 per Start-up (30% equity)
- Year 5 Value at pre-series A: \$25,000,000 per start-up (conservative estimate vs. market valuations)
- Assumptions: 50% dilution over 5 years, resulting in a 15% equity of the \$50M (assuming a 20% success rate 2 out of 10 companies)
- ROI Calculation: 15%\*\$50M (portfolio valuation at 5 years) = \$7.5M Equivalent to a 114% profit and 22.8% IRR over 5 years

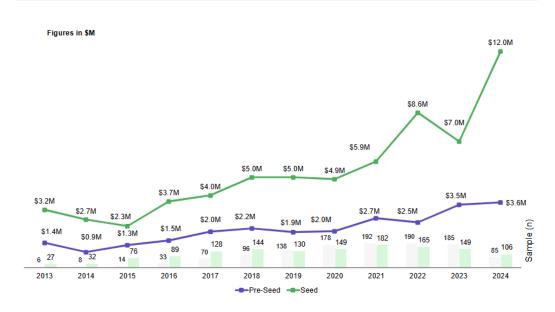
### MARKET

So, what are the current Al company valuations in 2024?

The median AI pre-money valuations as of 2024 were:

- Al startup raising pre-seed capital would have a median \$3.6M valuation
- Al startup raising seed capital would have a median \$12.0M valuation
- Al startup raising Series A capital would have a median \$34.0M valuation
- Al startup raising Series B capital would have a median \$150.0M valuation
- Al startup raising Series C capital would have a median \$588.0M valuation

#### Al Valuations: Median pre-money valuation



#### Source: <a href="https://aventis-advisors.com/ai-valuation-multiples/">https://aventis-advisors.com/ai-valuation-multiples/</a>



### **ECONOMICS**



- \$3.5M fund with ideation/pre-seed investments in 10 start-ups over
  5 years
- Single Investment amount of \$175,000 per LP/ticket
- 2% yearly Management Fees over 5 years with a carried interest of 15% (if the IRR is under 20%) and 20% (if the IRR is over 20%), using the American Waterfall/deal-by-deal method.

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