Flex the Hustle: G-Unity students showcase business ideas to companies

WHAT: 75 G-Unity Business Lab students will be mentored by University of Houston business students then pitch their ideas to companies such as Microsoft, Amazon, Chase Bank, and NASA. The companies will be given faux $500 to invest in the proposals. This will be the first academic task for students before the ultimate pitch in May entitled “The Hustle Talk” before a host of judges including Curtis “50 Cent” Jackson.

Mayor Sylvester Turner will give the students a pep talk to kick off the showcase.

WHO: G-Unity students, Mayor Sylvester Turner, representatives from Apple, HBO Max, Microsoft, NASA, Chase, Houston Texans, Axiom Space, Exxon Mobil, Exotic Pop

WHEN: Saturday, Jan. 29
9:30 a.m. – 11 a.m.

WHERE: University of Houston Student Center
The Houston Room
4455 University Dr, 77004

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