# **Highlights**

- Over 300 attendees, including more than 120 top caliber consumer, food & beverage investors, executives, business owners and industry experts
- 32 presenting companies
- Theme: using social media and the direct-to-consumer channel to grow your consumer business
- Event included a mix of company presentations, dynamic speakers, panelists, cocktails, networking and over 100 1x1 meetings held

# **Dynamic Speakers and Content**



Gary Vaynerchuk, Social Media Expert, Featured Keynote Speaker



Dick Costolo, CEO of Twitter, Featured at V.I.P. Dinner



Company Presentations



Innovation in Marketing Panel



**Networking Reception** 

# Select Companies in Attendance 2x Consumer Products Growth Partners | Akoya

Capital | Altamont Capital Partners | Alvarez & Marsal Capital Partners | American Capital (Buyouts) | Arbor Private Investment Company Arlon Group | Audax Group | Bertram Capital Brentwood Associates | Cacique | Calera Capital Caltius | Castle Harlan | CDIB Capital Centerview Capital | Centre Partners Management Charlesbank Capital Partners | Chef'n | CIC Partners CITIC Capital Partners | Clarion Capital Partners Clorox ClearLight Partners Company Compass Group | Coremix Capital | Corinthian Capital Group | Crimson Investment | Dang Foods Diamond Foods | Encore Consumer Capital Evergreen Pacific Partners | Freeman Spogli Friedman Fleischer & Lowe | Frontenac Company Genero Capital Partners | Glenbrook Consumer Partners | Global Leveraged Capital | Gryphon Investors | Guard Hill Holdings | HGGC Highland Consumer Fund | Horizon Holdings Hosen Capital | Insignia Capital Group | IFP J.H. Whitney & Co. | J.M. Huber Corporation Kagome | Kainos Capital | Kate Farms | KKR LaSalle Capital | Levine Leichtman Capital Partners Lincolnshire | Madison Dearborn Main Street Capital Holdings | Partners | Maranon Capital | Mercer Foods Mistral Equity Partners | Mitsubishi Corporation Capital Partner Moxie Capital North Castle **Partners** Norwest Venture **Partners** Olympus Palladium Equity Partners | Pastry Smart Pop! Gourmet Popcorn | PSP Capital Partners Quilvest Private Equity | RAF Industries Raptor Consumer Partners | Raymond James Capital | RLJ Equity Partners | Roch Capital San Francisco Equity Partners | Sentinel Capital Partners | Shamrock Capital Advisors Sheridan Legacy Group | Spanos Barber Jesse & Co. Star Avenue capital | Sterling Investment Partners SunTx Capital Partners | Sverica International Swander Pace Capital | TA Associates Capital Partners TΗ Tengram The Riverside Company | Toyota Tsusho America Transom Capital Group | TreeHouse Foods Trilantic Capital Partners | TSG Consumer Partners | Valor Equity Partners | Ventura Foods | VMG Partners | Weston Presidio Wicks Group | Windjammer Capital Investors



## **Pre-Conference Events**

#### V.I.P. Dinner:

- Featured remarks by Dick Costolo, CEO of Twitter
- Cocktails and networking, followed by private dinner
- Approximately 100 dinner attendees including presenting company executives and event sponsors

#### **Cocktail Networking Event:**

 Attendees included private equity investors, consumer business executives and guests arriving upon conclusion of dinner

### Schedule of Events

### Registration and Breakfast Opening Remarks



Panel Session: Innovation in Marketing

#### **Morning Break**

#### **Household and Gifts Presentation**



GENERATION BRANDS

**Direct-to-Consumer Presentation** 

**EverBright** 

**Premier Care** 

#### **Healthy Snacks Presentation**







# Active Lifestyle Presentation





#### Mid-Morning Break

#### **Convenience Sweets & Spirits Presentation**







#### **Active Lifestyle II Presentation**







#### Lunch and Keynote Speaker: Gary Vaynerchuk

#### **Afternoon Break**

# Brand Service Presentation



#### Premium / Artisan Brands Presentation









#### Better For You & Ethnic Foods Presentation









**Late Afternoon Networking Reception**