



Nonprofit wins Bard Center's business plan contest

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Journey of Life Meetinghouse, a nonprofit care center for seniors, won first place and \$10,000 on Wednesday in business plan competition sponsored by the Bard Center for Entrepreneurship at the University of Colorado at Denver.

Tiffany Espinosa was the team leader for the winner.

BP Proteomics Inc. (team leaders Catherine Kunst and Millard Cull) won second place and \$5,000. The company develops biotechnology for diagnostic devices called protein microarrays.

In third place, earning \$2,500, was Ventless Combustion & Energy Corp. (team leader Stanley Sanchez). Its ventless combustion system uses organic wastes and fuel to generate electricity without air emissions or producing other waste products, according to a news release.

Three other companies won \$1,000 each: Air TravelerBAGXpress Corp. (team leaders Patricia Kurgan and Robert Sperling), Voicestra (team leaders Jeffrey Kohn, Tomas Kaplan and Mark Lohman) and Resume Rooster (team leaders Christopher Campanile, Thomas Marshello and Charles Carr).