



ABOUT THE CLUB

A statewide room for the people moving Texas capital.

Convening the people and ideas that will make Texas the premier financial hub in America.

The Economic Club of Texas is a network of senior investors, financial leaders, and executives at the forefront of Texas's economic landscape. It includes CIOs from major institutions, partners across asset management and private markets, and corporate leaders from across the state's leading industries.

What we do

Distinguished Speaker Series

In-depth conversations with CEOs, CIOs, policymakers, and thought leaders on topics of...

City Events — Austin, Dallas & Houston

Regular gatherings that highlight regional opportunities, local entrepreneurs, and...

Member Roundtables

Small, curated discussions where members compare notes on investment themes, capital...

Sector & Strategy Sessions

Focused forums on public equities, private credit, real assets, venture capital, and...

Community & Networking Reception

Informal events that reinforce the Club's relationship-driven culture and create space...

Our principles

Nonpartisan, Independent, Commercially Neutral

The Club does not advocate for specific policies, candidates, or products.



Respect for Diverse Viewpoints

We welcome a broad range of perspectives and expect discussions to be rigorous, candid...

Confidentiality and Trust

Many events are held off the record to encourage open dialogue and the sharing of...

Texas-first, Globally Connected

Our focus is on the Texas financial community, but our conversations and relationships...

Founders

- Charles "Chuck" Murphy
- Brian Bares
- Kurt Probe
- Alexander Schoenbaum
- Dale West
- Santiago Iturbe
- Brian Gilmore
- Basil Qunibi

Upcoming events

3Q26 Houston Happy Hour and Economic Club Intro

Thursday, September 24, 2026 • Houston Country Club, Houston

4Q26 Texas Year-End Celebration & Statewide Leadership Summit

Thursday, November 19, 2026 • Barton Creek Country Club, Austin

Membership and event inquiries are always welcome.

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