

DO YOU KNOW YOUR NETWORK?

The ONE Network Peel Region is a collaborative network of organizations across the Peel Region with a vision to assist entrepreneurs, businesses and researchers commercialize their ideas. If you have a business, or a business idea, the ONE Network Peel Region is here for you.

Check out your network and some of their upcpoming events.



Ontario Network of Entrepreneurs







Ontario Centres of Excellence

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ICUBE UTM



ABOUT US

ICUBE UTM is Entrepreneurship at UofT Mississauga. Based in the Institute for Management & Innovation ICUBE UTM offers students and community members free business development & commercialization services. Start-up coaching, entrepreneurial training, expert speakers, co-working space, and funding opportunities are just the tip of the ICUBE (see what we did there) of what our program offers.

Thanks to support from the Ontario Centres of Excellence and other partners, ICUBE contains innovative programming & support that is building a culture of innovation & entrepreneurship at UofT Mississauga and the western GTA.

ICE PROGRAM: INNOVATION TO COMMERCIALIZATION FOR ENTREPRENEURS

The 3-month ICE program is an intensive boot camp program designed for aspiring entrepreneurs to learn about the fundamentals of starting and validating their early stage business ideas. If you are a student, alumnus or community member with a great idea, we encourage your team to apply. Details available at www.icubeutm.ca

HACKERNEST - NETWORK YOUR TECH VOICE

November 14, 2016 | 8:00 PM - 12:00 AM (Pizza & Beer, \$10)



SOCIAL INNOVATION LUNCH - TIME TO BE BOLD

November 21, 2016 | | 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM (Free Networking Lunch)

COUNTDOWN TO SUCCESS - MANJIT MINAS (DRAGONS DEN)

November 24, 2016 | | 5:00 PM - 8:30 PM (Light refreshments)

CONTACT US

(905) 569-4467

Innovation Complex 3359 Mississauga Rd, Mississauga, ON Room L1240 & L1212

Website & Event Details: www.icubeutm.ca

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Mon/Nov 14th Mon/Nov 21st Thu/Nov 24th



See event.



UOFT Mississauga Innovation Complex 3359 Mississauga Rd, Mississauga, ON

BRAMPTON ENTREPRENEUR CENTRE



ABOUT US

The Brampton Entrepreneur Centre is dedicated to helping business owners and entrepreneurs succeed. Whether you're opening a business, developing a business plan or transforming an established business, we have the expertise to help propel your ideas forward. We're you're one-stop source in Brampton for support, training, and mentoring. We offer: guidance on business start-up steps, permits and regulations, free or low-cost workshops and seminars, individual/private consultations, business plan reviews, referral services, counsel on growth and change issues, assistance with information about where to locate, open or expand your business, and professional development and networking opportunities. The Brampton Entrepreneur Centre also offers FREE consultations with business advisors.

STARTER COMPANY

If you're out of school and have a business idea, you can get support plus up to \$5,000 in funding to start a company or expand an existing one.

SUMMER COMPANY

If you've got a winning idea for starting a new business, you could get \$3,000 to turn it into reality.

STARTUP WEEKEND PEEL

November 4, 2016 | 6:30 PM - 11:59 PM

Startup Weekend is a global grassroots movement of active community leaders and entrepreneurs who are learning the basics of founding startups and launching successful ventures. This year Startup Weekend is happening again in Peel and this is your chance to start a company in 54 hours! Anyone is welcome to pitch their startup idea and receive feedback from their peers. Teams form organically around the ideas and those that have the most popular votes or team members carry on past Friday night. Each team must have at least three people. Ticket prices range from \$15 - \$50. For more information vist: peel.startupweekend.org/

CONTACT US

(905) 874-2667

2 Wellington Street West, Brampton, ON L6Y 4R2

Website: www.Brampton.ca/bec



Fri/Nov 4th



6:30 PM - 11:59 PM



Sheridan College Brampton 7899 McLaughlin Road, Brampton, ON L6Y 5H9

MISSISSAUGA BUSINESS ENTERPRISE CENTRE



ABOUT US

Whether you are starting or growing a small business, or just thinking about it, the Mississauga Business Enterprise Centre (MBEC) can help you with small business information, resources and guidance. MBEC offers: free business information and resource, free business plan reviews, low cost business seminars and workshops, low cost online business training courses and Young Entrepreneur programs.

Learn from small business professionals to Start Build and Grow your business. MBEC will guide you through the steps of starting or expanding your business, including business registration, preparing a business plan, tax responsibilities, available government programs and much more.

STARTER COMPANY PROGRAM

If you are between 18 to 29 years and not attending school full time, you have the opportunity to apply for a \$5,000 grant through the Starter Company Program including access to mentorship and guidance to help you start, expand or purchase a full-time business.

SUMMER COMPANY

If you are between 15 to 29 and attending high school, college or university in Ontario, you have the opportunity to apply for a \$3,000 grant through the Summer Company Program, to help you start and operate a new business during the summer.

STARTER COMPANY ORIENTATION SESSION

November 8, 2016 || 10:00 - 11:00 AM

The Starter Company Program can help you develop skills and gain experience in starting and operating a small business. To register in person, visit any major Mississauga community centre or you may visit the online registration at:

activemississauga.ca

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www.mississauga/mbec

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mbec@mississauga.ca



Tue/Nov 8th



10:00 -11:00 AM



Mississauga Central Library 301 Burnhamthorpe Rd West, Mississauga, ON

RIC CENTRE



ABOUT US

Peel Region's hub for innovation and entrepreneurship, the Research Innovation Commercialization (RIC) Centre, co-located with Xerox Research Centre of Canada, is a not-for-profit organization supporting the development of innovation and entrepreneurship in Mississauga, Brampton and Caledon. RIC Centre offers a comprehensive range of support services for free, including mentorship and advisory services, hands-on workshops and networking events to help entrepreneurs fast-track their business to market. RIC Centre hosts a six-month Incubator program to help startups define their path to market by exploring and securing partnerships that will open access to capital, connections and paying customers.

RIC Centre provides services to technology startups of all shapes and sizes. Whether you just have an idea or have millions in revenue, we will tailor a custom strategy to your particular situation.

RIC Centre works with innovators in a range of sectors, including, but not limited to:

- Advanced Manufacturing
- Clean Technologies
- Digital Media and ICT
- Life Sciences

ENTREPRENEUR'S TOOLKIT WORKSHOP: THE MARCOM TOOLKIT

November 10, 2016 | 8:30 AM - 1:30 PM

This session introduces the "MarCom Strategic Framework," and focuses on two key elements: defining your target audience and establishing credibility.

November 17, 2016 | 8:30 AM - 1:30 PM

In this session, you will align your marketing objectives with the consumers' buying process while examining a variety of marketing channels and activities. You will evaluate and select which ones are the most relevant and credible with your target audience.

CONTACT US

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Thu/Nov 10th Thu/Nov 17th



8:30 AM - 1:30 PM



RIC Centre 2260 Speakman Drive, Mississauga, ON L5K 2L1

HUMBER CENTRE FOR ENTREPRENEURSHIP



ABOUT US

The Centre for Entrepreneurship (CfE) is the student focused on-campus destination for everyone who wants to explore the world of entrepreneurship and intrapreneurship. The CfE provides a space for like-minded individuals to meet, collaborate and create. No matter your passion, interest, or previous entrepreneurial experiences, the CfE has specialized opportunities that will stimulate new ways of thinking and support your unique goals.

These experiential learning opportunities include interactive workshops, networking events, and startup competitions. Participating students, alumni, and community members will be encouraged to use the G-Building's facilities and physical resources to help develop, grow, and test business ideas.

LAUNCHPAD PITCH COMPETITION

The LaunchPad Pitch Competition is held annually to help Humber College and Guelph-Humber students develop and grow their early-stage business concepts. LaunchPad winners will receive up to \$7,500 to support their startup ideas, along with guidance and support from CfE mentors, and access to the CfE's resources. For more infomration visit:

www.humber.ca/cfe/funding

BE YOUR OWN BOSS: WHAT'S THE BEST WAY TO GET STARTED?

November 15, 2016 | | 4:15 - 6:00 PM Join Jim Skinner, professor at The Business School and the Centre for Entrepreneurship as we discover what being your own boss is all about.

BASICS TO PITCHING

November 16, 2016 | | 2:00 - 4:00 PM
Are you looking to improve your public speaking skills?
Do you have a business and need to construct your pitch?
Join us for a workshop on how to properly form a pitch for your business.

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Tue/Nov 15th Wed/Nov 16th



See event.



G Building - G305 Humber College -Lakeshore Campus 3199 Lake Shore Blvd W, Toronto, ON M8V 1K8

CALEDON SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE CENTRE



ABOUT US

The Town of Caledon (Town) is committed to helping entrepreneurs and small businesses succeed in Caledon. As such, the Town offers these services in partnership with Caledon Community Services through the Caledon Small Business Enterprise Centre (CSBEC). The CSBEC is Caledon's one-stop resource for business advisory services including, consultations and workshops. CSBEC services include: free consultations with a business consultant, business plan reviews, accountant/lawyer referral service, access to entrepreneur-specific materials, free business-related computer and Internet access, reference library for onsite access to directories, trade indexes and business publications, workshops and seminars, networking and professional development opportunities, and guidance on licenses, permits, regulations and other new business requirements.

JOBS CALEDON ONLINE JOB BANK

November 2, 2016 || Recurring Event

The main focus of CCS' Jobs Caledon Employment Services program is to connect employers to qualified candidates. We offer a wide variety of employment-related resources as well as access to placements and training incentives. Please feel free to review our various resources: Employers, Job Seekers, Job Bank, Events and Youth. To talk to an Employment Specialist, contact the team today at jobs@ccs4u.org or call 905-584-2300. We are here to support you!

WORK FROM HOME

November 29, 2016 | | 1:30 - 3:30 PM

Build your skills, knowledge and confidence related to legitimate opportunities to work from home, while learning how to research work from home opportunities to protect yourself from scams. Register at jobs@ccs4u.org or call 905-584-2300.

CONTACT US

(905) 584-2300 x 216

Royal Courtyards 18 King Street East, Bolton, ON L7E 1E8 Upper Level

Website:

www.ccs4u.org/business



Wed/Nov 2nd Tue/Nov 29th



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18 Kings Street East, Bolton, ON Upper Level

ONTARIO CENTRES OF EXCELLENCE



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ABOUT US

Ontario Centres of Excellence (OCE) drives the development of Ontario's economy by helping create new jobs, products, services, technologies and businesses. In partnership with industry, OCE co-invests to commercialize innovation originating in the province's publicly funded colleges, universities and research hospitals. We also support and invest in early-stage projects, where the probability of commercial success and potential total return on innovation are substantial. A trusted partner of government in program delivery, we are committed to advancing a whole-of-government approach as a means of streamlining funding application processes for companies and entrepreneurs.

HOW WE DO IT

OCE works directly with academia and industry to bring prospective partners together to turn ideas into income. We deploy an experienced 40-person team of Business Development Managers to all corners of the province. They find out what's needed by industry and literally explore the halls and labs of academe to find out about the latest breakthroughs from researchers. Together, they work through OCE's tailored programs to commercialize innovations, transfer technologies and develop promising talent.

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