### Tools and Connections

## Small Biz Week 2012



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#### WHERE:

Convenient Locations throughout the Greater Trenton Area

#### WHY:

To learn new business concepts and procurement opportunities; meet state-of-the art vendors; and network with the cream of the business community

#### WORKSHOPS

More than a dozen seminars focusing on topics like Social Media, Costly Employment Mistakes, Veterans Opportunities and Obstacles, Government Procurement, Real Estate Opportunities, Tourism and Much More!

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#### PLAN NOW TO ATTEND!

It's the 19th anniversary of Trenton Small Business Week, and it promises to be the best ever! Plans are currently in progress to fulfill the needs of all members of the business community throughout the tri-state area.

#### **ALL WORKSHOPS AND MOST EVENTS ARE FREE!**

#### WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

- Entrepreneurs
- New Business Owners
- Small Business Owners
- Corporate Executives

And virtually anyone working in the tri-state area or exploring business opportunities!

#### **EVENTS:**

KICK OFF BREAKFAST WITH SMALL BUSINESS AWARDS - 10/15

11TH ANNUAL MERCER REGIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FALL EXPO - 10/16

TD BANK BUSINESS NETWORKING RECEPTION - 10/16

PRINCETON REGIONAL CHAMBER RUSH HOLT BREAKFAST - 10/17

CAPITAL CITY REAL ESTATE RECEPTION - 10/17

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# ROGRAM AT A GLANCE:

#### **MONDAY, OCTOBER 15**

- Kick Off Networking & Awards Breakfast
- The 4 Ways to Grow Your Business
- Social Media 1 Start Using It to Grow Your Business
- Social Media 2 Developing Your Social Media Strategy & Taking the Tools to the Next Level

#### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16**

- Central NJ Expo 2012
- Women in Business Speed Networking Breakfast
- How to Protect Your Company from the Costliest Employment Mistakes
- Veterans Your Journey to Employment or Business Ownership
- How to Prepare for College Student Loan Reductions, Application & FASA Processes
- TD Bank Business Networking Reception

#### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17

- Princeton Regional Chamber Breakfast with Congressman Rush Holt
- The How-To's of Government Contracts
- Financing: The Unusual Suspects When Traditional Financing is Not Enough
- Entrepreneurship 101: Are You Really Ready to Start Your Business?
- Business & Funding Government Resources
- Promoción & Ventas En Las Redes Sociales (en Español)
- Capital City Real Estate Reception

#### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18

- CEO Business Forums
- Business Soiree and Networking Affair

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- Mercer Regional Chamber of Commerce
- Princeton Regional Chamber of Commerce
- TD Bank

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- New Jersey Economic Development Authority
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