



ST. LOUIS REGIONAL NOVEMBER '12 CALENDAR OF NETWORKING EVENTS

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This document is a listing of networking events scheduled throughout the greater St. Louis region, including Missouri (St. Louis City, St. Louis County, St. Charles County, and Jefferson County) and Illinois (St. Clair County, Madison County, and Monroe County).

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The following is a list of networking events in November 2012 that may be utilized by businesses, career center staff and partners, community organizations, and job seekers interested in participating in an On-the-Job Training (OJT) program in the greater St. Louis region. Many of the events are free to attend (plus the cost of your meal and beverages) unless indicated otherwise. The information provided in this calendar is as accurate as possible as of the date of this calendar. It is possible that changes in the scheduled events may occur prior to the date of the scheduled event. Therefore, it is advisable to verify the date, time, and location of the event prior to attending.

JOB FAIRS, RECRUITMENT EVENTS, AND OPEN HOUSES

November 1, 2012

Community Action Agency of St. Louis County Seasonal Job Fair

Overland Community Center (9225 Lackland Rd., Overland, MO 63114)

11am – 2pm

For more information call 314/446-4431

JobNews Job Fair

Sheraton Westport Chalet Hotel (191 Westport Plaza, St. Louis, MO 63146)

10am – 2pm

For more information go to www.jobnewsusa.com

November 1, 15, and 29, 2012

Extra Help Recruitment Event (General Clerical Support, General Laborers)

SLATE Missouri Career Center – Central West End (4811 Delmar, St. Louis, MO 63108)

10am – Noon

Candidates are required to pre-register for the event by applying online at www.extrahelpinc.com.

November 1, 14 and 28, 2012

Extra Help Recruitment Event (General Clerical Support, General Laborers)

Shiloh – Holiday Inn Express (3396 Green Mount Crossing Dr., Shiloh, IL)

1pm – 3pm

For more information go to www.extrahelpinc.com

November 2, 2012

Bed Bath & Beyond Management Job Fair

53 Brentwood Promenade Court, St. Louis, MO 63144

8am – 6pm

Prior to the event apply online at www.bedbathandbeyond.com under Careers-job code MW 0-2 F

November 7, 2012

Fed Ex Recruitment Event (seasonal delivery drivers and package handlers)

North Oaks Missouri Career Center (26 North Oaks Plaza, St. Louis, MO 63121)

10am – 2pm

For more information call 314/679-3300

St. Louis Career Fair

Doubletree Hotel St. Louis at Westport (1973 Craigshire Road, St. Louis, MO 63146)

11am – 2pm

For more information go to www.nationalcareerfairs.com

November 7 and 21, 2012

Extra Help Recruitment Event (General Clerical Support, General Laborers)

Belleville Nichol's Community Center (515 East D Street, Room 200, Belleville, IL)

9am – Noon

For more information go to www.extrahelpinc.com

November 8, 2012

Veterans Job Fair

SWIC – Belleville Campus (2500 Carlyle Ave, Belleville, IL 62221)

9am – Noon

For more information call Don at 618/656-6922

November 8 and 22, 2012

Extra Help Recruitment Event (General Clerical Support, General Laborers)
Deer Creek Missouri Career Center (3256 Laclede Station Road, Maplewood, MO 63143)
10am – Noon

Candidates are required to pre-register for the event by applying online at www.extrahelpinc.com.

November 9, 2012

Hiring Our Heroes Job Fair

America's Center Convention Plaza (701 Convention Plaza, St. Louis, Missouri 63101)
9am – 2pm

For more information go to www.uschamber.com/hiringourheroes/

November 9 and 28, 2012

Extra Help Recruitment Event (General Clerical Support, General Laborers)
Seven Hills Missouri Career Center (4040 Seven Hills Dr., Florissant, MO 63033)
10am – Noon

Candidates are required to pre-register for the event by applying online at www.extrahelpinc.com.

November 10, 2012

29th Annual Veterans Day Observance

Includes Vet Info and Job Fair

Soldiers Memorial Military Museum (1315 Chestnut Street, St. Louis, MO 63103)
9:30am – 2:30pm

For more information go to www.stlsoldiersmemorial.org

November 13 and 27, 2012

Extra Help Recruitment Event (General Clerical Support, General Laborers)
North Oaks Missouri Career Center (26 North Oaks Plaza, St. Louis, MO 63121)
10am – Noon

Candidates are required to pre-register for the event by applying online at www.extrahelpinc.com.

November 14, 2012

Extra Help Recruitment Event (General Clerical Support, General Laborers)
St. Charles Missouri Career Center (212 Turner Blvd., St. Peters, MO 63376)
10am – Noon

Candidates are required to pre-register for the event by applying online at www.extrahelpinc.com.

Procter & Gamble Recruitment Event (Warehouse/Factory positions)

North Oaks Missouri Career Center (26 North Oaks Plaza, St. Louis, MO 63121)
8am – Noon (or until we have the first 60 applicants)

For more information call 314/679-3394 or email your resume to Rasheen Coleman (rcoleman@betterfamilylife.org)

November 20 and 27, 2012

Extra Help Recruitment Event (General Clerical Support, General Laborers)
East Alton WorkNet Center (612 W. St. Louis Ave., East Alton, IL)
9am – Noon

For more information go to www.extrahelpinc.com

November 21, 2012

Extra Help Recruitment Event (General Clerical Support, General Laborers)
Arnold Missouri Career Center (3675 West Outer Road, Arnold, MO 63010)
10am – Noon

Candidates are required to pre-register for the event by applying online at www.extrahelpinc.com.

November 29, 2012

FBI Employment Information Session (Special Agent and Professional Support Staff career opportunities)
Harris-Stowe State University Library (3026 Laclede Ave., St. Louis, MO 63103)
2:30pm – 3:30pm (last Thursday of each month)

Note: An FBI employee will discuss Special Agent and Professional Support Staff processing in general at this event.

Visit www.FBIjobs.gov to view information on job vacancy announcements as available.

Note: This event is for informational purposes only, NO hiring will take place, or more information call 314/589-2700

JOB SEARCH SUPPORT GROUPS

November 1, 2012

CEN at Incarnate Word Job Search Support Group (West County area)

Incarnate Word Catholic Church (13416 Olive Rd., Chesterfield, MO east of Hwy. 141 and Olive)
7:30pm–9pm (meets 1st Thursday of every month)

For more information go to www.catholicemploymentnetwork.org

November 1, 2012 (weekly)

BBJ Interview/Networking/Accountability Meeting (West County area)

Salem United Methodist Church, Fellowship Hall (1200 S. Lindbergh, St. Louis, MO)
9am – 11am (meets weekly on Thursday)

No cost to attend

For more information go to www.bbj.org or call Jon Hild at 314/541-2966

November 1 and 15, 2012

New Hope Employment Ministries Job Search Support Meetings

New Hope Presbyterian Church (1580 Kisker Road, St. Charles, MO)

11/1 Interviewing, Networking, Cover Letter, and Other Job Search Tips

11/15 Assessment Testing

7pm – 9pm

For more information or to register go to <http://www.meetup.com/NewHopeEmploymentMinistry/>

Morning Star Church Job Connection Group (O'Fallon, MO area)

Morning Star Church (1600 Feise Rd., O'Fallon, MO 63368)

7pm - 8:30pm (meets on the first and third Thursdays of every month)

For more information contact Kathy Frick at 636-561-5680 or kathy.frick@mscwired.org

November 2, 2012 (weekly)

BBJ Sales and Marketing Brownbag Networking Event

Salem United Methodist Church, Fellowship Hall (1200 S. Lindbergh, St. Louis, MO)

1:30pm – 3pm (meets weekly on Friday)

No cost to attend

For more information go to www.bbj.org or call Kevin Faron at 314/630-1512

BBJ Accounting and Finance Brownbag Networking Event

Salem United Methodist Church, Fellowship Hall (1200 S. Lindbergh, St. Louis, MO)

1:30pm – 3pm (meets weekly on Friday)

No cost to attend

For more information go to www.bbj.org or call Jon Hild at 314/541-2966

November 5, 2012 (weekly)

BBJ General Membership Meetings (West County area)

St. Mark Presbyterian Church (601 E. Claymont, Ballwin)

9am – 11am (meets weekly on Monday)

Cost to attend: free after \$25 initial one-time membership fee

For more information go to www.bbj.org or call 636/928-0828

November 6, 2012 (weekly)

GO! Network Seminar

Partnership Center (800 N. Tucker, 5th Floor, St. Louis, MO 63101)

8am – 11:30am (meets weekly on Tuesday)

The seminar is free but participants must register prior to attending

To register or for more information go to www.gonetworkstl.com

GO! Network Entrepreneurial Track Seminar

Partnership Center (800 N. Tucker, St. Louis, MO 63101)

1:30pm – 3pm (meets weekly on Tuesday)

The seminars is free but participants must register prior to attending

To register or for more information go to www.gonetworkstl.com

Job Seeker Support Group (St. Charles County area)

Missouri Career Center – St. Charles (212 Turner Blvd., St. Peters, MO)

9:30am – 11am (meets weekly on Tuesday)

For more information call 636/278-1360

November 7, 2012

CEN at Immaculate Conception Church of Dardenne Job Search Support Group Meeting

Immaculate Conception Church of Dardenne (7701 Hwy. N, Dardenne Prairie, MO 63368)

7pm – 8:30pm (1st Wednesday of month)

For more information go to www.catholicemploymentnetwork.org or contact Jeanne at jredtman@centurytel.net

November 7 and 21, 2012

CEN at St. Clare of Assisi Job Search Support Group (West County area)

St. Clare of Assisi School Library (15700 Clayton Rd., Ellisville, MO 63011 between Clarkson and Kehrs Mill Rd.)

7pm - 9pm (meets alternating Wednesdays)

For more information go to www.catholicemploymentnetwork.org

November 7, 2012 (weekly)

Illinois WorkNet Job Club

Illinois Work Net Center (4519 West Main St., Belleville, IL 62223)

9am – 11am

For more information contact Vicki at 618/277/8491 or Vicki.Niederhofer@illinois.gov or go to www.ides.illinois.gov

November 12, 2012

CEN at St. Joseph Job Search Support Group (Cottleville area)

St. Joseph Catholic Church – Cottleville, MO

7pm – 8:30pm (meets 2nd Monday of each month)

For more information go to www.catholicemploymentnetwork.org

November 12 and 26, 2012

CEN at Ascension Parish Job Search Support Group (Chesterfield area)

Ascension Parish (Chesterfield, MO), basement of little church

7pm – 9pm (typically meets 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month)

For more information go to www.catholicemploymentnetwork.org

November 13, 2012

CEN at St. Monica Job Search Support Group Meeting

12136 Olive Blvd., Creve, Coeur, MO 63141

7pm – 8:30pm (usually meets 2nd Tuesday of each month)

For more information go to www.catholicemploymentnetwork.org

CEN at St. Cletus Job Search Support Group Meeting (St. Charles area)

St. Cletus Parish Hall (2705 Zumbahl Rd., St. Charles, MO 63301)

7pm – 9pm (usually meets 2nd Tuesday of each month)

For more information go to www.catholicemploymentnetwork.org

JOB SEARCH WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, WEBINARS, AND CLASSES

SLATE Missouri Career Center Job Search Workshops

SLATE Missouri Career Centers offers several free job search workshops throughout the month at their two locations:

- 1520 Market Street, 3rd Flr., St. Louis, MO 63103
- 4811 Delmar Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108

For more information on these workshops call 314/877-0916 or 314/589-8000

St. Louis County Missouri Career Center Job Search Workshops

St. Louis County Missouri Career Center offers an intensive Job Readiness Training (JRT) course that covers all aspects of the job search over a three week period. The course is presented at the North Oaks Missouri Career Center and is offered at no cost to registered job seeker customers of Missouri Career Center. To register for the course meet with a staff member at Missouri Career Center.

In addition, 3-hour job search workshops are available to registered job seeker customers of Missouri Career Center at no cost throughout the month at various Missouri Career Centers located throughout St. Louis County.

Locations and phone numbers for these workshops are:

- North Oaks Missouri Career Center** (26 North Oaks Plaza, 314/381-6700)
- Florissant North County Service Center** (4040 Seven Hills Dr., 314/877-3010)
- Deer Creek Missouri Career Center** (3256 Laclede Station Rd., 314/877-0001)

For specific dates, times, and locations for a workshop contact any of the centers listed above.

St. Charles County Missouri Career Center Job Search Workshops

St. Charles County Missouri Career Center (212 Turner Blvd., St. Peters, MO)

Hosts free job search workshops throughout the month on several topics

For more information on these workshops call 636/278-1360 or go to www.stcharlesworks.com/

MET Center offers FREE career training to qualified candidates in the following areas:

- BFL – Bridge to a Career in Life Science**
- Business Office Applications Training (BOAT)**
- Construction Prep Center (CPC)**
- Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) Program**
- Manufacturing Training Alliance (MTA)**

For more information call 314/746-0750 or go to www.metcenterstl.com

St. Louis Community College Broadband Technology Opportunities Program (BTOP)

St. Louis Community College (3344 Pershall Road, St. Louis, MO 63130)

Free Basic Computer Training and open access internet lab hours available (Mon. – Thurs. 9am – 5pm)

For more information about a schedule of the courses offered and how to register call 314/513-4601

St. Louis Community College Broadband Technology Opportunities Program (BTOP)

Harrison Education Center (3140 Cass Ave., St. Louis, MO 63106)
 Free Basic Computer Training and open access internet lab hours available (Thurs. 9am – 5pm, AND Fri. 9am – 4pm)
 For more information about a schedule of the courses offered and how to register call 314/763-6000

St. Louis Community College offers FREE Computer Classes and Job Search Workshops

Free computer classes and job search workshops are offered at the following locations:
 Center for Workforce Innovation (3344 Pershall Road, St. Louis, MO 63135) Call 314/513-4601
 William J. Harrison Education Center (3140 Cass Ave., St. Louis, MO 63106) Call 314/763-6000

Electro Savings Credit Union Financial Seminars

Electro Savings Credit Union offers several free one-hour Financial Seminars of topics such as Building a Basic Budget, Identity Theft, building a Strong Credit History, and Checking Account Management. To learn more contact Pat Pettey at 314/434-6470 x1406 or ppettey@escu.org

St. Louis County Library offers FREE Computer Classes and Job Search Workshops

Free computer classes are offered at many branches throughout the St. Louis County Library system. Participants are required to register up to 28 days in advance for a class prior to attending. To register contact your local St. Louis County Library branch. For more information about upcoming computer classes call 314/994-3300 or go to www.slcl.org/events/.

Urban League of Metro St. Louis, Inc. offers FREE Financial Education Training

8960 Jennings Station Road, St. Louis, MO 63136
 Three session series of classes are offered every other week on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday as follows:
 Monday 1 - 4 pm Budgeting
 Wednesday 1 - 4pm Making Your Money Work for You
 Friday 1 - 4pm Financial Recovery

For more information or to register contact Randen Click at 314/506-5337

St. Louis Community College Accelerated Job Training

The Workforce Solutions Group has developed industry-specific training in partnership with the college's campuses and local employers to help adults retrain for in-demand occupations in shorter duration formats. This is a comprehensive list of the variety of accelerated job training programs that have been developed by the Workforce Solutions Group. Program offerings are based on demand and the availability of funding or industry partner participation. Call the accelerated job hotline at 314-539-5310 to leave your contact information and the program(s) that you are interested in to receive a call back.

Bridge to Stem-Life Sciences

Business Office Application Training (BOAT) Program

Business Technology Training (BTT) Program

Electronic Health Records

Entrepreneur Training Program

Home Healthcare Caregiver

Industrial Maintenance Training

Medical Information Intake Specialist (MIIS) Program

Nurse Assistant Training

Patient Care Technician (grant funded program)

Solar PV Installation Fundamentals (state funded grant program)

St. Louis Aerospace Institute (federally funded grant program)

November 1, 2012 (weekly)

Job Search Workshop: Hot Jobs Connection

SLATE Missouri Career Center (4811 Delmar Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108)

9am – 10:30am

For more information call 314/877-0916

November 2, 2012 (weekly)

50-Minute Workshop Series

St. Louis Community College - Meramec (11333 Big Bend Blvd., Kirkwood, MO 63122)

11/2 Resume and Cover Letter 10:30am – 11:30am (SC125)

11/9 Job Search 10:30am – 11:30am (SC125)

11/16 Interviewing 10:30am – 11:30am (SC125)

No cost to attend but must register in advance

For more information contact 314/984-7611 or CES@stlcc.edu

November 7, 2012

Ameren Employment Information Session Webinar for Military Veterans

Please join Ameren as we host an information session for military veterans and the reserve component on our company, military support, selection process and our open positions.

10am – 11am

Please RSVP to Lesli Bond at military@ameren.com

Call-in information will be sent out on 11/5/12

November 7, 2012 (weekly)

Job Search Workshop: “Branding Your Path to Employment”

Learn about the SLATE OJT Program and job search strategies to help you achieve your job search goal

SLATE Missouri Career Center (1520 Market Street, 3rd Flr., St. Louis, MO 63103)

10am – 11:30am

For more information contact Joel Reinert at jreinert@stlworks.com

Weekly Job Search Workshops/Presentations

Urban League of Metropolitan St. Louis (8960 Jennings Station Road, 63136)

11am – 1pm (weekly workshops held on Wednesdays)

No cost to attend

- 11/7 Online/Manual Applications
- 11/14 Marketing Yourself/Dress for Success
- 11/21 Resume Writing/Coaching
- 11/28 Interview Skills

For more information contact Hollis Whiting at 314/388-9840

November 14, 2012

IT Careers Meet n' Greet Teleconference

Looking for interested candidates to fill State of Missouri IT vacancies (web, design, and development fields)

Sessions available: 10:30am – Noon
1:30pm – 3pm

St. Louis Wainwright State Office Building (111 North 7th Street, Room 923, St. Louis, MO)

To register contact it-careers@oa.mo.gov or go to <http://it-careers.mo.gov/jobsearch.aspx>

Career Workshop

LDS Employment Center (12843 Pennridge Dr., Bridgeton, MO 63044)

This Career Workshop is an interactive workshop designed to help participants develop skills needed to be successful in their job search.

Explore your skills, talents, and accomplishments. Develop a Me in 30 Seconds and Power Statements. Learn the skill of networking and preparing impressive written materials. Learn and practice interviewing

10am – 3:00pm (usually 2nd Wednesday of each month, but call first as schedule may change)

Advance registration is required. To register call 314/344-0050

October 17, 2012

Job Search Workshop: "Career Networking"

Learn about the benefits of effective and strategic networking, how to navigate a career fair, and social networking resources

SLATE OJT Program and job search strategies to help you achieve your job search goal

SLATE Missouri Career Center (1520 Market Street, 3rd Fl., St. Louis, MO 63103)

10am – 11:30am

For more information contact 314/589-8000

November 20, 2012

CEN Job Search Workshop: Missouri Career Center: Your Partner in Matching Candidates to Employment Opportunities

St. Joseph's Parish-Manchester (567 St. Joseph Lane, Manchester, MO 63021, New Parish Center NW)

7pm – 8:30pm

For more information go to www.catholicemploymentnetwork.org

Healthstreet Job Search Workshop

4306 Manchester Road, St. Louis, MO 63110

1:30-3:30pm

No cost to attend

For more information call 314/531-3034

BBJ Networking Happy Hour

Helen Fitzgerald's (3650 S. Lindbergh, Sunset Hills, MO)

5pm – 8pm

For more information contact Gus Hoelscher at 636/391-8490 or hoel2@aol.com

November 27 - 29, 2012

CAASTL Employment Readiness Workshop

2709 Woodson Rd., Overland, MO 63114

- Successful job search strategies
- Resume and cover letter writing
- Online job search strategies
- Interviewing techniques
- Networking

Noon – 5pm

For more information or to register contact James Ingram at 314/446-4431 or go to www.caastlc.org

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NETWORKING EVENTS & SEMINARS

This is a list of informational and networking opportunities with some of the larger local cities and Chambers of Commerce in the St. Louis area. For a list of other Chambers in the St. Louis area go to www.mochamber.com

November 1, 2012

Chesterfield Chamber of Commerce First Thursday Business Networking Meeting

Wingate by Wyndham (32 Research Park Ct., St. Charles, MO)

7:30am – 9am

Cost: Members free, \$15 for Non-members

To RSVP or for more information go to www.chesterfieldmochamber.com
Greater Belleville Chamber of Commerce Business After Hours Networking Event
 Commerce Bank (5701 West Main Street, Belleville, IL 62226)
 5pm – 7pm
 Cost: \$5 Chamber members, \$10 Non-members
 For more information go to www.bellevillechamber.org or call 615/233-2015

November 1, 2012 (weekly)

Northwest Chamber of Commerce Networking Happy Hour
 Rooks Gameday (12322 Dorsett Rd., Maryland Heights MO 63043)
 4:30pm – 6:30pm
 No cost
 To RSVP or for more information go to www.northwestchamber.com

November 2, 2012

West County Chamber of Commerce First Friday Coffee Networking Event
 America West Office Suites (16024 Manchester Road, Ellisville, MO 63011)
 7:30am – 9am
 No cost to attend
 To RSVP or for more information go to www.westcountychamber.com or call 636/227-1500
Kirkwood-Des Peres Chamber of Commerce First Friday Coffee Club Networking Event
 Powder Valley Conservation (11715 Cragwold Rd., Kirkwood, MO 63122)
 7:30am – 9am
 For more information or to register go to www.kirkwooddesperes.com
Kirkwood-Des Peres Chamber of Commerce Brown Bag Luncheon on The Fiscal Cliff
 Chamber Office (108 W. Adams Ave., Kirkwood, MO 63122)
 Noon – 1pm
 Cost: \$10 per person
 For more information or to register go to www.kirkwooddesperes.com

November 6 and 20, 2012

Northwest Chamber of Commerce Business Lunch Networking Group Meeting
 Syberg's Restaurant (2430 Old Dorsett Rd., Maryland Heights, MO 63043)
 11:30am – 12:30pm
 Cost: \$12
 To RSVP or for more information go to www.northwestchamber.com

November 7, 2012

Fenton Area Chamber of Commerce General Membership
 Andre's Banquet Center – West (211 Old Highway 141, Fenton, MO 63026)
 11am – 1pm
 Cost: \$18 for members; \$20 for non-members
 To RSVP or for more information go to www.fentonmochamber.com or call Jeannie Braun at 636-717-0200

November 8, 2012

West County Chamber of Commerce Business After Hours Networking Event
 One Lucky Mutt (2414 Taylor Road, Wildwood, MO 63040)
 5:30pm – 8pm
 To RSVP or for more information go to www.westcountychamber.com or call 636/227-1500
Northwest Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meeting
 Embassy Suites St. Louis Airport Hotel (11237 Lone Eagle Drive, St. Louis, MO 63044)
 11:30am – 1pm
 Cost: \$18 per person in advance, \$23 per person for walk-ins
 To RSVP or for more information go to www.northwestchamber.com
Affton Chambers of Commerce General Membership Meeting
 Genesis Banquet Center (2651 Telegraph, St. Louis, MO 63125)
 7am – 9am
 Cost: Chamber members \$15, non-members \$20
 To RSVP or for more information go to www.afftonchamber.com
Webster Groves/Shrewsbury Area Chamber of Commerce Community Showcase
 Orlando Gardens (8352 Watson Rd., Webster Groves, MO 63119)
 4pm – 7pm
 For more information go to www.webstershrewsburychamber.com

November 13, 2012

Kirkwood-Des Peres Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meeting

Greenbriar Hills Country Club (12665 Big Bend Rd., Kirkwood, MO 63122)

11:30am – 1:15pm

Cost: \$20 for Kirkwood Chamber members, \$25 for non-members

For more information or to register go to www.kirkwooddesperes.comNovember 13, 2012**West County Chamber of Commerce Lunch n Learn Networking Event**

West County Nissan (14747 Manchester Road, Ballwin, MO 63011)

Noon – 1pm

Cost: \$15 per person

To RSVP or for more information go to www.westcountychamber.com or call 636/227-1500**Greater Belleville Chamber of Commerce Coffee Cup Connections Networking Event**

Greater Belleville Chamber of Commerce (216 East A Street, Belleville, IL 62220)

8:15am – 9:15am

No cost for members to attend

For more information go to www.bellevillechamber.org or call 618/233-2015November 13 and 27, 2012**Northwest Chamber of Commerce Tuesday Morning Coffee & Networking Group Meeting**

Holiday Inn St. Louis Airport Hotel (4505 Woodson Rd., St. Louis, MO 63134)

7:30am – 8:30am (usually meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays)To RSVP or for more information go to www.northwestchamber.comNovember 14, 2012**RCGA Breakfast with the Gazelles Meeting**

RCGA Regional Collaboration Center (One Metropolitan Square - 13th Floor, 211 N. Broadway, St. Louis, MO 63102)

7:15am – 9am

Cost: Free for RCGA members, \$25 for non-members and guests

To RSVP or for more information go to www.stlrcga.org**Maryland Heights Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meeting**

Harrah's Casino (777 Casino Center Drive, Maryland Heights, MO 63043)

11:30am – 1pm

Cost: \$20 for Members, \$25 for Non-members

To RSVP or for more information go to www.mhcc.com**Chesterfield Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meeting**

DoubleTree Hotel & Conference Center (16625 Swingley Ridge Road, Chesterfield, MO 63017)

11:30am – 1pm

Cost: \$20 for Members, \$25 for Non-members

To RSVP or for more information go to www.chesterfieldmochamber.comNovember 15, 2012**West County Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meeting**

Forest Hills Country Club (36 Forest Club Drive, Chesterfield, MO 63005)

11am – 1pm

Cost: \$21 for Chamber members, \$25 for non-members, \$30 at the door

To RSVP or for more information go to www.westcountychamber.com or call 636/227-5030**South County Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meeting**

Location TBA

11:15am – 1pm

To RSVP or for more information go to www.southcountychamber.org**Webster Groves/Shrewsbury Area Chamber of Commerce General Membership Meeting**

Provisional Living of Webster Groves (140 E Lockwood Ave., Webster Groves 63119)

11:30am – 1pm (usually 3rd Thursday of month)

Cost: \$20 per person

To RSVP or for more information go to www.webstershrewsburychamber.com**Chesterfield Chamber of Commerce Business After Hours Networking Event**

Red Robin (17308 Chesterfield Airport Rd., Chesterfield, MO)

5pm – 7pm

Cost: Free for Members, \$15 for Non-members

To RSVP or for more information go to www.chesterfieldmochamber.com
Belleville Chamber of Commerce Lunch and Learn Seminar
 SWIC-Information Sciences Building (2500 Carlyle Avenue, Belleville, IL 62221)
 11:45am – 1pm
 Cost: Free for Chamber Members
 For more information, go to <http://www.bellevillechamber.org> or call 618/233-2015
Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Business After Hours
 Centene Technology Center (3611 S. Grand, St. Louis, MO 63118)
 6pm – 8pm
 For more information or to register go to www.hccstl.com/

November 21, 2012

Northwest Chamber of Commerce Women in Networking (WIN) Networking Lunch Meeting
 Syberg's Restaurant (2430 Old Dorsett Rd., Maryland Heights, MO 63043)
 11:30am – 12:30pm (every 3rd Wednesday of each month)
 To RSVP or for more information go to www.northwestchamber.com
Kirkwood-Des Peres Chamber of Commerce: On the Road with the Chamber
 A behind the scenes tour of a local business
 This month: TBD
 7:30am – 9am (3rd Wednesday of each month)
 For more information or to register go to www.kirkwooddesperes.com

November 26, 2012

Kirkwood-Des Peres Chamber of Commerce Marketing Monday Business Seminar
 Kirkwood Public Library (140 E. Jefferson, Kirkwood, MO 63122)
 Topic: How to Market Your Business Professionally and Affordably on TV
 Noon – 1pm
 For more information or to register go to www.kirkwooddesperes.com

November 28, 2012

Affton Chambers of Commerce Meet n Greet Breakfast Meeting
 Great Southern Bank (6800 S. Rock Hill Rd., St. Louis, MO)
 8am – 9am
 To RSVP or for more information go to www.afftonchamber.com

BUSINESS/PROFESSIONAL NETWORKING MEETINGS & EVENTS

November 1, 2012

St. Louis eWomen Accelerated Networking Luncheon
 The Moonrise Hotel (6177 Delmar in the Loop, St. Louis, MO 63112)
 11:30am – 1:30pm
 Cost: Members \$38, non-members \$49; after 10/28 \$68 per person
 For more information or to register go to www.ewomennetwork.com
 To register contact Danelle Brown at danellebrown@eWomenNetwork.com or 618/530-7166

November 1, 2012 (weekly)

BNI Chapter Meetings
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Christian Business Connectors Networking Meeting
 Chameleon's Catering
 11:30am – 1pm (meets every Thursday)
 Cost: \$12 per person
 To RSVP contact Dennis Wagner at 314/481-7337 x102
Networking Plus Business Networking Group Meeting
 Deleo's Cafe & Deli (2782 North US Hwy 67, Florissant, MO)
 1pm – 2:30pm (meets every Thursday)
 No cost to attend for a 'test drive'
 For more information go to www.joinnetworkingplus.com or call 314/608-8977

November 1 and 15, 2012

Yellow Tie Networking Event – St. Louis Connectors Lead-Sharing Group

Meeting location is in the Sunset Hills area
8am – 9:30am (1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month)

No cost to attend, but you must be a member or be invited to attend

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For more information go to www.yellow-tie.net

November 3, 2012 (weekly)

Women's Power Networking Meeting

The Hive @ 44 (1710 Fenpark Drive, Fenton, MO)

10:30am – Noon (meets every Friday)

For more information go to www.meetup.com/coffee-and-contacts-ballwin/

November 5, 2012

17th Annual 2012 Greater St. Louis Top 50 Awards

Hyatt Regency St. Louis at the Arch (315 Chestnut St., St. Louis, MO 63102)

6pm – 9pm

Cost: \$150 per person

To RSVP or for more information go to www.stlrcga.org

Neighborhood Data Gateway Launch Event

Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (One Federal Reserve Bank Plaza, Broadway and Locust St., St. Louis, Mo. 63102)

8:30am – Noon

No cost to attend but must register in advance

For more information or to register go to www.stlouisfed.org

November 6, 2012

O'Fallon People In Business Networking Meeting

Holiday Inn Express (Dierberg Plaza, Greenmount Rd., O'Fallon, IL)

8:30 - 9:30am (1st Tuesday of each month)

Cost: \$5 for attendance

For more information go to www.peopleinbusiness.ning.com

To RSVP or for more information contact Susan Young at 618/655-0930

St. Louis Networking Geniuses Monthly Meeting

Duffy's Bar & Restaurant (124 West Jefferson Ave., Kirkwood, MO 63122)

11:30am – 1pm (1st Tuesday of each month)

No cost to attend

For more information go to <http://www.meetup.com/St-Louis-Networking-Geniuses/>

November 6, 2012 (weekly)

Networking Plus Business Networking Group Meeting

Shamrock's Pub and Grill (4177 Veterans Memorial Drive, St. Peters, MO)

1pm - 2:30pm (meets every Tuesday)

No cost to attend for a 'test drive'

For more information go to www.joinnetworkingplus.com or call 314/608-8977

Women's Power Networking: Coffee and Contacts Chesterfield Weekly Meeting

Whole Foods Market (1160 Town and Country Crossing Drive, Town and Country, MO)

9am – 11am (meets weekly on Tuesdays)

For more information or to register go to <http://www.meetup.com/Coffee-and-Contacts-Chesterfield-MO/>

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November 7, 2012

Professional Women's Alliance Women of Distinction Speaker Series

Ritz-Carlton - St. Louis (1000 Carondelet Blvd. Clayton, MO 63105)

11am – 1pm

Cost: members \$35, non-members \$48

To RSVP or for more information go to www.stlpwa.org

November 7 and 21, 2012

Yellow Tie Networking Event – West County Connectors Lead-Sharing Group

Meeting location is in the West County area

8am – 9:30am (1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month)

No cost to attend, but you must be a member or be invited to attend

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For more information go to www.yellow-tie.net

November 7, 2012 (weekly)

Networking Plus Business Networking Group Meeting

Upper Summit Cervical (11693 Manchester Rd., Des Peres, MO 63131)

9am – 10:30am (meets every Wednesday)

No cost to attend for a ‘test drive’

For more information go to www.joinnetworkingplus.com or call 314/608-8977

St. Louis Business Club: Discover the Club Webcast

Where: Your Phone, Your PC

2pm – 3pm

For more information go to www.stlouisbusinessclub.com

November 7, 2012 (weekly)

Business Frontline of St. Louis Business Networking Group

Chris' Pancake House (5980 Southwest Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63139)

8am – 9am (Meet weekly on Wednesday)

No cost to attend

For more information go to <http://www.bflstl.com/>

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November 8, 2012

Networking Plus 2nd Annual Fall Business Expo

Stegton Regency Banquet Center (1450 Wall St., St. Charles, MO 63301)

10am – 6pm

For more information go to www.joinnetworkingplus.com or call 314/608-8977

Riverbend (Alton) People In Business Networking Meeting

Holiday Inn (3800 Homer Adams Parkway, Alton, IL)

8:30 - 9:30am (2nd Thursday of each month)

Cost: \$10 for attendance

For more information go to www.peopleinbusiness.ning.com

To RSVP or for more information contact Susan Young at 618/655-0930

Networking on Steroids “St. Peters” (for business owners)

Fratelli's Ristorante (2061 Zumbel, St. Charles, MO)

12:15pm – 2pm

No cost to attend

To RSVP or for more information call Al Cochran at 314/962-9222 or go to

<http://www.meetup.com/Networking-on-steroids/>

Yellow Tie Networking Event - Executive Resource Business-Building Alliance (Patty Cook's Yellow-Tie referral network)

Location TBA in the Westport area

11:30am – 1pm (meet 2nd Thursday of each month)

No cost to attend, but you must be a member or be invited to attend

To get invited to this referral network meeting you must contact a member of the group, explain your business and learn whether you are a fit for this network. If that member believes you are a fit, he or she will invite you to attend and take care of getting you on the invitation list. To become a member of the group contact Patty Cook at patty@lifebydesign.biz or 636/861-9100

For more information go to www.yellow-tie.net

November 8 and 22, 2012

Yellow Tie Networking Event – South County Business Neighbors Business-Building Alliance

Meeting location is in the South County area

7:30am – 9am (2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month)

No cost to attend, but you must be a member or be invited to attend

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For more information go to www.yellow-tie.net

November 10, 2012

Financial Executives Networking Group (FENG) Monthly Member Meeting

UHY Advisors Office (15 Sunnen Drive, Suite 100, Maplewood, MO 63143)

8am – 10am (usually the 2nd Saturday of month)

Open to members and partners only

Cost: \$5 donation

For more information go to <http://thefengstl.org/>

November 12, 2012

American Business Women's Association – Renaissance Chapter Monthly Meeting

Natural Bridge Library (7606 Natural Bridge Rd., St. Louis, MO)

6pm – 7:30pm (Meets 2nd Monday of each month)

To RSVP call 314/388-1457

November 13, 2012

Yellow Tie Networking Event – Drinks and Handshakes Business Networking After Hours

Premier Knowledge Solutions (On Campbell Plaza, Ste. 2B, St. Louis, MO 63139)

5:30pm – 7:30pm

No cost to attend

For more information go to www.yellow-tie.net

November 14, 2012

Highland People In Business Networking Meeting

Holiday Inn Express (20 Central Blvd., Highland, IL)

8am - 9am (2nd Wednesday of each month)

Cost: \$8 for attendance

For more information go to www.peopleinbusiness.ning.com

To RSVP or for more information contact Susan Young at 618/334-8887

Networking on Steroids “The Post Sports Bar and Grill” (for business owners)

The Post Sports Bar and Grill (7372 Manchester, St. Louis, MO)

12:15pm – 2pm

No cost to attend

To RSVP or for more information call Al Cochran at 314/962-9222 or go to

<http://www.meetup.com/Networking-on-steroids/>

November 14 and 28, 2012

Business Referral and Networking Lunch Meeting

2nd Wednesday: Incredible Pizza (Cave Springs and Hwy. 70 in St. Peters, MO)

4th Wednesday: Vista Grande (Mid Rivers Mall Dr. in St. Peters, MO)

11:30am – 12:30am (2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month)

No cost to attend (Just buy your lunch)

For more information contact Sandy at 314/486-8333

November 15, 2012

Insights into the IT Industry Business Seminar

St. Louis Community College – Corporate College (3221 McKelvey Road, Bridgeton, MO 63044)

8:30am – Noon

Cost: \$49 per person

For more information go to www.stlcc.edu/ce

To register call 314/984-7777

13th Annual Salute to Excellence in Business Awards and Networking Luncheon

The Ritz-Carlton (100 Carondelet Plaza, Clayton, MO 63105)

11am – 1:30pm

To RSVP or for more information call (314)533-8000 x305 or go to www.stlamerican.com

St. Charles Missouri Career Center Employer Discussion and Growth Exchange (EDGE)

Missouri Career Center of St. Charles County (212 Turner Blvd., St. Peters, MO 63376)

8:30am – 9:30am (typically 3rd Thursday of each month)

No cost to attend

For more information Michelle at 636/255-6060 x5257 or Michelle_Martin@stchas.edu

AFCEA Scott Airforce Base Monthly Networking Luncheon

Hilton Garden Inn (O'Fallon, IL)

11am - 1pm (typically on the 3rd Thursday of each month)

To register or for more information go to <http://www.afcea-scott.org/>

November 16, 2012

Emerson International Business Conference - 2012 Global Business Outlook

Saint Louis University, Anheuser-Busch Auditorium (3674 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108)

8:30am – 2pm

Cost: \$105 per person

For more information or to register go to slumarketplace.slu.edu

Select the Boeing Institute of International Business store and the Global Events product.

November 19, 2012

Monroe County People In Business Networking Meeting

Waterloo City Hall (100 West 4th Street, Waterloo, IL)

8:30am -10am (3rd Monday of each month)

Cost: \$4 for attendance

For more information go to www.peopleinbusiness.ning.com

To RSVP or for more information contact Susan Young at 618/334-8887

November 20, 2012

Collinsville People in Business Networking Meeting

Oatman House (501 E. Main Street, Collinsville, IL 62234)

8:30 - 9:30am (meets 3rd Tuesday of each month)

Cost: \$7 for attendance

For more information go to www.peopleinbusiness.ning.com

November 20, 2012

River City Professionals Monthly Networking Event

Location TBA

5:30pm - 9pm (Usually meets every 3rd Tues. of month at various locations)

No cost to attend

To RSVP or for more information call 314/655-5490 or go to www.rivercityprofessionals.org

2012 Public Policy Speaker Series: Newly-Elected U.S. Representatives from the St. Louis Region

RCGA Regional Collaboration Center (One Metropolitan Square, 211 N. Broadway, St. Louis, MO 63102)

11:30am – 1:15pm

Cost: \$35 for RCGA members and guests

To RSVP or for more information go to www.stlrcga.org

November 21, 2012

Chesterfield People in Business Networking Meeting

Wolf Public House (15480 Clayton Rd., Ballwin, MO, 63011)

7:30 - 8:30am (meets 3rd Wednesday of each month)

Cost: \$5 for attendance

For more information go to www.peopleinbusiness.ning.com

November 23, 2012

ExecuNet Monthly Meeting

Westport Plaza, 111 Westport Plaza Dr. (Gold Tower), St. Louis, MO

9am – 11am (4th Friday of each month)

Cost: \$10 per person

For more information or to register go to http://www.execunet.com/e_network.cfm

November 27, 2012

Edwardsville People in Business Networking Meeting

GC Cuisine (1230 University Dr., Edwardsville, IL)

11:30 - 12:30pm (meets 4th Tuesday of each month)

Cost: \$10 for attendance

For more information go to www.peopleinbusiness.ning.com

November 28, 2012

Networking on Steroids “Krieger’s” (for business owners)

Krieger’s Sports Grill (1356 Big Bend Square, Twin Oaks, MO)

6:30pm – 8pm

No cost to attend

To RSVP or for more information call Al Cochran at 314/962-9222 or go to

<http://www.meetup.com/Networking-on-steroids/>

St. Louis eWomen Strategic Business Introductions

Robust Wine Bar (227 W. Lockwood Road, Webster Groves, MO 63119)

Noon – 2pm

Cost: Members \$50, non-members \$75; after 11/25 \$75 per person

For more information or to register go to www.ewomennetwork.com

To register contact Danelle Brown at danellebrown@eWomenNetwork.com or 618/530-7166

November 29, 2012

St. Louis Business Journal: Outstanding Directors Awards Dinner

Four Seasons Hotel (999 N. Second St., St. Louis, MO 63102)

5:30pm – 8:30pm

Cost: \$150 per person

For more info or to register contact Kelly Rowland at 314/421-6200 or stlevents@bizjournals.com

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PartnerUp is an online networking community of small business owners and entrepreneurs. By establishing mutually-beneficial relationships with other small business owners and entrepreneurs online, you can exchange information, ideas and support, and also potentially gain new clients on your own schedule. The PartnerUp network has members from all over the country and in every industry imaginable. For more information go to www.partnerup.com

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

November 1, 2012

International Project Management Day Networking Event

Ameren Corporation (1901 Chouteau Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63103)

5:30pm - 8:30pm

Cost: \$10 per person

For more information or to register go to www.stlpmi.org

St. Louis Chapter, IAAP (International Association of Administrative Professionals)

Crowne Plaza St. Louis Airport Hotel (11228 Lone Eagle Drive, Bridgeton Missouri 63044)

5:30pm – 8pm (usually 1st Thursday of each month)

No cost for members to attend the meeting (\$5 for non-members and guests)

Dinner cost: members \$23, non-members \$26

For more information or to RSVP go to www.iaap-stl.org

November 6, 2012

St. Charles Chapter, IAAP (International Association of Administrative Professionals)

St. Charles Community College – Student Center, Private Dining Room (4601 Mid Rivers Mall Drive, St. Peters, MO 63376)

6pm – 8pm (1st Tuesday of each month)

No cost for members to attend the meeting (\$5 for non-members and guests)

Dinner cost: members \$23, non-members \$26

For more information or to RSVP go to www.iaap-stcharles.org

November 8, 2012

Business Marketing Association – St. Louis Monthly Meeting

Topic: How Xerox Uses Multimedia to Engage Business Buyers

Sheraton Clayton Plaza (Clayton, MO)

Noon – 1:30pm

For more information or to register go to www.bma-stl.org

November 13, 2012

Association for Operations Management – APICS St. Louis Professional Development Meeting

Sheraton Westport – Lakeside Chalet (Westport Plaza Drive, Maryland Heights, MO 63146)

6pm – 8pm

Cost: members \$30, Non-Members \$35

For more information or to register go to www.apics-stlouis.com

Computer Consultants of St. Louis Monthly Meeting

St. Louis Bread Company (6630 Delmar Blvd., University City, MO 63130)

5:30pm - 8pm (Meets 2nd Tues. of each month)

For more information call 314/995-4652 or go to www.ccsl.org

Association for Operations Management – APICS St. Louis Plant Tour

Patriot Machine

6:30pm – 8pm

Cost: members \$30, Non-Members \$35

For more information or to register go to www.apics-stlouis.com

St. Louis Publishers Association Monthly Meeting

Brentwood Community Center (2505 S. Brentwood Boulevard, Brentwood, MO 63144)

6:30pm - 9pm (2nd Wednesday of each month)

Cost: No cost for members, \$10 for nonmembers

For more information call 314/256-1800 or go to www.stlouispublishers.org

SITE Improvement Association Monthly Meeting

Spazio Westport (12031 Lackland Rd., St. Louis, MO 63146)

5:30pm – 7:30pm

To RSVP or for more information go to www.sitestl.org

St. Louis Society of Women CPA's (SLSWCPA) Monthly Meeting

Favazza's

5:30pm – 7pm

Cost: Members \$30, non-members \$40

For more information or to register go to www.slswcpa.org

MOKAN Monthly General Membership Meeting

5261 Delmar, Suite B, St. Louis, MO 63112

6pm – 8pm

No cost to attend

To register or for more information go to www.mokanccac.org

November 14, 2012

Association for Corporate Growth (ACG) – St. Louis Corporate Development Series

Topic: Negotiating for Success

The Ritz-Carlton, St. Louis (100 Carondelet Plaza, St. Louis, MO 63105)

4:15pm – 7pm

Cost: no cost for members, \$50 for guests

For more information or to register go to www.acg.org

American Subcontractors Association (ASA) GC Networking Luncheon

AB Soccer Park (Fenton, MO 63026)

11:30am – 1pm

Cost: \$25

To RSVP or for more information go to www.asamidwest.com

St. Louis PMI (Project Management Institute) Monthly Meeting

Topic: Why Go Beyond Lean Six Sigma and the Balanced Scorecard

Crowne Plaza Hotel – Clayton (7750 Carondelet Ave., Clayton, MO 63105)

5:30pm – 8:30pm (usually 3rd Wednesday of the month)

Cost: Members \$25, Non-members \$35 (\$5 surcharge for walk-ins)

For more information or to register go to www.stlpmi.org

November 15, 2012

Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals (CSCMP) Monthly Roundtable Meeting

Crowne Plaza St. Louis – Clayton Hotel (7750 Carondelet, Clayton, MO 63105)

10:30am – 1pm

Cost: members \$35 per person; non-members \$42 per person

For more information or to register go to www.stlouisroundtable.org

Institute of Management Accountants (IMA) – St. Louis Chapter Monthly Technical Meeting

UMSL Millenium Center (622 Emerson Rd., 2nd Floor, St. Louis, MO)

5:30pm – 8pm (typically 2nd Tuesday of each month)

To RSVP or for more information visit www.stlouis.imanet.org

American Marketing Association Monthly Meeting

Maggiano's Little Italy (2 The Blvd, Richmond Heights MO 63117)

11:30am – 1pm

Cost: members \$35, non-members/walk-ins \$45

For more information go to www.ama-stl.org

Joint Meeting of National Defense Transportation Association and Saint Louis University's Center for Supply Chain Management Studies (CSCMS)

St. Louis University Campus (Exact location TBD)

11am – 1:30pm

Must register to attend

For more information or to register go to www.ndtascottstlouis.org

November 20, 2012**South County Chapter, IAAP (International Association of Administrative Professionals)**

Drury Inn & Suites St. Louis Southwest (5 Lambert Drury Place, Fenton, MO)

6pm – 8pm (3rd Tuesday of each month)

No cost for members to attend the meeting (\$5 for non-members and guests)

Dinner cost: members \$23, non-members \$26

For more information or to RSVP go to www.iaap-southcounty.org

November 21, 2012**American Subcontractors Association (ASA) Monthly Business Meeting**

Syberg's on Dorsett (2430 Old Dorsett Road, Maryland Heights, MO)

5:30pm – 7:30pm

Cost: \$42 for members, First-time Guests are Free of Charge

To RSVP or for more information go to www.asamidwest.com

American Society of Women Accountants Monthly Meeting

Lodge of Des Peres (1050 Des Peres Road, St. Louis, Missouri 63131)

11:30am – 1pm (usually 3rd Wednesday of each month Sept. - June)

Cost: members \$15, non-members \$18

To RSVP or for more information go to www.aswastlouis.org

Public Relations Society of America (PRSA) Monthly Meeting

Ces & Judy's (10405 Clayton Rd., Frontenac, MO 63131)

11:30am – 1pm

Cost: Members \$30, Non-members \$40

To RSVP or for more information go to <http://www.prstastlouis.org>

November 21, 2012**Human Resources Management Association (HRMA) Monthly Breakfast Meeting**

Renaissance Hotel St. Louis Airport (9801 Natural Bridge Road, St. Louis, MO 63134)

7:30am – 9:30am

Cost: members free; non-members \$35 per person

To RSVP or for more information go to www.hrmastl.org

November 27, 2012**St. Louis Coaches Monthly Meeting**

The Heights (8001 Dale Ave., Richmond Heights, MO 63117)

5:30pm – 7:30pm (usually the 4th Tuesday of each month)

Cost: \$5 members, \$15 non-members

To RSVP or for more information go to www.stlcoaches.org

Institute for Supply Management – St. Louis (ISM) Monthly General Meeting

Spazio Westport (12031 Lackland Rd., St. Louis, MO 63146)

5:30pm – 7:30pm

To RSVP or for more information go to www.ismstlouis.org

November 28, 2012**Association of IT Professionals (AITP) St. Louis Chapter Monthly Meeting**

Crowne Plaza of Clayton (7750 Carondelet Ave., Clayton, MO 63105)

5:30pm – 8:30pm (usually 4th Wednesday of each month)

Cost: Presentation only \$15, Dinner and presentation \$30

To RSVP or for more information go to www.stlouisaitp.org

National Human Resources Management Association (NHRA) Monthly Meeting

Ces & Judy's (10405 Clayton Rd., Frontenac, MO 63131)

11:30am – 1:30pm

Cost: Members free, non-members \$30

To RSVP or for more information go to www.humanresources.org

SMALL BUSINESS RESOURCES AND EVENTSNovember 1, 2012**Business Seminar: Term Sheets for Tech Deals**

Term sheets specify the investment amounts involved in a deal and the investor preferences and privileges that follow; it is therefore crucial for entrepreneurs to thoroughly understand the items and language in their term sheets. "Term Sheets for Tech Deals" will outline the basics of term sheets and re-enact a standard negotiation.

Plush (3224 Locust St. St. Louis, MO 63103)

4pm – 6pm

No cost to attend but registration is required

To register go to <http://itentermsheets.eventbrite.com>

Business Seminar: Update on How the Obama Medicare Tax Can Work for You and Estate Planning Considerations

Mueller Prost, Pierre Laclede Center in Clayton (7733 Forsyth Blvd, Clayton, MO 63105)

7:30am – 9am

No cost to attend

For more information or to register contact rsvp@muellerprost.com or 314/862-1304

Business Seminar: Business Basics 101

Vatterott – Sunset Hills Campus

11:30am – 1:30pm

6pm – 8pm

For more information contact Pat Pettey at ppetey@escu.org

BNI – St. Louis Member Success Program

The Lodge at Des Peres (1050 Des Peres Rd., Des Peres, MO 63131)

A training program for all new BNI members

6:15pm – 9pm (1st Thursday of each month)

For more information or to register go to www.bnisl.com or call 314/822-1030 or scottsimon@bnisl.com

BNI – St. Charles Member Success Program

Spirited Heart Catering Center (1540 Country Club Plaza, Saint Charles, MO 63303)

A training program for all new BNI members

6:15pm – 9pm (1st Thursday of each month)

For more information or to register go to www.bnisl.com or call 314/822-1030 or scottsimon@bnisl.com

November 1, 2012

Business Seminar: The Power of E-Mail Marketing

8:30am - 10:30am

Richmond Heights Community Center (8001 Dale Avenue, Saint Louis, MO 63117)

No cost to attend

For more information or to register contact Michelle Chipman at michelle@responsetargetedmarketing.com

Small Business Workshop: Professional Development

CU Excel Center (95 North Oaks Plaza, St. Louis, MO 63121)

6:30pm – 9pm

No cost to attend

To register email center@stlouiscommunity.com or go to www.cuexcelcenter.com

November 1 - 3, 2012

Sustainable Cities Conference

Washington University Danforth Campus

11/1 7pm – 8:30pm Keynote Lecture

11/2 6:30pm – 8pm Land Lab Competition

11/3 8am – 4:30pm Symposium

For more information or to register go to <http://sustainablecities.wustl.edu>

November 2, 2012

Missouri Venture Forum Monthly Breakfast Meeting

Greenbriar Hills Country Club (12665 Big Bend Blvd., Kirkwood, MO 63122)

7:15am – 9am

Cost: members free, guests \$49

For more information or to register go to www.missouriventureforum.org or contact Judy Meador at 314/241-2683

Self-Employed St. Louis MasterMind Lunch Networking Event

Pasta House (8213 Delmar Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63124)

11:30am – 1:30pm

Cost: \$20 per person

For more information go to www.meetup.com/self-employed-st-louis/

MOBio Networking Event (NO LOCAL MEETING IN NOVEMBER)

For more information go to www.mobio.org

November 6, 2012

BNI – Illinois Member Success Program

Holiday Inn Hotel Fairview Heights (313 Salem Place, Fairview Heights, IL 62208)

A training program for all new BNI members

6:15pm – 9pm (1st Tuesday of each month for SW Illinois Region)

For more information or to register go to www.bnistl.com or call 314/822-1030 or scottsimon@bnistl.com

November 7, 2012

Webster University Global Leaders in Residence Speaker Series

Topic: Ideas for One Planet Sustainability

Session will address the grand challenges of sustainability through facilitated student teams in the St. Louis region. Teams will present creative solutions using the WWF One Planet Living Principles.

Reception at 5pm; Presentations start at, 6pm

Webster U. East Academic Building, Edward Jones Commons (545 Garden Avenue, Webster Groves, MO 63119)

No cost to attend but an RSVP is required

To RSVP go to www.webster.edu/globalleadersinresidence

November 8, 2012

Webster University Global Leaders in Residence Speaker Series

Topic: Agree to Disagree: Managing Conflict for a Sustainable World

This key address will focus on Yolanda Kakabadse's unique life-affirming experiences with environmental, social, cultural and economic sustainability. The session will be streamed live to a global audience and allow for open Q&A.

Reception at 5pm; Presentations start at, 6pm

Webster U. East Academic Building, Edward Jones Commons (545 Garden Avenue, Webster Groves, MO 63119)

No cost to attend but an RSVP is required

To RSVP go to www.webster.edu/globalleadersinresidence

Bio-Tech Opportunity Forum

Opportunities for Small and Minority-Owned Businesses to Sell to the Bio-Tech Industry

Washington University, College Hall, South 40 Hosue Location

8am – 11:30am

Cost: \$25 per person

For more information or to register go to www.stlouismsde.org

November 8, 2012

Illinois Innovators & Inventors Monthly Meeting

Madison Mutual Insurance Company (Mutual Ct., Edwardsville, IL)

7pm – 9pm (2nd Wednesday each month)

Cost: free

For more information go to <http://ilinventor.tripod.com>

Information Technology Entrepreneur Network (ITEN) Monthly Networking Event

Tavern of Fine Arts (313 Belt Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63112)

4pm – 6pm (2nd Thursday of each month)

For more information go to www.itenstl.org

Business Seminar: Social Media Made Simple

8:45am - 11am

Electro Savings Credit Union (1805 Craigshire Drive, St. Louis, MO 63146)

No cost to attend

For more information or to register contact Michelle Chipman at michelle@responsetargetedmarketing.com

Olin Cup Elevator Pitch Competition

Attendees will hear elevator pitches from Olin Cup semi-finalists and will rank them according to the competition's criteria. If an attendee's rankings come close to the judges', he/she will win \$250. A reception will follow the event. During the reception, attendees can help all teams advance their ideas.

Location TBA

6pm – 9pm

Free to attend

For more information go to <http://www.ideabounce.com/skandalaris/events>

November 9, 2012

Skandalaris Business Seminar #4: The Business Plan and Telling Your Story

This seminar will focus on the business plan and telling your story. The 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. portion of the seminar will be a skills session. The skills session will be followed by a panel discussion with entrepreneurs sharing their personal perspectives. A reception will follow the panel discussion.

Washington University, Simon Hall, Room 104 (Forsyth Blvd. and Olympian Way, St. Louis, MO 63130)

12:30pm – 4pm

No cost to attend

To register contact Rosemary Gliedt at 314/935-7203 or gliedt@wustl.edu

Business Seminar: How Does One Become Nine Overnight? And Other Repair & Maintenance Issues

Mueller Prost, Pierre Laclède Center in Clayton (7733 Forsyth Blvd, Clayton, MO 63105)

7:30am – 9am

No cost to attend

For more information or to register contact rsvp@muellerprost.com or 314/862-1304

Missouri Venture Forum Networking Coffee Meeting

Stone Carlie & Co. (101 S. Hanley Rd., Ste. 800, Clayton, MO 63105)

7:15am – 9am

No Cost to attend

For more information or to register go to www.missouriventureforum.org or contact Judy Meador at 314/241-2683

The Training Alliance Business Training Seminars

Topic: Surviving Everyday Pressures – Handling Stress and Finding a Balance

Old Hickory Golf Club (1 Dye Club Drive, St. Peters, MO)

9am – Noon

Cost: Alliance members free, non-members \$80

For more information or to register go to www.edcalliance.com

Missouri Women in Trades (MOWIT) Monthly Support Group Meeting

O’Leary Restaurant (3828 S. Lindbergh #118, St. Louis, MO)

5pm – 7pm

For more information go to www.mowit.org or call 314/963-3200

St. Louis Minority Supplier Development Council Executive General Membership Meeting

St. Louis MSDC Office (308 North 21st Street, Suite 700, St. Louis, MO 63103)

8am – 10am

For more information or to register go to www.stlouismsd.org

November 9 – 11, 2012

St. Louis Startup Weekend (Launch a Company in 54 Hours)

Startup Weekend is a fast-paced, fun-filled 54-hour event where developers, designers and business development folks come together to pitch an idea and launch a business, all in one weekend. It is a great opportunity to test startup ideas, meet potential co-founders, and even launch your next startup. We’ll keep you fed and caffeinated as you work on your product then show off what you’ve built to the judges on Sunday night. Last year’s event had over 100 participants, 40 pitches, a dozen teams, and one winner.

Cost: \$95

For more information nor to register go to www.stlouis.startupweekend.org

Facebook: www.facebook.com/startupwkndstl Twitter: @startupwkndstl

November 13, 2012

Business Seminar: Entrepreneurship: Planning, Financing and Starting Your Business

615 Olive St, Suite 1300, St. Louis, MO

Cost: \$50 per person

For more information or to register contact Aldis Jakubovskis at 314/241-1591 or JakubovskisA@missouri.edu

Business Seminar: Mergers & Acquisitions – Financial and Legal Aspects

Mueller Prost, Pierre Laclède Center in Clayton (7733 Forsyth Blvd, Clayton, MO 63105)

7:30am – 9am

No cost to attend

For more information or to register contact rsvp@muellerprost.com or 314/862-1304

St. Louis Minority Business Council Business Card Exchange

Location TBD

5:30pm – 7:30pm

For more information go to www.slmbc.org

November 14, 2012

National Association of Women Business Owners (NAWBO) Networking Event

“What Does the Affordable Care Act Mean for Your Business?”

Westborough Country Club (631 S. Berry Road, St. Louis, MO 63122)

11:30am – 1:30pm

Cost: \$35 members, \$50 non-members

For more information or to register go to www.nawbostl.org

2012 Woman & Minority Owned Business Vendor Fair

Hotel Lumiere (777 River City Casino Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63125)

8:30am – 1pm

For more information or to register to participate contact Josh McLeod at Josh.McLeod@lumiereplace.com

St. Louis Minority Business Council AMP Meeting

Hotel Lumiere (777 River City Casino Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63125)

A meeting reserved for corporate members to share best practices to connect, network and brainstorm various opportunities.

11:30am – 1pm

For more information go to www.slmbc.org

St. Louis Small Business Meetup Networking Event (NO MEETING IN NOVEMBER)

Amici’s (210 N. Kirkwood, Kirkwood, MO)

Noon – 1:30pm

For more information go to <http://www.meetup.com/SLSBMG/>

November 15, 2012

Business Seminar: Social Media Made Simple plus Blogging and Search Engine Optimization to Generate New Leads

8:30am – 10:30am

Missouri History Museum (5700 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63112)

No cost to attend

For more information or to register contact Michelle Chipman at michelle@responsetargetedmarketing.com

Missouri Venture Forum Business Seminar: Outlook for Capital 2013

Sheraton Clayton Plaza (7730 Bonhomme, Clayton, MO 63105)

4pm – 7pm

Cost: members \$32, guests \$40

For more information or to register go to www.missouriventureforum.org or contact Judy Meador at 314/241-2683

Business Seminar: Selling to the Government, the First Steps

T-Rex (615 Olive, 12th Floor Auditorium, St. Louis, MO 63101)

9am - Noon

Cost: \$50 per person

For more information or to register go to www.missouribusiness.net

Workplace Xcellence Webinar Series

Topic: Affordable Care Act: What's the Bottom Line? Addressing the Tax and Insurance Impact of the ACA on Small and Mid-Sized Businesses

1pm – 2pm

No cost to participate

For more information contact Erin Kopec at ekopec@extrahelpinc.com

To register go to <https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/252323856>

Gateway Business Networking (formerly St. Louis Business Networking) Breakfast

Missouri Athletic Club (405 Washington Ave., St. Louis, MO 63102)

7am – 9am (Meets 3rd Thursday of each Month)

Cost: \$14 per person

For more information or to RSVP contact Andrea at andrea.johnson@techguardsecurity.com

November 27, 2012

St. Louis Area Missouri Employer Committee Business Seminar: Social Media Marketing...Made Simple

St. Louis Community College – Corporate College (3221 McKelvey Road, Bridgeton, MO 63044)

8am – 10:30am

Cost: \$25 per person

For more information or to register Lynn Beauchaine at 314/865-0255

November 28, 2012

Small Business Network (for Business Owners Only) Networking Meeting

Ces & Judy's Catering (10405 Clayton Rd., St. Louis, MO 63131)

7:30am – 9am

Cost: Members FREE; Non-members \$20

To RSVP go to info@sbmon.com or call 314/569-0076

For more information go to www.stlbusinessnetwork.com

St. Louis Minority Business Council Executive Roundtable Meeting

SLMSDC Offices (308 North 21st Street, Ste. 700, St. Louis, MO 63103)

Noon – 1:30pm

For more information go to www.slmhc.org

November 29, 2012

Business Seminar: The Basics of Writing a Business Plan

University of Missouri Extension (260 Brown Rd., Saint Peters, MO)

6pm – 9pm

Cost: \$49 per person

To register contact Lynette Watson at watsononly@missouri.edu or 636/970-3000

For more information or to register go to www.MissouriBusiness.net

St. Louis Entrepreneurs Meetup Networking Group Meeting

Racanelli's Pizza (111 N. Kirkwood Road, Kirkwood, MO)

7pm – 9pm (3rd Wednesday of each month)

For more information or to register go to <http://www.meetup.com/stlouis-entrepreneurs/>

November 30, 2012

St. Louis Minority Supplier Development Council 2012 Awards Gala

Four Seasons Hotel – St. Louis (St. Louis, MO 63101)

6pm – 9pm

For more information or to register go to www.stlouismssc.org

MiL Inc. Day-Long Seminar & Open House

Donald Danforth Plant Science Center and the Helix Biotech Incubator Core Lab

Topic: Microbiology, Food-Safety & Nutrition

For more information or to register go to www.microbeinotech.com or call Dr. Bruce Hemming at 314/645-2177 x100

SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT TRAINING

University of Missouri Extension offers multiple business development workshops and seminars at multiple locations for nominal fees. For more information about the programs and how to register go to <http://www.missouribusiness.net/>

St. Louis Community College's Center for Business, Industry and Labor (CBIL) is offering a weekly series of FREE podcasts on professional development topics. This series of free podcasts addresses important, relevant and timely workplace topics that will give listeners a clearer understanding of the information, skills and resources needed to successfully navigate today's complex business environment. The first set of 21st Century Professional Development podcasts explores leadership and team development topics, and is presented by Barry Schapiro, CBIL's practice leader for management and team development. For more information: <http://www.stlcc.edu/podcasts/business-training/>

Minority Business Council (SLMBC) provides ongoing growth opportunities, financial support, and training and education for its corporate members and for Minority Business Enterprises (MBEs). For more information go to www.slmhc.org

AAIM provides small business training courses, seminars, and webinars on a variety of topics including computer skills, negotiating skills, customer service, interpersonal communication, PowerPoint presentations, and more. For a complete schedule of upcoming programs or to register for any of the programs go to www.aaimtrain.org or call 314/968-5360

Carrollton Bank offers FREE small business training workshops through **CU Excel Center**. To get more information about the workshops or to register contact center@stlouiscommunity.com or go to www.cuexcelcenter.com

Enterprise Bank & Trust offers FREE small business training workshops through **Enterprise University**. To get more information about these workshop or to register online go to www.enterprisebank.com and click on the icon for Enterprise University. Or you can send an email to enterpriseuniversity@enterprisebank.com or call 314/512-7203

St. Louis Small Business Administration offers FREE online courses for small businesses and entrepreneurs, including starting a small business, managing a small business, financing a business, and contracting. For more information about these online courses go to <http://www.sba.gov/content/st-louis-district-office>