SECOND QUARTER WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

All events held at Café Commerce | 600 Soledad | 1st Floor | San Antonio, TX 78205 | 210.802.1504, except where noted. For more details and to register, please visit our website at www.liftfund.com/events

APRIL 2016

DATE | TIME **EVENT | PRESENTER**

Tuesday 5 Women Owned Small Business Certification Info Session

10:00 am - 12:00 pm Eric Spencer, Small Business Administration

Thursday 7 **Business Model Canvas**

9:30 -11:00 am Celina Peña, LiftFund

Tuesday 12 Credit 101 10:00 am - 12:00 pm **Capital One**

Tuesday 19 CRM 101: How and Why to Implement a CRM Strategy

6:00 - 8:00 pm Celina Peña, LiftFund **Network like a Pro Thursday 21**

9:30 - 11:00 am Michael Espinoza, SABusinessCalendar.com

How to Build Your Online Marketing on a Budget Thursday 28

6:00 - 8:00 pm Kori Ashton, Webtegrity

MAY 2016

Tuesday 3 Crowdfunding Town Hall

9:30 - 11:30 am Cynthia Nevels, ThinkCrowdFund and Abe Chu, NextSeed Thursday 5 **Small Business Week Mentor Roundtable** LiftFund Headquarters, 2007 West Martin Street, 78207 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Co-hosted by LiftFund, Café Commerce and SCORE

Repairing Your Credit Tuesday 10

Capital One 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Thursday 12 Alternative Financing

9:30 - 11:30 am Annie Hudspeth, Small Business Administration, Alma Valdez Brown, LiftFund;

Mario Cardona, Able Lending

Gain and Maintain a Positive Online Reputation Wednesday 25

5:30 - 7:30 pm Miguel Segura, Better Business Bureau; Veronica Morales, The Social Being; Tomas Rey, Yelp

JUNE 2016

Make Fear Your Friend: Overcome Barriers in Your Business Saturday 4

Celeste Derozier, Your Intrepid Life Coaching **Improving Sales Effectiveness Tuesday 7** Kevin Shaughnessy, Sales Xceleration 9:30 - 11:30 am **Primary Market Research** Thursday 9

9:30 - 11:30 am Margot Fuentes, LiftFund Women's Business Center

Tuesday 14 **Building Your Credit**

Capital One 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Thursday 23 Secondary Market Research

9:30 - 11:30 am Ruben Lopez, Small Business Development Center

Tuesday 28 Patent and Trademark Conference

8:00 am - 6:00 pm Co-hosted by U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and Café Commerce

Please join us every Wednesday from 9:15 - 10:15 am at Café Commerce to hear two entrepreneurs present their companies to a diverse audience of peers, mentors, educators and advisors. Apply to present at 1millioncups.com/sanantonio

Capital One Credit Series. \$30 for all 3 classes.

Market Research Classes. \$10 fee per class.

Reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities will be made if requested two days in advance.



9:30 - 11:30 am









Whether you're a startup or seeking to grow your business, you've come to the right place to find resources and experts in business.

Together, LiftFund and the City of San Antonio have partnered to bring you Café Commerce, a resource center for aspiring and current small business owners. We connect you with partners throughout San Antonio, including the LiftFund WBC, to support growing your idea and business.

ABOUT OUR PROGRAMS:



Café Commerce

Nadia Auch, President Ryan Salts, Director of Outreach and Engagement Sarah Olivarez, Operations and Community Manager

Café Commerce is a resource center that inspires entrepreneurship, activates untapped potential, and achieves great business results.

Program Highlights:

Curated Space

Where folks work together and events are hosted

Accelerator Programs

Providing specific curriculum to help businesses grow quickly through Break Fast & Launch

Venture Challenge

A City Wide innovation challenge to promote and celebrate entrepreneur success

Café Commerce is funded in part by the City of San Antonio and LiftFund.

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WOMEN'S BUSINESS CENTER

Women Business Center

Margot Fuentes, Director Carlos Acosta, Business Advisor

The LiftFund Women's Business Center is dedicated to supporting entrepreneurs, especially women and minorities.

Program Highlights

Curation of Seminars

Hosting experts on key business topics

Consultation

Providing consultations for businesses

Programs

Business Opportunity Academy, ArtistLab, Women's Business Accelerator

The LiftFund WBC is funded in part through a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Small Business Administration.

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OUR ADDRESS:

Café Commerce inside the Central Public Library | 600 Soledad Street | San Antonio, Texas 78205 Business Hours: | 9 am to 5 pm | After Hour Appointments Upon Request