

September 7, 2010

FEATURE EVENT



Dream Up
Let Your Customers Take You There
SMALL BUSINESS FORUM
Tues., October 19
Metro Toronto Convention Centre

Join Enterprise Toronto for our 10th Small Business Forum. This year's keynote speaker will be Chris O'Neill from Google Canada. We will have 16-in depth seminars, an 80-exhibitor tradeshow and a Digital Zone to give you an opportunity to participate in the Forum's back channel. Post-Forum event will be "**Entrepreneurs in Action**", an evening hosted by TD Canada Trust featuring Ignite Toronto and Austin Hill. Register for this FREE event at

http://www.enterprisetoronto.com/index.cfm?linkid=99&linktype=mainlink&content_id=2479&fromurl=box

For Sponsorship and Exhibitor Opportunities log onto www.enterprisetoronto.com/SBF2010.

BUSINESS NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES



Canadian Association of Business Incubation - 2010 Conference
Le Meridian King Edward Hotel
October 3 – 5

Whether you are new to business incubation or a seasoned pro, the 19th annual conference of the Canadian Association of Business Incubation promises to be an exciting event. The theme, "Business Incubation and Economic Development: Growing the Contribution," focuses on how to support small business, catalyze innovation and create new jobs in our communities.

www.cabi.ca/conference_2010.php



CBC News Your Voice

If you're starting your own small business and are interested in blogging for CBC News Your Voice, send a description of yourself, the business you're starting and why yours would make a great story to yournews@cbc.ca with the words "small business week" in the subject line. Go to <http://www.cbc.ca/aboutcbc/discover/submissions.html> for more info regarding submissions.



Design Exchange Awards

Call for Submission
234 Bay St., TD Centre
Final Submission: Sept. 30

The Design Exchange Awards acknowledge success stories achieved through partnerships between clients and designers in the fields of architecture, fashion, industrial design, interior design, landscape architecture, urban design, engineering and visual communications.

For more info, contact: Noa Bronstein Tel: 416-216-2120 or noa@dx.org, www.dx.org/dxa.



Live Green Toronto
New Grants, Rebates & Programs

Wanted - Green businesses!

Live Green Toronto's new Membership Card program is designed to help you Toronto residents connect with local businesses and get discounts or special offers on green products and services. Applications from green businesses are being accepted now. To recommend your favorite green business, send an email to livegreencard@toronto.ca For more information on the Membership Card program, which will officially launch in August, and to register for your card, visit: livegreentoronto.ca.

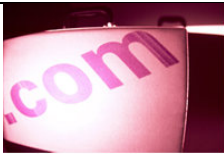
LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES



ENTERPRISE TORONTO
MORNING SEMINAR SERIES (AUGUST - OCTOBER)

Topics include: Managing Your Cash Flow' Planning for Success – A Business Plan That Works; Knowing Your Customers to Improve Your Sales; Marketing Tactics you can use; Demystifying Website Development Solutions, etc.

Learn the tools and resources you will need to forge ahead in your business (8 – 9:30 am and 10 am – 12 noon) various locations. Admission is **FREE** but registration is required at www.enterprisetoronto.com or telephone at **(416) 395-7416**.



ENTERPRISE TORONTO
E-BUSINESS SERIES
Toronto City Hall & Scarborough Civic Centre
September

Topics include: Introduction to E-Business for SME's (Small, Medium Enterprises), Getting Started, Operating Your Business Online, Marketing Series I, Marketing Series II, E-Business: Marketing Series II, E-Business & Your Current System.

Admission is **FREE** but registration is required at www.enterprisetoronto.com or via telephone at **(416) 395-7416**.

INCUBATORS



The Toronto Food Business Incubator
How to Start a Food Business
North York Civic Centre
5100 Yonge Street
Sept. 20, Dec. 13

If you are a chef or foodie, these valuable workshops are for you! Hosted by The Toronto Food Business Incubator and delivered in partnership with the City of Toronto's Economic Development & Culture Division.

Learn how to develop your products, develop your business plan, financing, branding your identity and utilizing the Web to source information. **Admission is \$20**, for registration please see, http://www.enterprisetoronto.com/index.cfm?linktype=mainlink&linkid=99&fromurl=globalsearch&content_id=2218&searchaction=searchnow&globalsearchterm=food%20business%20seminar for details.

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