

Anne Lancaster is a certified business advisor at the Maine SBDC at University of Southern Maine. She works with entrepreneurs and small business owners in York County to start, sustain and grow their businesses.

In the four years she has been with the Maine SBDC, she has spent approximately 3,500 hours advising over 900 clients. She's helped to start 13 businesses, create and save 48 jobs, and generate almost 3.3 million in capital. Anne's clients rave about her ability to listen, her patience, and her supportive and knowledgeable approach to business advising.

Her colleagues appreciate her generosity, thoughtful and collaborative spirit. As a certified Clifton Strengths coach, Anne has shared her deep knowledge to help the Maine SBDC team understand each other and work better together. This work is helping increase communication and create a more cohesive and successful Maine SBDC network.

Prior to joining the SBDC, Anne spent over 10 years as a strategic business consultant in Seattle, WA.

She coached and consulted with over 2,000 individuals and over 150 teams. Her client list included major Corporations as Starbucks, Microsoft, Nordstrom, and the City of Seattle.