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START UP

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Brian LeFeve / Brian LeFeve, St. Clair Shores, MI
S11 Ep3 | 26m 46s



East End Market / John Rife, Orlando, FL
S11 Ep4 | 26m 46s



Apogee Air / Josh and Valerie Clark, Waterford, MI
S11 Ep2 | 26m 46s

Ohio SBDC and Client on 4-Time Emmy Nominated PBS Show, Start Up.

Checkout Sweet & Meats BBQ's SBDC success story video click here:

<https://www.pbs.org/video/sweets-meats-bbq-anton-gaffney-and-kristen-bailey-oh-yafpbo/?source=social>



Help Us Pick a Winner!

At the recent annual conference of America's Small Business Development Centers, SBA's Office of International gathered testimonials from SBDC counselors on international trade. We asked two questions:

1. What's the best part about being an international trade counselor?
2. Why is it a good idea for SBDCs to engage in export promotion?

We have narrowed it down to our top three submissions for each question.
Voting is open October 30- November 10 for question one finalists.

Please view the finalists at the links below and LIKE or comment on your favorite to help us select the winner:

Finalist M: <https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:7124774490445680640>

Finalist J: <https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:7124775098577817601>

Finalist S: <https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:7124775361631961088>

The leading vote-getter will be featured, along with their SBDC network, in an upcoming SBA OIT National Newsletter.

Question 2 finalists will be featured for voting December 4 -15. Stay tuned to the SBA Office of International Trade LinkedIn page to participate!

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For the past few years, Lili has been a proud SBDC Ambassador. Lili's product has also evolved and has become a full one-stop financial platform for small business owners including a business bank account, AI-driven bookkeeping and tax planning tools as well as many other exciting features. ***In addition to providing free training on topics such as "Bookkeeping Made Simple" and "Taxes DeMystified", Lili is also providing special Lili/SBDC product offers for Centers.***

There are still a few dates open for training in 2023 as well as early 2024. **Click here to learn more** or email kim@b2smbpartnerplace.com



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PART A: Entrepreneurial Mindset

Sept 25 – Nov 10, 2023

Types of Entrepreneurship

Workplace Intrapreneurship Entrepreneurial Mindset

Entrepreneur Self-Assessment

Problem-Solving & Research

Entrepreneurial Pathways

Business Opportunity Recognition Innovation & Design Thinking Lean Canvas & Lean Startup

PART B: Business Plan

Jan 22 – Mar 22, 2024

- Business Plan
- Competitive Analysis
- Marketing & Branding
- Operations & Resources
- Management & Networking
- Start-up Costs & Funding Sources
- Accounting & Financial Statements
- Business Structures & Taxes
- Risk Mitigation
- Elevator Pitch **Class recordings also available.*

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Event Flyer

Questions: **Dr. Cheryl Ayers**

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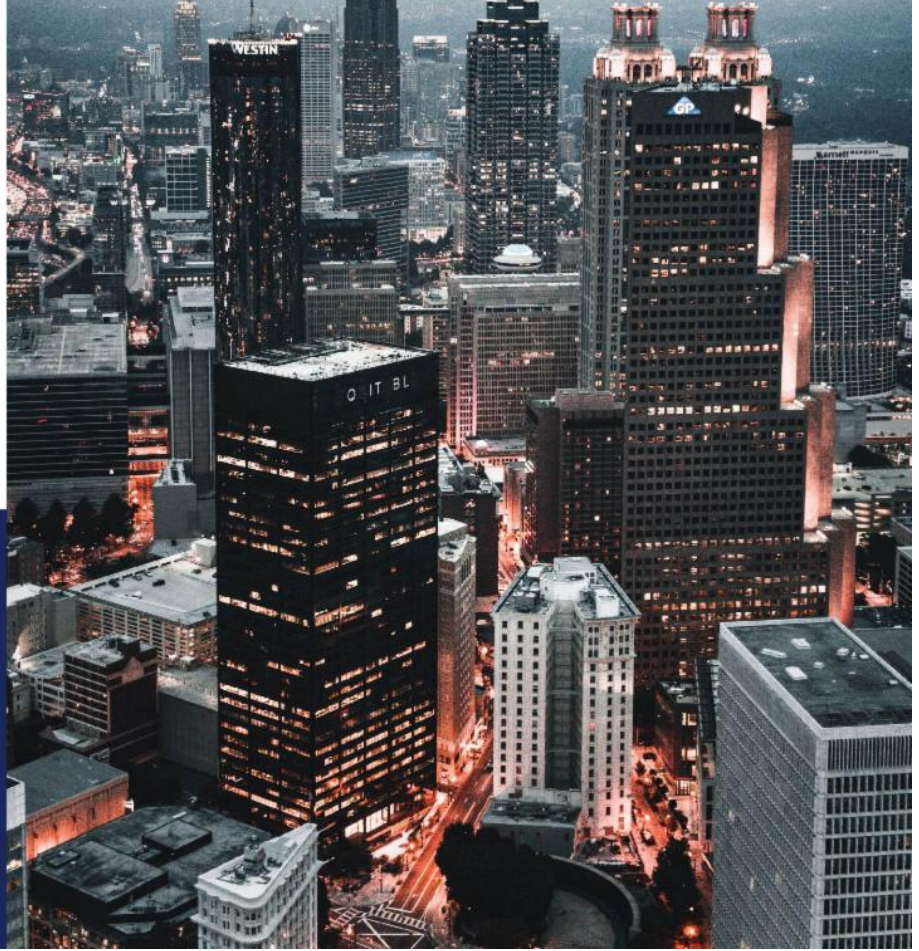
National **SMALL BUSINESS** Week

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September 9-13, 2024

Atlanta Marriott Marquis
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