

* No Sunday Classes

Training Institute: Schedule of Upcoming Classes/Events

Programs: ECDI IDA FOOD FORT WBC

April 2015						
Su	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 ECDI Business Information Session 12 PM-1 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab (Free)	2	3 Understanding Small Business Loan Agreements 12 PM-1 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab Free for all	4 IDA HBCC Business Plan Class #1, 9 AM-4 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$75 for 3 classes WBC Hours: 9 AM-1 PM
5	6	7 (S.E.E.D) Training Series #1 Business Concept 5 PM-8 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$100 for all 4 classes	8	9 Understanding Credit Reports & Scores 1 PM-2 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab Free for WBC/ECDI members/\$10 for non-members	10 DreamBuilder Class 1 2:30 PM-4:30 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$299 for 7 classes WBC/ECDI/FF members only	11 Financial Literacy 9 AM-4 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$25
12	13 Food Safety 1 PM- 4PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$25	14 (S.E.E.D) Training Series #2 Organization 5 PM-8 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$100 for all 4 classes	15	16 ECDI Business Information Session 6 PM-7 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab (Free)	17 DreamBuilder Class 2 2:30 PM-4:30 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$299 for 7 classes WBC/ECDI/FF members only	18 IDA HBCC Business Plan Class #2, 9 AM-4 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$75 for 3 classes WBC Hours: 9 AM-1 PM
19	20	21 (S.E.E.D) Training Series #3 Customer Relations 5 PM-8 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$100 for all 4 classes	22	23 Dames Bond: Thrive Series 4 PM-6 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$25 for WBC members/\$35 for non-members	24 DreamBuilder Class 3 2:30 PM-4:30 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$299 for 7 classes WBC/ECDI/FF members only	25 IDA HBCC Business Plan Clinic #3, 9 AM-12 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$75 for 3 classes
26	27	28 (S.E.E.D) Training Series #4 Operations 5 PM-8 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab \$100 for all 4 classes	29	30 Entrepreneurial Readiness Training Session 11:30 PM-1 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab Free for WBC/ECDI members/\$25 for non-members Quickbooks 101 5:30 PM-7:30 PM Fifth Third Learning Lab This class is open to all, \$50 for WBC/ECDI Clients and \$65 for non-members.		

Class Registration: <https://www.ecdi.org/events>
<https://www.wbcoho.org/events>
 (614)559-0115



Location: Fifth Third Learning Lab
 1611 Old Leonard Avenue
 Columbus, OH 43219

DREAMBUILDERS

DreamBuilders is a unique, multi-leveled business skills training program created to help women build their dream of starting or growing their own business.

The WBC invites the Latino community to learn about Dream Builder, an innovative and online tool used to create a business plan available in Spanish and English.

Dreambuilders es un programa único, para enseñar habilidades de negocios de múltiples niveles. Fue creado para ayudar a las mujeres a construir su sueño de iniciar o hacer crecer su propio negocio.

The Women's Business Center is offering a seven (7) weekly sessions to enhance the free online courses with guided support.

To enroll contact the Jonnel Ransom at (614) 732-0981.

IDA Micro Enterprise From Dream To Reality Business Plan Classes

The Micro Enterprise class series is designed for individual business owners enrolled in the IDA program and entrepreneurs looking to create their first business plan.

Cost \$75 for 3-4 classes/clinics. To enroll contact the IDA Department at (614) 559-0115.

INTRO TO ENTREPRENEURIAL READINESS

Small Business Ownership and Entrepreneurship: it all starts with an idea. Once you have that, ECDI can take you places. If you don't know where to begin, our Entrepreneurial Readiness Info Training Session will help you get a handle on whether entrepreneurship is right for you. Once you complete this training session, you're eligible for small business consultations, one-on-one assistance, and additional small business training.

Our introductory Entrepreneurial Readiness Info Session will help you answer the following questions:

- Do you think like an entrepreneur?
- Have you asked yourself the important questions?
- Have you considered the first 10 steps to starting a business?
- Is your business idea feasible?
- Do you have the information to start writing a business plan?

Please be advised that there is a \$25.00 member registration fee if you are not currently a member of ECDI/WBC. You will be expected to fill out a General Application and pay your fee upon arrival.

The Small Enterprise Education Development (S.E.E.D) Training Series is designed for entrepreneurs who are ready to enhance their business idea or expand their existing small enterprise into a viable and profitable business. Clients taking this course will focus on four critical developmental areas; business concept, organization, customer relations, and operations using the GrowthWheel® concept, an interactive tool that helps entrepreneurs develop their business through an action oriented process. Clients will also complete homework assignments that will assist them in developing a business plan and 30/60/90 day action plan.

This course is for **Phase "2"** clients which indicates that you have a business idea that you intend to move forward with. Start-ups who want to receive a loan from ECDI are required to take this course (all four classes should be completed). Total cost \$100.00.

Registration closes 2 business days before the class. Classes are subject to cancellation. Please arrive at ECDI approx. 15 minutes prior to the beginning of class. For special considerations, call Ann Bond at (614) 559-0115.

Please be advised that there is a **\$25.00 member registration fee** if you are not currently a member of ECDI or WBC. You will be expected to fill out a General Application and pay your fee upon arrival of your first class. Also, an additional \$25.00 may be required for materials if you have a partner who will also attend. This class will be held at the **Fifth Third Learning Lab located at 1611 Old Leonard Ave., Columbus, OH 43219**