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GLEQ Calendar

State Wide Entrepreneurial Events

Special Events

May 1	<u>NiFT Roundtable: Additive Manufacturing in the EV Industry</u>
May 7-8	<u>Manufacturing Leadership Summit</u>
May 21-22	<u>2024 Global Symposium on Mobility Innovation</u>
May 21-23	<u>AutoSens USA</u>
May 21	<u>Michigan Celebrates Small Business</u>

Tech Events

Date	Time	Event Title
May 1	8:30-11:00 am	<u>NiFT Roundtable: Additive Manufacturing in the EV Industry</u>
May 2	12:00-1:30 pm 4:00-6:00 pm	<u>How to Fund Your Technology Business *</u> <u>Empower Women In Tech</u>
May 7	9:00-10:30 am	<u>SURGE AI Talk: AI Marketing Tools with Jeff Muller</u>

May 8-9		<u>ACM Demo Day Event</u>
May 8	11:00 am	<u>Partnering with Underserved Communities on Clean Energy Projects and Manufacturing *</u>
	1:00-2:30 pm	<u>MEDC and EGLE Brownfield Program Update *</u>
	7:00-8:30 pm	<u>DNewTech</u>
May 9		<u>Additive Manufacturing Unleashed with Grand Valley State University, AMDI & 3DXTech</u>
May 10		<u>Detroit Moves Forum</u>
May 13-14		<u>101 Workshop: MedTech Coverage, Coding and Reimbursement *</u>
May 14		
	4:00-6:30 pm	<u>Mobility Meetup at College for Creative Studies</u>
	5:00-7:00 pm	<u>TC Women In Tech Meetup</u>
	5:00-7:00 pm	<u>A2 BioSocial</u>
May 16		<u>New Enterprise Forum</u>
May 20-23		<u>Advanced Clean Transportation Expo</u>
May 20		
	5:30-7:00 pm	<u>WMed Translational Research Seminar Series</u>
May 21-22		<u>2024 Global Symposium on Mobility Innovation</u>
May 21-23		<u>AutoSens USA</u>
May 21		<u>Ann Arbor New Tech Meetup</u>
May 22		<u>NIH SBIR/STTR: Proposal Preparation Intensive</u>
	9:30-3:00 pm	
May 30		<u>Mature Industry 4.0 Technologies That are Shaping Manufacturing Today: AI and 3D Printing</u>
	2:00-4:30 pm	

*= Online Event

May Events

Date	Time	Event Title
May 1	8:30 am	<u>1 Million Cups Kalamazoo</u>
	8:30 am	<u>1 Million Cups Metro Detroit</u>
	8:30-11:00 am	<u>NiFT Roundtable: Additive Manufacturing in the EV Industry</u>
	9:00-9:30 am	<u>APEX Accelerator Orientation: Is Government Contracting Right for Your Business? *</u>
	9:00-11:00 am	<u>Basic Computer Skills: Microsoft Excel</u>
	10:00-11:30 am	<u>Join us as the SBA and IRS present: New Initiatives to Assist Your Small Business *</u>
	11:00-11:45 am	<u>8 Practical Skills To Run A Successful Business *</u>
	11:00-12:00 pm	<u>SBA Great Lakes Region PPP Forgiveness (Weekly) *</u>
	11:30-12:00 pm	<u>Webinar: Behavioral Health Strategy*</u>
	11:40-12:45 pm	<u>Small Business Strategies for Collaboration and Productivity *</u>
	12:00-2:00 pm	<u>Basic Computer Skills: Microsoft Word</u>

	12:50-1:50 pm	Navigating Your Cash Flow - Increasing Cash In and Decreasing Cash Out to Maximize Business Success *
	1:55-2:55 pm	How to Turn Your Side Hustle Into a Business & Securing Your First Loan *
	3:00-4:00 pm	Future of Commerce 2024 *
	4:00-5:00 pm	MySBA: Transforming the Way the SBA Serves Small Business Owners *
	4:00-6:00 pm	Greater Oakland Region Owner2Owner Event
	5:00-6:00 pm	How to Write a Grant Proposal for Your Business *
May 2		
	9:00-11:00 am	Employment Law Webinar With The Miller Firm *
	12:00-1:00 pm	THE (The Hire Effect™) Talent Strategy Clinic (Weekly) *
	12:00-4:00 pm	Small Business Resource Fair
	2:00-3:00 pm	Inter Partes Review (IPR) *
	3:00-5:00 pm	Structuring for Success: Startup Accounting Essentials
	6:00-8:00 pm	Forming Your LLC
May 3		
	9:00-10:00 am	Founders First Fridays
May 6-9		Startup Week At Washtenaw Community College
May 6		Entrepreneurship Center
	11:30-12:30 pm	Interview Skills Lunch and Learn (Weekly) *
May 7		
	9:00-10:00 am	Doing Business with the State of Michigan - (Virtual) - East Michigan APEX Accelerator *
	9:30-10:00 am	A2 Green Business Challenge Launch
	12:00-1:00 pm	Improve the Performance of Your Google Ad Campaigns*
	2:00-4:00 pm	Marketing & Research Class
May 8		
	10:00-11:00 am	Hatch: A Monthly Mastermind For Entrepreneurs
	10:00-11:30 am	Selling to the State of Michigan *
	12:00-1:00 pm	Banking Basics
May 9		
	9:00-11:00 am	Federal Government Contracting 101
	9:00-11:00 am	Five Tips For Marketing In The Next Five Years
	4:30-6:30 pm	2024 Small Biz PAC Fundraiser
	5:00-7:00 pm	Startup Fundraising Trends Panel Discussion
	6:30-8:30 pm	2024 Comerica Hatch Detroit Contest Hatch Off
May 10		
	8:00-4:30 pm	Detroit Moves Forum
May 13		
	8:30-12:00 pm	Great Lakes Bay Supplier Summit
	9:00-2:00 pm	State Of Michigan Workshop: Building Foundations For The Hydrogen Economy
	10:00 am	J1 and H-2B Worker Webinar *
May 14-15		Building Michigan Communities Conference
May 14		
	8:30-10:00 am	Building The Foundation: Stereotypes, Microaggressions, And Building Inclusive Workplaces
	9:00-10:00 am	Proposal Writing & Bidding Best Practices *

	9:00-5:00 pm	Community Coworking Day in Royal Oak
	9:00-5:00 pm	Community Coworking in Ann Arbor
	10:00-12:00 pm	Advancing AANHPI Heritage through Entrepreneurship!!! *
	12:00-1:00 pm	Understanding & Navigating Revised Independent Contractor Rules *
	12:00-7:00 pm	Igniting Innovation: Understanding The Entrepreneurial Ecosystem *
	1:00-2:30 pm	How to Write a One-Page Business Plan: A Step-by-Step Guide *
	1:00-2:30 pm	Inclusive Workplace Series Unconscious Bias Training *
	5:00-7:00 pm	A2 BioSocial
	5:00-7:30 pm	The Next Culinary Conversations Event
May 15		
	8:30 am	1 Million Cups Copper Country
	10:00-11:00 am	Sunny Strategies: Summer Marketing Tips for Small Business Success *
	10:00-11:30 am	FOCI Rules for Federal Contractors *
	5:00-7:00 pm	Lansing BioMixer
May 16		New Enterprise Forum
	9:00-11:00 am	SBA Mentor-Protégé Program (MPP) *
	9:00-12:30 pm	Federal Market Research 201 - Macomb Regional APEX Accelerator *
	11:30-12:30 pm	Customer Discovery – The Secret To Startup Success *
	11:30-1:00 pm	SURGE Lunch & Learn: Cultivating Confidence and Trust On-Camera
	1:00-2:00 pm	How to Create a LinkedIn B2B Marketing Strategy for Your Business *
	1:00-7:00 pm	Plug and Play Detroit Expo
May 20-24		Wellness Week
May 20		Employer's Apprenticeship Workshop
	8:30-3:30 pm	Michigan Rural Prosperity Summit
May 21		Michigan Celebrates Small Business
	8:00-9:30 am	How to Design Your Product for Manufacturability with Centropolis
	8:30-11:30 am	Grant Writing 201
	8:30-12:00 pm	2024 Southwest Michigan Supplier Readiness Summit
	9:00-10:00 am	Meet the Expert: State of Michigan DTMB *
	9:00-10:00 am	Understanding How Trust Works at Work *
	5:30-7:30 pm	Ann Arbor New Tech Meetup
May 22		
	9:00-10:30 am	Writing A Business Plan *
	12:00-1:00 pm	Winning Wednesday: SBA's Mentor Protégé Program - (Virtual) - East Michigan APEX Accelerator *
	1:00-2:00 pm	Google Analytics for Small Businesses - How to Improve Your Website Traffic *
May 23		
	9:00-12:30 pm	DLA Internet Bid Board System (DIBBS) 201 - Macomb Regional APEX Accelerator *
	12:00-1:00 pm	Effective Compensation Planning For Small Business Owners *
	2:00-4:00 pm	Capability Statement Class - SWMIAPEX

May 28-31

[Mackinac Policy Conference](#)

May 29

9:00-8:00 pm

[Coworking Drop-in Day](#)

1:00-3:00 pm

[Business Financial Viability and Operating Costs -
Shiawassee](#)

6:00-9:00 pm

[Business Financial Viability and Operating Costs - Lapeer](#)

May 30

9:00-10:00 am

[Leadership Flint & Genesee Info Session](#)

11:00-1:00 pm

[Business Financial Viability and Operating Costs -
Marlette](#)

1:00-2:30 pm

[How To Create A Marketing Plan For Your Small](#)

May 31

[Business](#) *

1:00-3:00 pm

[Business Financial Viability and Operating Costs - St. Clair](#)

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June GLEQ Calendar Preview

Date

Time

Event Title

June 3-4

[Electric Vehicles Battery Technology USA](#)

June 4

[Doing business in Mexico](#)

9:00-10:00 am

[Understanding And Building Credit](#)

June 5-6

[AutoTech: Detroit](#)

June 7

9:00-10:00 am

[Founders First Fridays](#)

June 13

8:00-2:00 pm

[2024 SBAM Small Business Summit & Annual Meeting](#)

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Additional Resources

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