



# Creating Entrepreneurial Communities

Promoting Entrepreneurship and Business Resilience



Hannibal, Missouri  
September 29-30, 2021

Wednesday September 29, 2021							
10:30 AM	<b>Registration &amp; check-in</b> Location: Rialto Banquet Hall, 601 Broadway Box Lunch provided						
11:15 to 11:45 AM	<b>Opening Panel Discussion - Creating an Entrepreneurial Community in Hannibal</b>						
11:45 AM	<b>Opening Welcome - MU &amp; Hannibal</b>						
12:00 PM	<b>Keynote Speaker - Andrew McCrea</b>						
12:30 PM to 1:00 PM	Move to breakout sessions						
Breakout Session 1							
1:00 PM to 2:00 PM	Location	Location I	Location II	Location III	Location IV	Location V	Location VI
	Presentation	Building local giving toward entrepreneurial activities	Welcoming Entrepreneurs and Economic Development: DEI	Rural Strong (Small Business Administration)	Rural Strong (SBDC & PTAC)	Building restoration & Historic Preservation	Downtown Community Improvement (Civic Involvement)
	Speaker	Andrew McCrea	Hannibal Area leadership	Tom Daiber	Maria Kuhns	Martin Meyer	Corey Mehaffy
2:00 PM to 2:30 PM	Networking and moving to the next breakout session						
Breakout Session 2							
2:30 PM to 3:30 PM	Location	Location I	Location II	Location III	Location IV	Location V	Location VI
	Presentation	Building local giving toward entrepreneurial activities	Regionalism Topics Panel (Housing/Day care)	Rural Strong (Small Business Administration)	Rural Strong (SBDC & PTAC)	Tourism/Historical sights tour	Downtown Community Improvement (Civic Involvement)
	Speaker	Andrew McCrea	Panel discussion	Tom Daiber	Maria Kuhns	Gail Bryant	Corey Mehaffy
3:30 PM to 4:00 PM	Networking and moving to the next breakout session						
Breakout Session 3							
4:00 PM to 5:00 PM	Location	Location I	Location II	Location III	Location IV	Location V	Location VI
	Presentation	Building restoration & Historic Preservation	Environmental Considerations and Opportunities in Economic Development	Welcoming Entrepreneurs and Economic Development: DEI	Not Just Mark Twain - Festivals and Events in Hannibal	Tourism/Historical sights tour	Regionalism Topics (Workforce)
	Speaker	Martin Meyer	Jon Kallen	Hannibal Area leadership	Hannibal Panel	Gail Bryant	Panel discussion
5:00 PM to 6:00 PM	Free time. Check into lodging.						
6:00 PM to 8:00 PM	<b>Evening Social and Networking Event</b> Location: Mark Twain Museum, 120 N Main St						

**Thursday September 30th, 2021**

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM **Breakfast & Opening Session**  
Location: Rialto Banquet Hall

8:30 AM - 9:00 AM Networking and moving to the next breakout session

**Breakout Session 4**

	Location	Location I	Location II	Location III	Location IV	Location V	Location VI
9:00 AM- 9:45 AM	Presentation	Broadband/ Remote workforce development/E-commerce	Youth Entrepreneurship (Missouri after school entrepreneurship)	Main Street Program Research	Creative Community	CEO Program & Ignite-SBDC	Building Local Prosperity
	Speaker	Louis Riggs	Steve Henness	Andrew Van Leuven	Michael Gaines	Corey Mehaffy	Richard Proffer

9:45 AM - 10:15 AM Networking and moving to the next breakout session

**Breakout Session 4**

	Location	Location I	Location II	Location III	Location IV	Location V	Location VI
10:15 AM-11:00 AM	Presentation	Broadband/ Remote workforce development/E-commerce	Youth Entrepreneurship (Missouri after school entrepreneurship)	ARPA and Business/Entrepreneurship/Workforce Development	Beautification, Parks and Recreation	CEO Program & Ignite-SBDC	Ecosystem Building - Resource Navigator
	Speaker	Louis Riggs	Steve Henness	Darla Campbell & NE Region CARES team	Kristy Trevathan & Mary Lynn Richards	Corey Mehaffy	MoSourceLink

11:00 AM - 11:15 AM Networking and moving to the next breakout session

11:15 AM - 12:15 PM **Luncheon & Panel Discussion on Business Resilience - Planning for Hardships**

12:15 PM - 12:45 PM **Closing Keynote - Marshall Stewart**