

EVENTS

Construction Forecast: 2012-14

monday | october 1 | 6:00p-8:00p

A panel will discuss the current state of the construction industry and the next two years' possible opportunities in Durham City and County governments, Durham Public Schools, North Carolina Central University, Duke University Facilities Management and Skanska.

Cost: Free

Location: Durham Public Schools Staff Development Center, 2017 Hillandale Road (Exit 15-B from I-85 S)
Refreshments provided

Awards Luncheon

tuesday | october 2 | 11:30a-1:30p

Keynote Speaker:

Jean Davis, Director of International Trade,
NC Department of Commerce

Hear how North Carolina assists with job creation by helping small businesses develop markets internationally, and learn which North Carolina goods and services might be in demand. Small Business Awards will highlight this event.

Cost: \$25

Location: Hilton Durham near Duke University, 3800 Hillsborough Road



Greet the Purchasers

wednesday | october 3 | 9:00a-10:30a

In today's economy, it's about connections and who you know. Meet with purchasing agents and decision makers from large companies and government agencies. Learn what they buy locally, how they offer bids, and more.

Register for this event at: <http://members.durhamchamber.org/Events/details/greet-the-purchasers-632> or by contacting Mable Rogers at (919) 328-8731 or mrogers@durhamchamber.org.

Cost: \$20

Location: Durham Convention Center, 201 Foster Street

Multicultural Business After-Hours

wednesday | october 3 | 5:30p-7:30p

Meet and greet business owners and professionals to develop new business opportunities in a relaxed, fun-filled atmosphere with free food and door prizes.

Cost: \$10

Location: Tobacco Road Sports Café, 280 South Mangum Street (Enter from Blackwell Street).

If you use the parking deck, bring your ticket to get a complimentary beverage.

International Trade Seminar

thursday | october 4 | 8:00a-11:00a

A panel of experts from the US Export Assistance Center, NC Department of Commerce International Trade Division and NC Department of Agriculture International Trade Marketing Office will discuss services, programs and resources available to assist small businesses with international business opportunities.

Cost: Free

Location: Durham Convention Center, 201 Foster Street
Refreshments provided

Golf with a Minority Business Day

friday | october 5

"Hit the links" on a recently renovated golf course and connect with a diverse group of executives and business owners from around the state. Don't play golf? Why not participate in a golf clinic?

9:30a: Registration and Continental Breakfast

10:00a: Shotgun Start

11:00a: Golf Clinic

Cost: Golfers - \$40 (includes greens fees, cart and food)
Non-golfers - \$10 (one hour session with the resident golf pro)

Location: Hillandale Golf Course, 1600 Hillandale Road

Registration Form

Complete and return this form or register online at www.ncimed.com, click on MED Week.

Construction Forecast (No cost)

Number of Attendees:

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Awards Luncheon (\$25)

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Greet the Purchasers (\$20)

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Multicultural Business After-Hours (\$10)

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Golf with a Minority Business Day (\$40)

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Golf Clinic (\$10)

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Credit card payments can be made online or make checks payable to NC Institute of Minority Economic Development and mail to PO Box 1331, Durham NC 27702

Registration Deadline: September 21

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The mission of Minority Enterprise Development Week in the City of Durham is to recognize and celebrate the contributions of minority and women owned businesses to the economic vibrancy of our community and promote their continued growth and success. Through a week-long series of educational outreach and recognition events, we proudly support the development of diverse businesses in Durham.



Registration Deadline: September 21

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