



RECURRING ADVISOR SESSIONS

Plan your next 1:1 appointment around these popular topics on a rotating schedule. Hours are subject to change.

MONDAYS

10am-Noon **Global Business Development**
Tim Martinez, DEDO; By appointment only

2-5pm **City of Denver Enterprise Zone and Investment Tax Credit Programs**
Joanne Greek, DEDO; 2nd and 4th Mondays

TUESDAYS

9am-Noon **Federal Resources for Small Business**
Small Business Administration; 1st and 3rd Tuesdays

9am-Noon **How to do Business with the City**
Cecilia Rivas De Shuermann, Denver Purchasing; 1st, 2nd, 3rd Tuesdays

1-4pm **Intellectual Property**
U.S. Patent & Trademark Office; 1st Tuesday

WEDNESDAYS

9am-5pm **Entrepreneurship, Finance and Service Provider Network Referrals**
Carrie Singer, DEDO

THURSDAYS

9am-Noon **Business Plan Reviews and Small Business Lending**
Rick Snyder, DEDO

1-4pm **Business Financing & Resources**
Stefanie Fox, Colorado Enterprise Fund; 3rd Thursday

1-4pm **Financial Education & Business Services**
Maria Gutilla (Bilingual - Spanish), Denver Community Credit Union; 2nd & 4th Thursday

FRIDAYS

9a-Noon **Non-Profit Legal & Governance**
Katie Thomas, Colorado Nonprofit Legal Center; every Friday

1-4pm **Retail, Food & Beverage, and Hospitality**
John Hill, DEDO; 2nd and 4th Fridays

Save the Dates for Denver Startup Week (DSW) which is September 14-18, 2020. For more information visit denverstartupweek.org

Startup Space is an online platform and mobile app that is used to support the launch and growth of small businesses. Register as a new user at startupSPACE.app



The Commons on Champa is a public-private collaboration between the City & County of Denver, the Colorado Technology Association and the Downtown Denver Partnership. Learn more at thecommons.co. To learn more about DEDO, go to denvergov.org/oed. Have you heard? At the DEDO website, you can view and download "How to Start a Business" brochures with Denver Information in English, Spanish, Arabic, Vietnamese, Nepali, Amharic, and Somali! Click on **Build Your Business**. **DEDO 101819**



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The Commons on Champa is a unique, public space in downtown Denver at 1245 Champa St. where entrepreneurs come to inspire each other to the next level and gain access to resources that will help grow their businesses.

In a satellite office on the second floor of The Commons, Denver Economic Development and Opportunity brings a wealth of free resources and insights to help startup ideas flourish and avoid potential pitfalls.



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**FEB
04**

Tuesday, 9-11am: Creating an Eco-Friendly and Sustainable Business
presented by Certifiably Green Denver

**MAR
03**

Tuesday, 9-11am: Summer Youth Employment - How to Access Seasonal Interns
presented by Denver Economic Development & Opportunity (DEDO), Denver Workforce, DPS

**MAR
03**

Tuesday, 9-11am: Five Steps for Doing Business with the City
presented by Denver Purchasing

**MAR
10**

Tuesday, 10-11am: Denver’s Tax Credit Incentive Program
presented by Denver Economic Development & Opportunity (DEDO)

**APR
07**

Tuesday, 9-11am: Food licensing - regulations & requirement
presented by Denver Excise & Learning (EXL)

**APR
28**

Tuesday, 1:30-3:00pm: Prevailing Wage
presented by Denver Auditor’s Office

**MAY
07**

Thursday, 10-11am: Denver’s Tax Credit Incentive Programs
presented by Denver Economic Development & Opportunity (DEDO)

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WHEN YOU’RE STARTING UP, START HERE!



Come camp out and utilize the QF Lounge, our free collaborative public work space on the first floor of The Commons. Whether you’re writing a business plan, conducting research, or just checking your email this is the perfect spot to do it.

Open to the public Monday-Friday 9am-5pm. Xfinity WiFi and coffee provided for free. (No reservations required; 1st come 1st served.)

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- Denver Economic Development & Opportunity offers a FREE Certification workshop every month: bit.ly/dobusinesswithdenver
- Denver Public Library offers a program that helps with research and development assistance, and much more: denverlibrary.org/bizboost