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Application Deadline Extended to August 11 for Leadership Arkansas Class XII

The application deadline to register for Leadership Arkansas Class XII has been extended to Friday, August 11. Notification of applicants selected will occur on September 8.

To apply or for more information, click [here](#)



Be a part of Leadership Arkansas Class XII!

Application period opens: June 1, 2017



Don't Miss Risk-Based Thinking: A Tool for Evaluation and Change

Wednesday, July 12, 8 a.m. – 12 p.m. | Arkansas State Chamber of Commerce

Discover what risk-based thinking is and gain methods for strategically identifying and prioritizing risks with a guided approach to avoid critical events and drive change in your company. Cost is \$110 and includes a continental breakfast. **Registration deadline today, July 11.**

To register, click [here](#).



Registration Now Open for Arkansas Compensation Association's 35th Annual Compensation & Benefits Survey Workshop & Luncheon

Registration is now open for the Arkansas Compensation Association's 35th Annual Compensation & Benefits Survey Workshop & Luncheon from 8 a.m. – 2 p.m. July 26, Heifer International Village, Little Rock. The results of the 2017 Comp Survey will be reviewed plus a guest speaker presentation "It's All About the Pay" by Tim Orellano.



Register [here](#).

Ivy Owen Receives Association of Defense Communities John Lynch Redevelopment Leadership Award



Ivy Owen, PCED, EDFP, recently received the 2017 John Lynch Base Redevelopment Leadership Award from the Association of Defense Communities (ADC) for leading the Chaffee Redevelopment Authority's drive to transform 7,000 acres of a closed Army post, Fort Chaffee, into Chaffee Crossing, a thriving business and residential community.

Read more [here](#).

Arkansas Flood Survivors Urged to Register for FEMA Assistance

A June 15 major disaster declaration for Arkansas has opened the door for flood-stricken residents of 13 counties—Benton, Boone, Carroll, Clay, Faulkner, Fulton, Jackson, Lawrence, Pulaski, Randolph, Saline, Washington and Yell—to apply for federal disaster assistance from the Federal Emergency Management Agency or the U.S. Small Business Administration.



Read more [here](#).

Manufacturing Solutions Hosting Business Cybersecurity and Fraud Seminar August 16 in Fayetteville

Manufacturing Solutions, a department of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission's Existing Business Resource Division, will host a cybersecurity and fraud seminar for small businesses from 1 – 5 p.m., August 16, at the Donald W. Reynolds Center for Enterprise Development, room 111 in Fayetteville.



To register or for more information, click [here](#).

Save the Date for the Arkansas Tax Conference Nov. 2 at The Capital Hotel

Save the date for the Arkansas Tax Conference presented by Dover Dixon Horne PLLC Attorneys at Law from 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Nov. 2 at The Capital Hotel in Little Rock. The Arkansas Tax Conference will bring together senior administrators, in-house experts and leading practitioners for an in-depth look at Arkansas taxes.



To register or for more information, click [here](#).

Save the Date for the State Chamber/AIA Annual Meeting Nov. 8 in Little Rock

Save the date for the State Chamber/AIA Annual Meeting Nov. 8, Wally Allen Ballroom, Statehouse Convention Center, Little Rock. Danielle DiMartino Booth, author of *"Fed Up: An Insider's Take on Why the Federal Reserve is Bad for America,"* will be the keynote speaker.

Read more [here](#).



AEDCE Holding Annual Conference Aug. 27-29 at Hot Springs Convention Center

The Arkansas Economic Developers & Chamber Executives (AEDCE) will hold their Annual Conference August 27-29 at the Hot Springs Convention Center.

Read more [here](#).



Thanks to Our New and Upgraded Members

Thanks to the following new members that have recently joined the State Chamber/AIA and to those members that have recently upgraded their membership investment in our organizations:

American Precision Fabricators Inc.
Bell and Company PA
Corbin Security Solutions LLC
Gina's Catering Plus, LLC
Hiland Dairy
National Custom Hollow Metal Doors
NIBCO
North Bluffs Development Corporation



Thanks to Our Pinnacle Members

Thanks to our more than 120 Pinnacle investors, the respected companies that support the State Chamber/AIA at the highest annual investment levels. We appreciate all that they do for us.

For more information or to see the list of Pinnacle members, click [here](#).



Calendar of Events

November 2

State Chamber/AIA Arkansas Tax Conference
The Capital Hotel
Little Rock

November 8
State Chamber/AIA Annual Meeting
Wally Allen Ballroom
Statehouse Convention Center
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