





12TH ANNUAL DIVISION OF SUPPLIER **DIVERSITY BUSINESS CONFERENCE**

OCT 5-9TH 2020

SEEING THE BIG PICTURE CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

10:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. 1:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.

10.5.20

TUES 10.6.20

10.7.20

10.8.20

10.9.20

- BUSINESS CONFERENCE WELCOME
- DOING BUSINESS WITH CAPITAL PARTNERS
- STATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS
- CONTRACTS OF **TOMORROW**
- COACHING CIRCLE

- HOW YOUR CERTIFICATION CAN SET YOU APART
- DEVELOPING THE LEADER IN YOU
- STATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS
- BONDING **BASICS**
- FINISHING TOUCHES OF THE BIG PICTURE

To attend any of these sessions visit the IDOA DSD events page:

https://www.in.gov/idoa/mwbe/2749.htm

HOW YOUR CERTIFICATION CAN SET YOU APART

PANELIST:

INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

- RALPH ADAMS
 GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON SUPPLIER DIVERSITY
- GREGORY WILSON

MARSHA'S SPECIALTY DESSERTS

• MARSHA QUARLES

RITE QUALITY OFFICE SUPPLIES, INC

• DOUGLAS VAUGHN

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 5TH 2020 | 1:00 P.M. EST

This session provides business owners with a brief overview of the certification process in to dispel common myths and misconceptions. Attendees will hear about the certification application process, the importance of MBE, WBE and IVOSB policies and how business owners have leveraged their certification to help their business grow. This workshop is an initiative to help newly certified MBEs, WBEs and IVOSBs navigate through the State of Indiana contracting process. This program will identify the fundamental information business owners need to know when actively pursuing a state contract as a contractor or subcontractor.



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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6TH 2020 | 10:00 A.M. EST

PANELIST:

CENTIER BANK

• THOMAS NEUFFER

PNC BANK

• JANE ESTES

U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

• MARTIN ANDERSON

Representatives from different banks and the Small Business Administration will discuss how to access capital, especially, during the times like this and COVID-19 pandemic as well as, discussing the different capital incentives for diverse businesses.

DEVELOPING THE LEADER IN YOU

PANELIST:

PROGRESSION PARTNERS

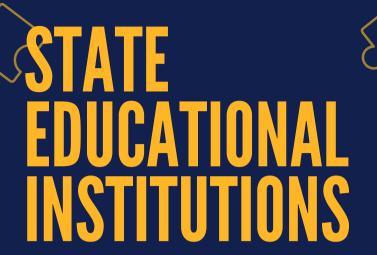
- BOBBIE SHREINER
 PROGRESSION PARTNERS
- GAYLEN OSBORN

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As you grow your business, grow YOU as a leader. The dividends are business impact and increased business performance. Join us in an interactive session which explores your own development needs and provides that rare moment to create a development plan for your own growth. This is a moment to invest in you! Where are you a pro? Where are your opportunities to improve? Where can you improve to help your teams and organization? Learn how frustrations can be the opportunities for change. We will introduce you to the Cornerstones of Leadership™ foundational areas associated to your leadership brand, and some key tools you can implement right away!





SEEING THE BIG PICTURE:

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7TH 2020 | 10:00 A.M. EST

This workshop highlights IDOA DSD's State Educational Institution's initiative to engage and educate businesses looking for resources to further develop their companies. Presenters on this panel identify available resources that attendees can take advantage of for a positive impact on the growth of their businesses. Learn first-hand from the organizations that keep your business goals in mind, touching on businesses securing current and future procurement opportunities.



PANELIST:

INDIANA UNIVERSITY

• ROBERT J HALTER, C.P.M.

INDIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

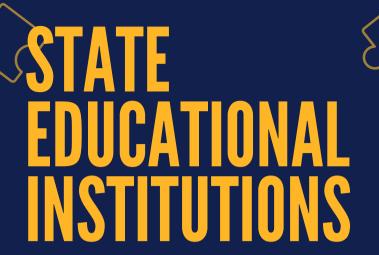
• KEVIN BARR

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA

• DAN MARTENS

VINCENNES UNIVERSITY

• MICHAEL MORRISON





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PANELIST:

BALL STATE UNIVERSITY

• ROGER HASSENZAHL

PURDUE UNIVERSITY

• CHRIS SPRINGER

IVY TECH COMMUNITY COLLEGE

• MICHAEL BABCOCK





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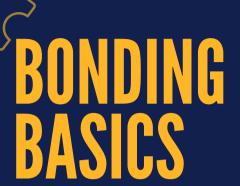
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8TH 2020 | 10:00 A.M. EST

This workshop is designed for businesses that are ready willing and able to secure contracts as a contractor or subcontractor with IndyGo, IDVA, DWD, INDOT & PTAC. Panelist of this workshop unveil current and upcoming projects within their respective organizations and opportunities for Minority, Women and Veteran owned businesses.

PANELIST:

INDYGO

- CHELCI R. HUNTER
 INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN
 AFFAIRS
- JOSEPH DEVITO
 INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF
 WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
- DAVID DOUGLASS
 IEDC PROCUREMENT TECHNICAL
 ASSISTANCE CENTER
- CHRISTINE JEFFERS
 INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
- SEAN HOWARD





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Are you prepared to take your construction, service, or manufacturing business to the next level? Are you interested in new contracting opportunities? Bonding Basics will give you the tools to help you obtain contract bonding for government and private contracts and subcontracts. This session will focus on defining contract bonds and why they are required by project owners, what you need to know about applying for contract bonding, and how SBA's Surety Bond Guarantee Program can help new, emerging and other small businesses access contract bonding for the first time or increase their current bonding capacity.



PANELIST:

US SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

• TAMARA E.MURRY





COACHING CIRCLE



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PROGRESSION PARTNERS

- BOBBIE SHREINER
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9TH 2020 | 10:00 A.M. EST

Business leader, you are not the only one who finds leading a business challenging, so why go it alone? Facilitated by a Progression Partners coach, this interactive session will unlock the power of a group focused on finding solutions. Participants will tackle some challenges that conference participants have shared during the week. The group will explore actions that can be taken to address these challenges, and each participant will identify individual actions to move toward solutions to the most troubling leader challenges. After this session, leaders feel refreshed and revitalized with new approaches and recommendations.