

2019 HEAR US ROAR: WOMEN'S WORKSHOP SERIES



A series of FREE business education workshops aimed at empowering women-owned business growth and providing individualized support. The workshops will be presented by experienced female entrepreneurs, experts in their own right, who have solved a great many of the problems facing new entrepreneurs. This series is designed to provide women real-life scenarios by powerful "entrepreneurial mentors" in the field.

The workshop series is meant to support, empower, and celebrate women entrepreneurs.

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ASK THE EXPERTS

Friday, March 1 from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m.
City Hall, 121 N. LaSalle St. – 11th Floor, Room 1103

Moderated by Kenya Merritt, Chicago Chief Small Business Officer

Join us for an open dialogue with leading women business owners as they share their entrepreneurial journey. We will kick off the series with Stephanie Hart, Owner and CEO of Brown Sugar Bakery; Edith De La Cruz, Owner and CEO of Antigua Construction; and Dorothy Muszynska, Founder and Principal Consultant of DM Marketing Group.

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EXECUTIVE TO ENTREPRENEUR

Wednesday, June 19 from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m.
City Hall, 121 N. LaSalle St. – 8th Floor, Room 805

Moderated by Kenya Merritt, Chicago Chief Small Business Officer

Are you ready to make the leap from corporate executive to entrepreneurship? If you're thinking about taking this step, or have already launched your business, come and learn from experts who have transitioned from working for someone else to being their own boss.

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SIDE HUSTLE SUCCESS

Friday, September 6 from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m.
City Hall, 121 N. LaSalle St. – 11th Floor, Room 1103

Moderated by Kenya Merritt, Chicago Chief Small Business Officer

In this workshop you will hear from entrepreneurs who have turned their passion into a profit. This workshop is targeted for entrepreneurs looking to establish a business within the creative or arts sector. Our panelists will share their strategies on how they moved from side hustle to success.

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LEVEL UP

Wednesday, December 11 from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m.
City Hall, 121 N. LaSalle St. – 11th Floor, Room 1103

Moderated by Kenya Merritt, Chicago Chief Small Business Officer

In this workshop, our panelists will share tips on how to take your business to the next level. Our presenters will share their personal experience and offer advice on how to properly scale and grow your business.

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All workshops are **FREE** and open to the public.

Space is limited. Please reserve your attendance by calling 312.744.2086 or e-mail BACPoutreach@cityofchicago.org

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