



MEMBER NEWS

mHUB IN THE NEWS



mHUB Receives \$300,000 EDA Grant to Support the Administration of \$15M Fund and Accelerator Program

The Economic Development Administration (EDA) announced mHUB as one of 18 recipients of the Seed Fund Support Grant within its Regional Innovation Strategies (RIS) Program competition. The grant will boost efforts to close the gap in seed stage funding for product startups through mHUB's Product Impact Fund I (PIF), which will fund an Accelerated Incubation program expected to launch in early 2020.

[Learn More](#)

MENTOR SPOTLIGHT



Frank Scopacasa Professor and Entrepreneur

Frank Scopacasa is the Head of Global Engineering at [Verifone](#). He holds 25 years of global chain experience in engineering management, new production introduction, and design for manufacturing working on a variety of wireless and consumer electronics products. In addition to being a mentor, he also teaches mHUB classes, including Scaling

Your Supply Chain.

To book time with Frank, [apply](#) to the mentorship program.

Apply Now

JOIN THE FOURTH REVOLUTION



Nominate Your Business, Product, or Initiative Today

mHUB members, take the time to fill out your nominations for a chance to be recognized and rewarded as a driving force in the Fourth Industrial Revolution. **The nomination period has been extended to Wednesday, August 7th.**

Nominate Now

STAY INFORMED

*Important Updates
for Members*

Friday, July 26, 2019 | 4:00pm

Member Happy Hour - Piña Colada Edition

Greet the weekend with some drinks and conversation with members and mHUB staff from 4 - 6 pm that happen on a bi-weekly basis. This Friday, Piña Coladas will be provided by fellow member, Luft Studios.

Tuesday, July 31, 2019 | 12:00pm

July Monthly Member Lunch

Join us for Lunch with mHUB in the Event Space 7/31 at 12PM! Introduce yourself to fellow members, meet new members, and enjoy some great food.

BUILD YOUR BUSINESS

*The Next Month in
Classes and
Programming*

We have a very exciting month ahead! Register for upcoming mHUB classes through the Member Portal.

7/25: [Mastering Your Market: Research and Customer Feedback](#)

8/1: [Creating Your Momentum: B2B Sales](#)

8/8: [24 Steps to a Successful Start-up](#)

8/13: [Validation to Market Share: Creating Your Amazon Roadmap](#)

8/15: [Constructing the Pitch: How to Build Your Pitch Deck](#)

8/16: [Design for Manufacturing: CNC Machining](#)



STAY CONNECTED

Events and
Announcements

Wednesday, July 24, 2019 | 12:00am - 5:00pm

SBIR Bootcamp: Applying, Accounting, and Reporting at Polsky Center

This session will walk through the application process including the preparation of your budget for the solicitation, how to determine your indirect rates, and how to build out your accounting system to meet the requirements of the agency that you are trying to work with.

[Register Here](#)

Tuesday, July 30, 2019 | 8:30 - 10:00am | Program to begin at 9:00am

Meet and Eat: Noncompetes, Trade Secrets and Departing Employees with Taft Law at Fulton Market

Illinois Technology Association is hosting an intimate seated breakfast meeting, where you'll enjoy great food, network with peers and learn about preventing theft of your technology as employees depart your organization, a growing problem in today's economy and mobile workforce.

[Register here](#)

Thursday, August 1, 2019 | Doors open at 8:00am

Make the Connection!® IHCC Signature Breakfast

IHCC Signature Breakfast convenes the Midwest Hispanic business community for a morning of networking and collaboration. More than 800 Hispanic business owners from every industry come together to meet their peers, build relationships and be inspired to continue on their entrepreneurial journeys.

[Register Here](#)



CELEBRATE

Member Wins

Join us in welcoming our newest member companies: [MDM Entertainment](#), [Vanreusel Ventures](#), [Rocket Wagon](#), and [Stemloop](#)

[NoMo Diagnostics](#) was featured in [Crain's Chicago Business](#) and [Chicago Inno](#) for their real-time concussion detection technology.

[CareBand](#) placed 2nd in the [Allscripts](#) First Pitch Competition, an opportunity to pitch innovations in healthcare to Allscripts executives.

Teresa Cauvel and Sona Shah, co-founders of [Neopenda](#), were featured in [Crain's Chicago](#) Chicago's Tech 50.

[Zerv](#) has launched its website! Find out more about the business, its status, and entrepreneurial journey in the [mHUB Member Spotlight](#).

[McPond](#) published a [press release](#) announcing its goal to become the "Uber of manufacturing" by allowing manufacturers to list their idle machines for rent.



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