



# Small Business Development Center

## Central Oregon Community College

### Veterans' Entrepreneurship Program – 2017

#### Eligible Veterans include:

- 1) Active Duty service members
- 2) National Guard and Reserve members
- 3) Individuals who have completed their service in the armed forces

#### Business Start-Up

Do you have a great idea that you think could be a successful business, but just don't know how to get started? Cover the basics in this two-hour class.

Public fee: \$29 **Cost to Veterans: \$0 – FREE!!**

- Wednesday **December 7** in **Bend**  
11:00 am - 1:00 pm  
Course Reference #49376
- Wednesday **January 4** in **Bend**  
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
Course Reference #18666
- Wednesday **February 1** in **Bend**  
11:00 am - 1:00 pm  
Course Reference #18667
- Thursday **February 16** in **Redmond**  
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
Course Reference #18814
- Wednesday **March 1** in **Bend**  
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
Course Reference #18668
- Wednesday **April 5** in **Bend**  
11:00 am - 1:00 pm  
Course Reference #28230

+ Now in Spanish – **Empezando su Negocio**  
El 8 de marzo, 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm, #18813

**For more information  
or to register call COCC  
at 541-383-7290**

#### How to Develop a Business Plan

An invaluable, two-evening workshop for people in the preliminary stages of developing a business. This hands-on class is full of practical advice and information for those ready to start on their business plan. Discover the tools you need to successfully plan, build and manage your business.

Wednesdays **February 15 & 22** in **Bend**  
6:00 pm - 9:00 pm      Course Reference #18665  
Public fee: \$99      **Cost to Veterans: \$59**

#### Launch Your Business

Are you about to or did you just recently open the doors to your own company? Cover essential details for anyone getting ready for business. Three one-on-one daytime business advising sessions (starting before first class) and three evening workshop presentations plus peer support.

Wednesdays **March 15, March 29 & April 12** in **Bend**  
6:00 pm - 9:00 pm      Course Reference #18674  
Public fee: \$199      **Cost to Veterans: \$79**

#### What's Hot in Franchising!

Learn if franchise ownership is right for you. This class will help you make the best decisions to ensure your success.

Wednesday **February 8 or Wednesday April 19** in **Bend**  
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm      Course Reference #18673 or 28233  
Public fee: \$29      **Cost to Veterans: \$0 – FREE!!**

#### Small Business Management program

The year-long SBM program offers a comprehensive selection of monthly classes together with individual on-site business advising. Open to a limited number of businesses with at least one year of operation and a full-time employee.

**Next program starts in 2017; instructor pre-approval required**  
Call 541-383-7290 for cost details



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