



CENTER FOR INNOVATION & ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Rowan's Entrepreneurial Ecosystem At-A-Glance

Greetings and welcome to the Rowan Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (RCIE) newsletter. This effort is intended to inform you about upcoming events, programs, and funding opportunities taking place across Rowan's growing entrepreneurial ecosystem as well as to update you on how past events went. I hope you will engage with us via our new online community [StartupTree](#). Thank you for your time and I look forward to seeing you at some of our upcoming events.

Best,
Dr. Eric Liguori
Executive Director and Rohrer Chair of Entrepreneurship
Rowan Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Early Bird Registration for the Entrepreneurial Masterminds Summit ends 7/15 - Register Now!

Reserve your spot now to the 2nd Annual Entrepreneurial Masterminds Summit held September 13-14 at the RCIE.

Attendees will get a behind the scenes look at USASBE's new journal, *Entrepreneurship Education and Pedagogy*, as well as the chance to experience Studio 231, Rowan's Makerspace and Experiential Learning Laboratory, firsthand.

Click [here](#) for more information and to register.

Women Entrepreneurship Week 2018

RCIE will celebrate Women Entrepreneurship Week October 13-20, 2018. We are currently looking for female entrepreneurs that are interested in participating in this week long celebration.

Please contact [Jessica \(Wolk\) Vattima](#) if you are interested or would like more information.



Local high school students to attend Think Like an Entrepreneur Summer Academy

The RCIE has accepted 50 high school juniors and seniors into the Think Like an Entrepreneur Summer Academy, led by Dr. Eric Liguori and Dr. Michael Dominik. This July, participants will earn college credit and learn how to conceive, develop, prototype and sell their ideas. This program is proudly supported by the TD Bank Charitable Foundation.



RCB Coffee Shop scheduled to open Fall 2018

RCB, RCIE and Gourmet Dining have partnered to open a student run coffee shop in Business Hall. The shop will provide quality coffee options and special features including nitrous cold brew coffee and onsite bean roasting and cupping stations.

Students will lead almost every aspect of the shop's operations, running it like a franchise location as a student operated business.



Ernest Holtzheimer selected as Super Lawyer Rising Star

Ernest Holtzheimer, Rowan Entrepreneurship Alum and Entrepreneurship Advisory Council Member, was named 2018 Pennsylvania Super Lawyer Rising Star by Super Lawyers, a rating service of outstanding lawyers from more than 70 practice areas who have attained a high degree of peer recognition and professional achievement. Each year, no more than 5% of lawyers in the state are selected by the research team at Super Lawyers to receive this honor.

Congrats Ernie!



RCIE Summer Accelerator Program

Four student companies, Atlas Aeronautic, LOIS Beauty Craft, Replica Robotics, and Topos Teas, have been accepted into the RCIE's Summer Accelerator Program.

The students will work with their mentor, Phil Michaels, Co-Founder and CEO of Tembo Education and named to Forbes 30 Under 30 List, throughout the summer to further develop their ventures, create a budget for their seed funding, and learn about management and team dynamics.



Todd Buck speaks at The Owner's Journey

Entrepreneurship Advisory Council Member Todd Buck was featured as a panelist at The Owner's Journey, hosted by the RCB and U.S. Trust with Bank of America.

Todd shared his journey of starting and selling multiple businesses, noting his successes and failures along the way. He spoke on the importance of investors, partnerships, strategic buying and selling, influencers and raising capital.



For more information of any of Rowan's student entrepreneurship programs or to learn how you can support entrepreneurship at Rowan please contact Dr. Eric Liguori (liguori@rowan.edu), Executive Director, Rowan Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship.

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