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Small Business Community Resources Directory

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This *Small Business Community Resources Directory* was created by the **Business & Finance Sector Partnership Action Team #1** industry partners**,** with essential support from our public-sector partners and the Dallas College Sector Team**.** Their combined expertise ensured that the directory reflects the breadth of resources, programs, and services available to small businesses across North Texas. This collaborative effort advances Action Team #1's priority to build robust small-business education by enhancing the small business community with tools that empower entrepreneurs through financial knowledge, career exposure, and easily accessible support systems.

Purpose of the Directory

The *Small Business Community Resources Directory* serves as a centralized, user-friendly guide designed to help entrepreneurs and small business owners quickly identify the support they need. Its purpose is to reduce barriers to growth, increase access to credible information, and connect businesses with organizations that offer education, capital, mentorship, training, and procurement opportunities. By bringing these resources together in one comprehensive document, the *Small Business Community Resources Directory* empowers business owners to make informed decisions and access assistance more efficiently.

Types of Resources Included

The *Small Business Community Resources Directory* consolidates a wide range of support services from multiple sectors, including:

- **Business Support Organizations (BSOs):** Mentorship, training, technical assistance, workshops, networking, and business development programs.
- **City & Public Agency Programs:** Government-led support including procurement opportunities, guidance, certifications, and small-business outreach initiatives.
- **Chambers of Commerce:** Community-based advocacy, business education, networking events, and member services that strengthen local business ecosystems.
- **Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs) and Financial Resources:** Access to capital through small business loans, Small Business Administration (SBA) products, financial coaching, and credit-building support.
- **Corporate Partners:** Supplier diversity programs, vendor registration pathways, and capacity-building opportunities.
- **Higher Education Institutions:** Workforce development programs, entrepreneurship training, certificates, advisory support, and professional education aligned with industry needs.

Collectively, these resources create a comprehensive roadmap for entrepreneurs seeking guidance, partnerships, or growth opportunities.

Small business owners are encouraged to consult directly with their banks or financial institutions to explore lending opportunities, available loan products, and personalized financing options that best support their business goals.

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Business Support Organization (BSO): Entity that provides resources, guidance, and services to help businesses start, grow, and succeed.

Organization: 1 Million Cups
Description: Pitch practice opportunities, funded by the Kaufmann Foundation. Events are held in Fort Worth (English & Spanish), Dallas, Arlington, Frisco, NE Tarrant County, and each location hosts separately and has their own site and contact information.
Email: Go to website.
Phone: Go to website.
Website: **1millioncups.com**

Organization: Asian American Contractors and Professional's Association (AACPA)
Description: Business association - provides business-oriented programming and workshops
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (972)372-4750
Website: **aacpatx.com**

Organization: Blueprint University
Description: Professional development courses, personalized consulting services
Email: **support@blueprintuniversity.com**
Phone: (800)936-2793
Website: **blueprintuniversity.com**

Organization: Create Fort Worth (operated by The DEC)
Description: Co-working, office rentals, community for small business education and support. Operated by The DEC Network.
Email: **info@TheDec.co**
Website: **https://www.createfw.com/**

Organization: Dallas Innovates
Description: Education, articles, local events, and news topics pertaining to business ownership
Email: **dallasinnovates@dallasnext.com**
Phone: Go to website.
Website: **dallasinnovates.com**

Organization: Dallas Metropolitan Small Business Development Center
Description: Education/Training, business plan writing, access to capital, legal structures, licenses and permits, marketing research, cash flow, improving profits, accounting.
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (214)860-5848, (214)860-5831
Website: **dallasmetropolitansbdc.com**

Organization: DFW Business Council
Description: Facilitates business connections, training, certifications, business acquisitions, construction
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (214)630-0747
Website: **dfwmsdc.com**

Organization: North Texas Small Business Development Center
Description: Writing a business plan, launching a business, managing day to day operations, growing your business
Email: DFWDO.Email@sba.gov
Phone: (214)860-5831
Website: ntsbdc.org

Organization: Mavs Business Assist Program
Description: Small business technical assistance program designed to support 100 minority entrepreneurs by providing free online resources and quarterly workshops conducted by Dallas Mavericks executives and sponsors.
Website: nba.com/mavs/mba

Organization: National Association of Women Business Owners (NAWBO)
Description: Small business programming
Email: president@nawbodfw.org, memberservices@nawbo.org
Phone: (800)556-2926
Website: nawbo.org

Organization: North Central Texas Regional Certification Agency (NCTRCA)
Description: WMBE, SBE, HUB Certifications
Email: receptionist@nctrca.org
Phone: (817)640-0606
Website: nctrca.org

Organization: Regional Black Contractors Association (RBCA)
Description: Association supporting black contractors
Email: info@blackcontractors.org
Phone: (214)565-8946
Website: rbcacdc.org

Organization: Regional Hispanic Contractors Association (RCHA)
Description: Association supporting Hispanic contractors
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (972)786-0909
Website: regionalhca.org

Organization: Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE) – No answer
Description: Education, mentors, online and in-person classes, bookkeeping, and cash flow assistance
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (469)554-9523
Website: score.org

Organization: Southern Dallas Development Corporation – Number not in service
Description: Education, access to capital, part of PeopleFund's network, Southern Dallas focus
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (214)948-7800
Website: peoplefund.org/sddc/

Organization: Start. Pivot. Grow.
Description: Funded by UPS and Wells Fargo - Includes a Pitch Competition
Email: **support@integralityllc.com**
Phone: (214)872-6331
Website: **startpivotgrow.com**

Organization: Texas 1000 Project
Description: Small business technical assistance program
Email: **info@bootstrapentrepreneurs.org**
Phone: (817)863-1509
Website: **besbta.org**

Organization: The Dallas Entrepreneur Center
Description: Start up Cohort for new business owners, mentorship programs, access to capital classes
Email: **info@TheDec.co**
Phone: (469)480-4466
Website: **thedec.co**

Organization: United Way Social Impact Program
Description: The Social Innovation Accelerator invests human, social and financial capital in experimentation-, growth- and mature-stage organizations in the social innovation sector. Through the program, United Way enables social entrepreneurs to build capacity, scale and expand their ventures in order to drive impact in education, income, and health in North Texas.
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (214)978-0000
Website: **unitedwaydallas.org**

Organization: Veteran Women's Enterprise Center
Description: The Veteran Women’s Enterprise Center (VWEC) empowers women entrepreneurs with a focus on women associated with the military: veterans, active duty, reservists, and military spouses, to scale sustainable businesses successfully. Through its CEO Suite of Services, business programs, and engagement opportunities, VWEC offers intentional technical assistance, expert one-on-one mentoring, professional space, and connections to public- and private-sector partnerships to promote growth and long-term business success.
Email: **info@veteranwomensec.org**
Phone: (469)777-VWEC
Website: **veteranwomensec.org**

Organization: Women's Business Council - Southwest (WBCS)
Description: WMBE Certifications
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (817)299-0566
Website: **wbcsouthwest.org**

Organization: Women's Business Enterprise National Council (WBENC)
Description: WBENC Certifications
Email: **support@wbenc.org**
Phone: (202)872-5515

Website: wbenc.org

CITY RESOURCES: Government-operated department or agency that provides services, programs, and resources to support residents, businesses, and the overall community within a city.

Organization: City of Arlington - Office of Business Diversity
Description: Resources and information are available on Business Resources, Acquiring Business Loans, and Starting a Business.
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (817)459-6777
Website: **arlingtontx.gov**

Organization: City of Dallas - Office of Economic Development
Description: In transition as to how to serve the small business community. Educational programming.
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (214)670-1685
Website: **dallasecodev.org**

Organization: City of Dallas - Purchasing & Procurement
Description: Fund educational programming like DAP, executed by the DFW MSDC and GDHCC
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (214)670-1685
Website: **dallasecodev.org**

Organization: City of Irving- Office of Economic Development
Description: Forward-looking roadmap of resources to stimulate growth in small business in Irving, Texas
Email: **smallbiz@irvingtx.gov**
Phone: (972) 721-4795
Website: **https://irvingtx.gov/small-business**

Organization: City of Irving MWBE Program
Description: The City of Irving's MWBE Program is an aspirational, goal-based initiative focused on expanding opportunities for small, women-owned, minority-owned, and historically underutilized businesses. Through monthly workshops, typically held on the first Tuesday of each month, networking events, and collaboration with community stakeholders, the program works to increase access to City contracting opportunities.
Email: **mwbe@irvingtx.gov**
Phone: (972) 721-3753
Website: **https://irvingtx.gov/mwbe-program**

CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE: Chambers of Commerce: Organization made up of local business owners, professionals, and community leaders who work together to promote and support the economic growth of their area.

Organization: Dallas Regional Chamber of Commerce
Description: The Dallas Regional Chamber supports small businesses by connecting entrepreneurs with the people and resources that help new ideas grow. Through its Innovation Task Force, the DRC brings together innovators, researchers, and industry leaders to spark collaboration and fuel the launch of new ventures. The Chamber also partners with organizations such as the Dallas Entrepreneur Center and the Mavericks Business Assist initiative, expanding access to mentorship, tools, and guidance that strengthen small businesses across the region.
Email: information@dallaschamber.org
Phone: (214)746-6600
Website: dallaschamber.org

Organization: Dallas Black Chamber of Commerce
Description: The Dallas Black Chamber of Commerce serves as an advocate for the creation, growth and general welfare of Black owned businesses and organizations across North Texas. The Chamber actively promotes the expansion of business opportunities on behalf of its membership through referrals, partnerships, seminars, technical assistance, and marketing.
Email: info@dbcc.org
Phone: (214)421-5200, (214)702-6652
Website: dbcc.org

Organization: Fort Worth Metropolitan Black Chamber of Commerce
Description: Our mission is to promote, assist and enhance economic and business development for our members and to create wealth in the communities we serve. To achieve our mission the FWMBCC operates within two main areas of focus: education and economics.
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (817)871-6538
Website: fwmbcc.org

Organization: Garland Chamber of Commerce
Description: The Garland Chamber of Commerce is dedicated to driving business and community success through connection, collaboration, and growth. We proudly support diverse industries with programs like the Dallas County Manufacturers' Association (DCMA), the Garland Hispanic Business Association, and the Women's Business Initiative. Our Small Business Success programs provide entrepreneurs with education, resources, and personalized guidance to help their companies thrive. Through networking events, advocacy, and strategic partnerships, the Chamber empowers members to strengthen their businesses and contribute to Garland's economic vitality.
Email: info@garlandchamber.com
Phone: (972)272-7551
Website: garlandchamber.com
Language Capabilities:
• Spanish-speaking staff available
• Spanish translation for materials available

Spanish Workshops:
• Workshops may be offered in Spanish based on course type and instructor availability

Organization: Greater Dallas Hispanic Chamber of Commerce
Description: Member Organization with members comprised of entrepreneur, corporate and government entity professionals. We provide education and coaching to entrepreneurs to help them build capacity so they are positioned to compete for contracts in the public and private sectors with the overall goal of our education programs being for entrepreneurs to increase their revenue and create jobs.
Email: **gdhcc@gdhcc.com**, Diana Flores, **diana@gdhcc.com**, Gabriella Carvallo, **gabriela@gdhcc.com**
Phone: (214)521-6007
Website: **gdhcc.com**

Organization: Greater Irving-Las Colinas Chamber of Commerce
Description: The Greater Irving–Las Colinas Chamber of Commerce helps businesses grow and thrive through advocacy, strategic connections, workforce solutions, visibility, and community engagement. We connect companies to the people, resources, and opportunities that drive success.
Email: **chamber@irvingchamber.com**
Phone: (214)217-8484
Website: **irvingchamber.com**

Organization: Irving Hispanic Chamber of Commerce
Description: The IHCC provides monthly business educational seminars to assist small businesses in running and growing their company. We also assist them with any area of business in which they need help. We also have our Small Business Resource Center within our chamber.
The Center provides daily one-on-one appointments for small business owners and aspiring entrepreneurs to connect with industry experts. Whether they are just starting out or looking to grow their business, we offer personalized guidance and services to help them succeed.
Email: **ihcc@irvinghcc.com**
Phone: (469)212-8645
Website: **irvinghcc.com**

Organization: Metrocrest Chamber of Commerce
Description: The Metrocrest Chamber of Commerce is dedicated to building a stronger regional economy by connecting business, education, and community. We champion workforce development through programs like our EPIC (Employer-Provided Innovation Challenge) and the Bootcamp + Internship Program, currently being developed, will equip students and jobseekers with real-world skills while helping employers meet their talent needs. Our Manufacturers & Distributors Alliance unites local industry leaders to strengthen supply chains, share best practices, and highlight the vital role manufacturing plays in the Metrocrest economy. Through advocacy, professional education, and strategic partnerships, we empower our members to grow, lead, and shape the future of Addison, Carrollton, and Farmers Branch.
Email: **info@metrocrestchamber.com**
Phone: (972)746-5768
Website: **metrocrestchamber.com**

Organization: North Dallas Chamber of Commerce
Description: The Business Toolbox Committee oversees a variety of programs and seminars designed to support business development, including the Business Toolbox Seminars, A.M. Exchange, and North Dallas After Hours. Presentations that explore timely business issues, and speakers are available immediately following each seminar

for questions. Open to all NDCC members. This committee Meets the first Tuesday of the month, 8:30 a.m.
Email: Dawn Spalding, **dwspalding@ndcc.org**
Phone: (469)923-2104
Website: **ndcc.org**

Organization: Philippine American Chamber of Commerce
Description: Serves as the voice of Filipino business in Texas. PACCTX provides strategic leadership and engagement in building the future of business and the community through information, collaboration, advocacy, and services on behalf of its members.
Email: **connect@pacctxdfw.org**
Phone: (972)822-4784
Website: **pacctxdfw.org**

Organization: Richardson Chamber of Commerce
Description: We develop and provide leadership for our members and community through advocacy, alliances, economic and workforce development and education to advance economic prosperity.
Email: **admin@richardsonchamber.com**
Phone: (972)792-2800
Website: **richardsonchamber.com**

Organization: US India Chamber of Commerce
Description: Founded in 1999, the US India Chamber of Commerce DFW is a Dallas-Fort Worth-based 501(c)(6) organization, with a vision to be the catalyst for thriving economically diverse business communities.
We also support professional, business and economic development throughout North Texas and facilitate bi-lateral trade with India. The Chamber consists of businesses and professional members who are interested in engaging with the Indian-American professional and business community in North Texas and/or interested in bilateral trade and business between Texas and India.
Email: **info@usicoc.org**
Phone: (214)346-9559
Website: **usindiachamberdfw.org**

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FINANCIAL INSTITUTION (CDFI): A specialized financial organization that provides affordable loans, investments, and financial services to individuals and small businesses in underserved or low-income communities.

Organization: Business & Community Lenders (BCL) of Texas
Description: Networking, Coaching, Lending, Small Business loans and SBA loans
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (214)688-7456
Website: **bcloftexas.org**

Organization: Dreamspring
Description: Small business loans, SBA loans, commercial Real Estate Loans, coaching, training, support
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (800)508-7624
Website: **dreamspring.org**

Organization: Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses
Description: Helping entrepreneurs create jobs and economic opportunity by providing access to education, capital and support services.
Website: **goldmansachs.com**

Organization: Impact Ventures
Description: Lending, Education, Pitch Competitions, Networking
Email: **info@impact-ventures.co**
Phone: (469)708-8115
Website: **impact-ventures.co**

Organization: Lendistry
Description: Help small business grow with loans, access to government and private grant programs and financial education.
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (855)476-5870
Website: **lendistry.com**

Organization: LiftFund
Description: Lending, Education, projections, understanding financial statements, coaching, networking
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (888)215-2373
Website: **liftfund.com**

Organization: Peoplefund
Description: Lending, education, projections, financial statement education, coaching and networking
Email: Go to website.
Phone: (214)942-6698
Website: **peoplefund.org**

Organization: TruFund Financial Services
Description: Education, Business Advisory, and Technical Assistance. TruFund offers no-cost webinars and in-person trainings, convenings, and small business networking & matchmaking opportunities.
Email: **Texas@trufund.org**
Phone: 1(346)388-4848
Website: **trufund.org**

Organization: U.S. Small Business Administration Dallas/Fort Worth District Office
Description: Our office provides help with SBA services including funding programs, counseling, federal contracting certifications, and disaster recovery. We can also connect you to our partner organizations, lenders, and other community groups that help small businesses succeed.
Email: **DFWDO.EMAIL@SBA.GOV**
Phone: (817)684-5500
Website: **sba.gov**

Organization: William Mann Jr Community Development Corporation
Description: Lending - We help companies thrive by removing obstacles between you and financing for your business and make the process towards your company's economic development hassle-free!
Email: **wmcdc@wmcdc.com**
Phone: (817)871-6299
Website: **wmcdc.com**

CORPORATION: A legally recognized business organization that operates independently from its owners, providing limited liability protection while conducting commercial, industrial, or professional activities.

Organization: North Texas Tolltag Authority (NTTA)
Description: Convenings and connections to lenders plus how to do business with NTTA
Email: CustomerService@NTTA.org
Phone: (972)818-6882
Website: ntta.org

Organization: Watermark Community Development Corporation (CDC)
Description: Watermark CDC serves economic needs like financial literacy and job placement programs in under-resourced Dallas communities, empowers communities to transform their own welfare and livelihoods through the outworking of the gospel, and supports healthy financial independence.
Email: info@watermarkcdc.org
Phone: Go to website.
Website: watermarkcdc.org

HIGHER EDUCATION: College, university, or technical school that provides education beyond high school, offering programs that lead to business and finance degrees, certificates, or professional credentials.

Organization: Dallas College Accounting Advisory Committee
Description: Industry partnership providing curriculum guidance, program input, and business-education collaboration for accounting programs
Email: rahsaandawson@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)860-8352

Organization: Dallas College Accounting Assistant Certificate
Description: Advanced certificate program expanding accounting, technology, communication, and human relations skills for career advancement in accounting and business
Email: rahsaandawson@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)860-8352
Website: dallascollege.edu/study/accounting/

Organization: Dallas College Accounting Clerk Certificate
Description: Entry-level training program providing basic accounting and technology skills for immediate employment in accounting positions
Email: rahsaandawson@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)860-8352
Website: dallascollege.edu/study/accounting/

Organization: Dallas College Accounting Guest Speaker Bureau
Description: Recognized Accounting faculty experts (Professor Regina Brown and Keith Baker) available for presentations to business associations, chambers of commerce, and professional organizations
Email: rahsaandawson@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)860-8352

Organization: Dallas College Ascend Institute
Description: Customized contract training for corporate clients across business and industry markets providing solutions to resolve business challenges. Designed to advance employee's skills, increase workforce productivity and to achieve optimal work performance for entry-level to C-suite professionals. We offer businesses a collaborative approach to creating a talent and training pipeline with Dallas College.
Email: kwilkins@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (214)934-2605
Website: dallascollege.edu/ascend-institute
Language Capabilities:
• Spanish-speaking staff available
• Spanish translation for materials available
Spanish Instruction:
• Courses may be offered in Spanish based on course type and instructor availability

Organization: Dallas College Ascend Institute - Skills for Small Business Grant
Description: The Skills for Small Business grant supports businesses with fewer than one hundred employees. The program focuses on training new and incumbent workers. Small businesses can apply to Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) for training provided by Dallas College. TWC will process the application and work with the College to fund the courses. The business is then able to select the courses to customize training to their needs.
Email: ruben.sauceda@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (212)786-2003
Website: dallascollege.edu/ascend-institute
Language Capabilities:
• Spanish-speaking staff available
• Spanish translation for materials available
Spanish Instruction:
• Courses may be offered in Spanish based on course type and instructor availability

Organization: Dallas College Bachelor of Applied Science in Management (BASM)
Description: The proposed Dallas College BASM is a bachelor-level degree designed for students who already hold an associate degree or significant technical credit and want to move into supervisory/management roles by building leadership, decision-making, human resource, and business operations skills. Pending SACSCOC approval, it will launch Fall 2026.
Email: KevinWortley@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)238-6027
Website: dallascollege.edu/BASM

Organization: Dallas College BHGT CE Professional Development Series
Description: Lunch & Learn and evening single-session professional development (CE) in topics ranging from small business startup topics to general management and leadership.
Email: tgalloway@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (214) 860-8848
Website: dallascollege.edu/cont-ed-series

Organization: Dallas College Bloomberg Finance & Investment Lab - Finance//Economics/Accounting Business
Description: The Dallas College Bloomberg Finance and Investment Lab program gives students hands-on experience using real-world Bloomberg terminals to analyze market data, manage a simulated portfolio, and make investment decisions-bridging theory to practice.
Email: tgalloway@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (214) 860-8848
Website: dallascollege.edu/schools/business/bloomberg/

Organization: Dallas College Business Management Industry Advisory Committee
Description: Committee inform curriculum adjustments and strategic enrollment initiatives with industry partnerships.
Email: ADiaz@DallasCollege.edu
Phone: (214)860-3609

Organization: Dallas College Business Operations Specialist Certificate
Description: A certificate program designed to develop specialized foundational skills and abilities essential for success in business organizational environments, emphasizing the application of core knowledge in accounting, business, customer service, and technology critical to effective business operations.

Email: donnadelancy@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)273-3102
Website: dallascollege.edu/business-operations-specialist-certificate

Organization: Dallas College Cooperative Education - Accounting
Description: Work-based learning program connecting accounting students with business employers for real-world experience
Email: rahsaandawson@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)860-8352
Website: dallascollege.edu/accounting

Organization: Dallas College Cooperative Education-Business Administration and Management
Description: Career-related activities in the student's area of specialization are offered through an individualized agreement among the college, employer, and student, allowing the student to combine classroom learning with supervised work experience.
Email: donnadelancy@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)273-3102
Website: dallascollege.edu/business-administration-management

Organization: Dallas College CPA Professional Development Services - Accounting/CPA
Description: Comprehensive CPA support including exam preparation through UWorld partnership and TSBPA-approved continuing professional education (CPE) courses for licensed CPAs
Email: rahsaandawson@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)860-8352
Website: dallascollege.edu/cpa-prep

Organization: Dallas College Culinary Apprenticeship Program
Description: On-the-job training that aligns with the ACF formatted objectives, focusing on achieving certification as a Certified Culinarian or Sous Chef.
Email: DDent@DallasCollege.edu
Phone: (972)860-4213
Website: dallascollege.edu/career-connected-learning

Organization: Dallas College Customizable Accounting Training
Description: Tailored accounting and bookkeeping training programs for businesses seeking to upskill employees
Email: rahsaandawson@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)860-8352
Website:

Organization: Dallas College Entrepreneurial Management Certificate
Description: Prepares individuals to start, develop, finance, manage, and harvest high-growth ventures while fostering innovative thinking and venture exploration that can lead to the creation of new businesses.
Email: donnadelancy@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)273-3102
Website: dallascollege.edu/entrepreneurial-management-certificate

Organization: Dallas College Entrepreneurship Certificate
Description: Certificate for Individuals interested in pursuing entrepreneurship.
Email: donnadelancy@dallascollege.edu

Phone: (972)273-3102
Website: dallascollege.edu/study/entrepreneurship

Organization: Dallas College Franchising Center
Description: The Dallas College Franchising Center provides customized training, support, and resources to those involved in or looking to enter any segment of the franchising industry.
Email: AlisaJones@DallasCollege.edu
Phone: (972)669-6400
Website: dallascollege.edu/franchising

Organization: Dallas College International Business & Trade Program
Description: The Dallas College International Business & Trade program teaches students how to operate in global markets through hands-on courses, internships, and industry-guided curriculum.
Email: LHoworth@DallasCollege.edu
Phone: (972)238-6258
Website: dallascollege.edu/international-business

Organization: Dallas College Management Certificate
Description: Certificate in Management is designed to develop the fundamental skills, knowledge, attitudes, and experiences which individuals to function in leadership and decision-making positions as managers
Email: donnadelancy@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)273-3102
Website: dallascollege.edu/management-certificate

Organization: Dallas College Marketing Industry Advisory Committee
Description: Committee inform curriculum adjustments and strategic enrollment initiatives with industry partnerships.
Email: tjacobsonjordan@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)273-3576

Organization: Dallas College Professional Accountancy Programs (ATC/OSA) CPA Exam Prep
Description: Workforce development programs preparing skilled accounting professionals for CPA licensure and industry careers
Email: rahsaandawson@dallascollege.edu
Phone: (972)860-8352
Website: dallascollege.edu/accounting

Organization: Dallas College Retail Management Certificate
Description: The Retail Management Certificate provides a pathway to a career in Retail Management. The certificate is designed to prepare students for career opportunities and upward mobility in the retail industry.
Email: alinamaldonado@DallasCollege.edu
Phone: (214)860-2280
Website: dallascollege.edu/retail-management-certificate

Organization: Dallas College SHRM Exam Prep
Description: Earn SHRM Certified Professional (SHRM-CP) or SHRM Senior Certified Professional (SHRM-SCP) credentials
Email: shamilton@dallascollege.edu

Phone: (972)273-3259
Website: **dallascollege.edu/shrm-test-prep**

Organization: Dallas College Supervisor Certification
Description: Designed to prepare students for entry-level supervisory positions in business.
Email: **donnadelancy@dallascollege.edu**
Phone: (972)273-3102
Website: **dallascollege.edu/gps/2023/supervisor-certificate**

Organization: Dallas College Supplier Development
Description: Funds Construction Academy and how to become a registered vendor for Dallas College
Email: **supplierdevelopment@dallascollege.edu**
Phone: (972)860-4387
Website: **dallascollege.edu/supplier-development**

Organization: Dallas College Venture Club (DCVC)
Description: Dallas College Venture Club (DCVC) Coworking Space is a creative hub for collaboration, innovation, and podcasting. Located within the vibrant community of Dallas College, DCVC offers a dynamic environment for entrepreneurs, small business owners, creatives, and podcasters to thrive. Also, hosts educational programming for small business owners.
Email: **dcvc@dallascollege.edu**
Phone: (214)860-5900
Website: **dallascollege.edu/venture-club**

Organization: SMU Spears Institute of Entrepreneurial Leadership
Description: student-focused incubators, pitch contests, grants, and a new fund for startup investing
Email: **communications@smu.edu**
Phone: (214)768-2000
Website: **smu.edu/spears-institute-entrepreneurial-leadership**

Organization: University of Texas at Dallas
Description: Entrepreneurship programs
Email: **innovation@utdallas.edu**
Phone: Go to website.
Website: **innovation.utdallas.edu**

PUBLIC ENTITY: A government-funded organization, such as a city, county, state, or federal agency, which provides services or programs for the benefit of the public.

Organization: Dallas Area Rapid Transit (DART) Small Business Academy
Description: General small business resources plus how to become a DART vendor
Direct Contact Information: Esther Sandy, Outreach Director, **Esandy@DART.org**, (214)749-3479
Phone: (214)979-1111
Website: **dart.org**