BUSINESS PITCH COMPETITION

1st place: $16,000 cash/services; 2nd place: $6,500 cash/services; People's Choice award: $1,000 cash

This **statewide** competition is open to businesses from all industries and will give you an opportunity to pitch your business, product or service to a panel of judges for a chance to win a prize package that could give a boost to your early stage venture. More importantly, you will receive feedback from the judging panel and have the opportunity to network with other business professionals and gain exposure to potential customers or investors.

Participant Eligibility

1) Open to licensed and established companies operating throughout the state of Nevada (proof of licensing required).

2) The competition is not restricted to a specific industry- all industry types are encouraged to participate.

3) Companies must be in operation two years or less with generated gross revenues not to exceed $250,000 annually.

4) Projects or concepts pitched must be in the early stages of development or launch (in operation 2 years or less).

5) Employees of the State of Nevada and all associated sponsors of the pitch competition are ineligible to participate.

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SUBMISSION DEADLINE
August 19, 2016, 5:00 PT

APPLICATION FEE
$50, nonrefundable (includes conference admission, lunch)

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To learn more about the competition rules, terms and application process, visit http://business.nv.gov/GCB/Home

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