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CORK

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ABOUT

5 DAYS
60 SPEAKERS
50 EVENTS
3000 People

More than 3,000 people will attend business events in Cork from Monday 5th to Friday 10th March as part of Local Enterprise Week. [The Local Enterprise Offices of South Cork, Cork North and West and Cork City](#) have a jam-packed programme of events for Local Enterprise Week, a national event which runs across all 31 LEOs that is aimed at anyone thinking of starting a business, new start-ups and growing SMEs. Some of the highlights include a female entrepreneurship conference with Ireland's leading female entrepreneurs, a Taste Cork event for Cork's budding food businesses, a digital conference, a Brexit-proof your business seminar, a craft branding event in Inchydoney, a journey for young entrepreneurs, as well as workshops, seminars, and business advice clinics.



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We are the first stop shop for anyone seeking information and support on starting or growing a business. We promote entrepreneurship and provide business advice and information, highly subsidised training, mentoring, management development opportunities and financial assistance to start or grow your business. We look forward to meeting you.

Programme of Events Local Enterprise Office Cork

Sunday 5th March

Joint Event 

Ireland's Best Young Entrepreneur National Finals	Google HQ, Dublin	TBC	Invite Only
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Monday 6th March


It's all about the Customer	Clayton Hotel, Lapps Quay	8.00am to 11.45am	Free	BOOK
Building a Global & Sustainable Business Real Stories from 6 Female Entrepreneurs	Springfort Hall Country House Hotel	9.00am to 12.45pm	Free	BOOK
Business Advice Clinics	Celtic Ross Hotel, Rosscarbery	9.15am - 4.00pm	Free	BOOK
Shaping Ireland's Future, in association with Cork University Business School	Cork Opera House	9.45am to 400pm	€50	BOOK
Instagram For Business	Raddisson Blu Hotel, Little Island	2.30pm to 5.00pm	Free	BOOK
LEO Cork City announces its nominee for National Enterprise Awards 2017	City Hall, Anglesea Street	4.00pm	Invite Only	
50 things to know before you start a business!	Board Room, Port of Cork	5.30pm - 7.30pm	Free	BOOK

Tuesday 7th March

Taste Cork - Brand Storytelling: The Foundation of Your Growth Strategy	Macdonald Kinsale Hotel & Spa	9.00am to 1.00pm	Free	BOOK
Business Advice Clinics	Ludgate Hub, Skibbereen	9.15am to 4.00pm	Free	BOOK
Google Tools – Mitchelstown	Living Health Clinic Mitchelstown	9.30am to 1.00pm	€30	BOOK
Business Advice Clinics	LEO South Cork, Unit 6a South Ring Business Park Kinsale Road	9.30am to 12.30pm	Free	021 4975281
Presentation Skills	Floor 16, County Hall, Carrigrohane Road	9.30am to 1.00pm	€30	BOOK
10 steps to self-employment seminar	The Westlodge Hotel, Bantry	9.30am to 4.30pm	Free	BOOK
Bouncing back from the Abyss - Entrepreneurial Success Stories	Creative Zone, Boole Library, UCC	1.00pm to 2.00pm	Free	BOOK
Books for Business: titles to inspire!	Library, Grand Parade	6.00pm to 8.00pm	Free	BOOK
National Enterprise Awards - Local Final	Foyer, County Hall, Carrigrohane Road	6.00pm to 8.00pm	Invite Only	

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Wednesday 8th March

Joint Event 

Trading Online: The Power of Digital Engagement for Your Business	Rochestown Park Hotel	9.00am to 1.30pm	Free	BOOK
Business Advice Clinics	Fernhill House Hotel, Clonakilty	9.15am to 4.30pm	Free	BOOK
Food Academy Start Pitch Day	Oriel House Hotel, Ballincollig	9.30am to 4.30pm	Invite Only	
Start Your Own Business Programme	Cork International Airport Hotel	9.30am to 4.30pm	€100	BOOK
Business Advice Clinics	LEO Cork City, City Hall	9.30am to 4.30pm	Free	BOOK
10 steps to self-employment seminar	The Mill, Castletownroche	9.30am to 4.30pm	Free	BOOK
Partnership and Enterprise	Council Chamber, City Hall	10.30am to 12.30pm	Free	BOOK
Brexit-proof your Business	Maryborough Hotel, Douglas	1.30pm to 4.00pm	Free	BOOK
Franchising - a proven formula for success	Banking Hall, AIB, 66 South Mall	6.00pm to 8.00pm	Free	BOOK
Start Your Own Business Evening 1 of 6	Imperial Hotel, South Mall	6.30pm to 9.30pm	€100	BOOK

Thursday 9th March

Speed Networking Event	Fermoy Community Youth Centre	8.30am to 11.00pm	Free	BOOK
South Cork Schools Regional Final	Devon Hall UCC	9.30am to 3.00pm	Invite Only	
Pitfalls and Practicalities – professionalising your Start-Up	Bank of Ireland (Workbench), 70 St. Patrick's Street	10.00am to 12.00pm	Free	EMAIL cian.moriarty@fodlaw.ie
Libraries for Business	Hollyhill Library, Knocknaheeny	10.30am to 11.30am	Free	BOOK
Taste Cork - Food Innovation Seminar	Carrigaline Incubator Kitchens	2.00am to 4.00pm	Free	BOOK
Business Advice Clinics	Fernhill House Hotel	9.15am to 4.00pm	Free	BOOK
Design and Craft Seminar, Building a Brand in Craft, Gift, Design.	Inchydoney Island Lodge & Spa Hotel, Clonakilty	9.30am to 1.00pm	Free	BOOK
Start Your Own Business Programme Day 1 Clonakilty	Fernhill House Hotel, Clonakilty	9.30am to 4.30pm	€80	BOOK
Cork's Young Entrepreneurs Network The Entrepreneurial Journey - Your Destiny!	Start at the Atrium, Civic Offices, City Hall, Anglesea Street	5.30pm to 8.45pm	Free	BOOK

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Friday 10th March

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Lets Talk Business.. Funding, Financing and Mentoring Opportunities for You and Your Business	The Walter Raleigh Hotel, Youghal, Co. Cork.	8.30am to 12.00pm	€10	BOOK
Business Advice Clinics	The Trident Hotel Kinsale	9.30am to 4.30pm	Free	BOOK
Social Media - The Why, The What and The How?	Ludgate Hub, Skibbereen	9.00am to 12.30pm	€30	BOOK
Website Advice Clinic	Emmet Hotel, Clonakilty	9.30am to 4.30pm	Free	BOOK
Mobile Marketing	Charleville Enterprise Centre	9.30am to 4.30pm	€30	BOOK
Becoming an Entrepreneur in Ireland	Hollyhill Library, Knocknaheeny, Cork	12.30am to 2.00pm	Free	BOOK
Succession Planning for Family Business	Northside for Business, North Ring Rd., Cork	2.00pm to 4.00pm	Free	BOOK
Women in Business Networking	Celtic Ross Hotel, Rosscarbery	2.00pm to 4.00pm	Free	BOOK
Taste Cork - UCC Food Conference Weekend Fri - Sun	UCC	Starts Fri 6.30pm	Free	BOOK
CIT Prize for Innovation, Venue: CIT Campus, Lead: LEOs Cork	CIT Campus	9.00pm - 1.30pm	Invite Only	

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