



Calendar



September 2010

Register Now! Tech Anniversary Gala

Celebrate twenty years of Winston-Salem's economic transformation—register now for the Chamber Tech Council 20th Anniversary Gala, September 23, 2010 at the Milton Rhodes Downtown Center for the Arts. Two decades ago, Winston-Salem experienced devastating job losses and the decline of many key industries. The Chamber and the community were there with a vision for the future and the drive to

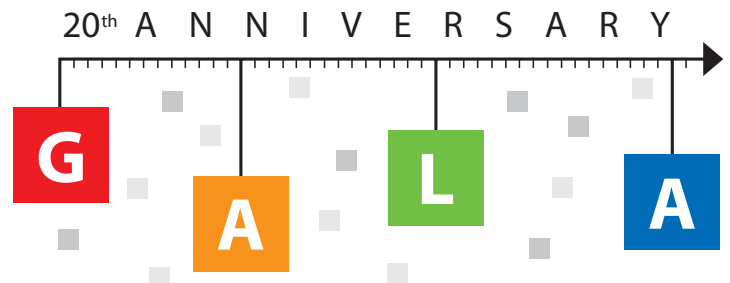
DON'T MISS THIS FEATURED EVENT!

make it happen. Join us in celebrating 20 years of technology-based economic development success—share our excitement for the future.

Enjoy cocktails and appetizers at 5:30 p.m., followed by insightful highlights of Winston-Salem's and the Triad's transition to a technology and knowledge-based economy. Meet the leaders of this effort, and celebrate the people who are working tirelessly toward vision, innovation, and growth. Cook Medical is our title sponsor. For more



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celebrating two decades of vision, innovation and growth

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Chamber Calendar September 2010

Date/Time	Event Name/Description	Location
September 2 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.	2010: It's Your Business <i>"Doing Business with the City of Winston-Salem." This program will guide you through the Development Office and how it promotes economic development opportunities throughout Winston-Salem. Learn how to navigate through the Development Office website and review the series of related programs that provides concentrated assistance to targeted areas and groups. Sponsored by Southern Community Bank and Trust and hosted by the City of Winston-Salem and the Winston-Salem Chamber.</i>	City Council Chambers, City Hall 101 N. Main Street, Room 230 (map it) click to RSVP
September 10 8:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Business Before Hours <i>Come meet your next best customer at Business Before Hours at Hampton Inn-University. Get your morning off to a great start meeting and greeting fellow Chamber members.</i>	Hampton Inn–University 309 Summit Square Court (map it) click to RSVP
September 15 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.	Small Business Roundtable <i>"Dos & Don'ts of Social Media Revealed: Bring Your Business to the Next Level with Social Media." Wildfire LLC, an integrated marketing communications company, will help shed some light on the constantly evolving world of social media. Come discover new functionality from Facebook, Twitter, Foursquare, Groupon and more! E-mail your questions beforehand to wildfire@wildfireideas.com. Sponsored by Wells Jenkins Lucas & Jenkins, PLLC.</i>	Winston-Salem Chamber of Commerce 601 West Fourth Street, Suite 101 (map it) click to RSVP

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September 16
8:00 a.m. **2010 Education Summit** Bridger Field House
499 Deacon Boulevard (map it) [click to RSVP](#)

Join the Chamber, the United Way of Forsyth County and Graduate. It Pays in looking at ways to improve the high school graduation rate. This event, sponsored by I.L. Long Construction, will bring together business and education leaders, along with area education volunteers.

September 16
9:00 – 10:30 a.m. **Tech Council Speaker Series** Piedmont Triad Research Park
presented by Cook Medical 115 S. Chestnut Street (map it) [click to RSVP](#)

Cyber Security: How to Recognize Security Risks and Safeguard YOUR Business. *Find out what to watch out for, what preventative measures are most important, and how to protect your business without breaking the bank. Networking and refreshments to follow from 10:30 to 11:00.*

September 16
5:00 – 7:00 p.m. **Business After Hours** Frame Gallery/Maxwell Jewelers
2830 Reynolda Road (map it) [click to RSVP](#)

Join us for two relaxed hours of networking at Business After Hours, the Chamber's popular early-evening meet-and-greet session. Bring plenty of business cards to exchange with your peers in the business community.

September 23
5:30 – 7:30 p.m. **Tech Council 20th Anniversary Gala** Milton Rhodes Center for the Arts
★ FEATURED EVENT! ★ 251 N. Spruce Street (map it) [click to RSVP](#)

Register now for this highly-anticipated event. See details above.

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**“Create, Catalyze and Cure:
The Impact of Academic
Medical Centers”**

by John D. McConnell, M.D.

Wake Forest University
Baptist Medical Center
Tuesday, October 19, 2010
11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Embassy Suites Grand Pavilion
460 North Cherry Street
Winston-Salem, NC 27101

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to register today!

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