

# Weekly news & updates

## Bronx Business Tech Incubator

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### Community Board 7 Public Board Meeting at COTC!

Proud to support our community by hosting the Bronx Community Board 7 public board meeting at CUNY on The Concourse Bronx Business Tech Incubator.

### At Bronx Business Tech Incubator, we support your business with:

- marketing,
- access to capital,
- procurement technical assistance,
- business formation,
- business planning,
- strategy for growth,
- non-profit strategy,
- and market/competitor analysis.
- the incubator provides office, classroom, conference, and meeting space.

**Sign up today**  
**Check our website**

**Register to our upcoming cannabis monthly panel series!**

# High Stakes Higher Thinking

## Unleashing Creative Capital Solutions in the Cannabis Challenge

**MODERATOR**  
**ROBERT RODRIGUEZ, JR.**  
LEHMAN COLLEGE  
CANNABIS WORKFORCE & BUSINESS  
DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM



**Thursday,  
March 28  
6-7:30 p.m.**

Click to register at  
[tinyurl.com/ye9phu2c](https://tinyurl.com/ye9phu2c)  
for this  
free virtual event!

Learn about Lehman's Cannabis Workforce Business Development Program: [tinyurl.com/leh-bbti-c](https://tinyurl.com/leh-bbti-c)



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**Summer Camp is back!**  
**Attend a CAMP OPEN HOUSE - ONLINE**  
**Meet the Camp Director!**

**Wednesday, March 27 at 7 PM - [Register Here](#)**



## Upcoming Free Events and Trainings

*Bronx Business Tech Incubator*

**Financial Readiness for Businesses**  
**Wednesday, March 27, 5PM - 7PM**

In this session, you will learn key aspects of assessing your readiness to request financing for your business.

[Register Here](#)

*NYC Department of Small Business Services*

**Prepare Your Business For The Unexpected**  
**Friday, March 29, 11AM - 12PM**

Join us in starting your business continuity plan and prepare for the unexpected.

[Register Here](#)

*Bronx Small Business Development Center*

**Market Research Essentials For Small Business**  
**Thursday, March 28, 11AM-12:30PM**

Whether you're a seasoned entrepreneur or just starting out, this webinar is packed with valuable tips on how to conduct market research and tap into resources you can use to help you achieve marketing success.

[Register Here](#)

*Bronx Chamber of Commerce*

### **M/WBE Certification, Unlocking Opportunities**

The Bronx Chamber of Commerce is proud to partner with NYC SBS to help guide you through the application process of getting certified as a Minority/Woman-Owned Business Enterprise (M/WBE), More information, [click here](#)

*Mount Vernon Chamber of Commerce* is offering Business Breakfast Meetings on the 1st Wednesday of every month. [Register Here](#) to be able to join these meetings.

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## **LEHMAN COLLEGE - ADULT DEGREE PROGRAM**

### **FROM DEGREES.....TO JOBS!**

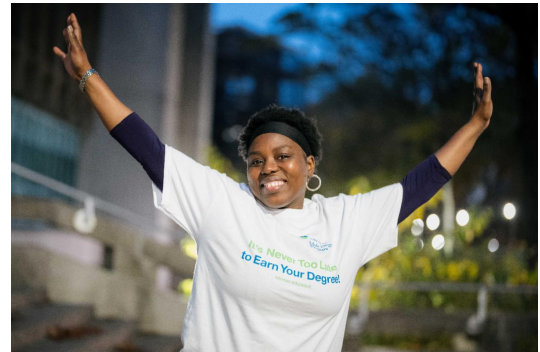
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## **Job Opportunities**

The School of Continuing and Professional Studies at Lehman College has several job openings:

1. Water Safety Instructors (WSI) P/T - [Apply Here](#)
  2. Program Assistant NCLEX-RN ESOL Program - [Apply Here](#)
  3. Nursing Instructor - [Apply Here](#)
  4. Immigrant Program Coordinator - [Apply Here](#)
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## **Funding opportunities, including grants, loans, crowdfunding, and lines of credit please refer to the below links:**

- NYC Funds Finder ([nextstreet.com](http://nextstreet.com))
  - [grants.gov](http://grants.gov)
  - Home - WomensNet | Grants for Women in Business | Small Business Grants ([ambergrantsforwomen.com](http://ambergrantsforwomen.com))
  - [Apply for a Kiva US loan | Kiva](#)
  - Our Business Loans — The Bronx Economic Development Corporation (BXEDC)
  - [New York Forward Loan Fund \(nyloanfund.com\)](http://nyloanfund.com)
  - 7(a) loans | U.S. Small Business Administration ([sba.gov](http://sba.gov))
  - Small Business Loans – GJDC
  - Harlem Entrepreneurial Fund ([hefnyc.org](http://hefnyc.org))
  - [Products \(ascendus.org\)](http://ascendus.org)
  - Fair, Affordable Small Business Loans - Pursuit ([pursuitlending.com](http://pursuitlending.com))
  - Affordable Loan Capital Service from Renaissance Economic Development Corporation (REDC) ([renaissancesbs.org](http://renaissancesbs.org))
  - Hebrew Free Loan Society (HFLS) | Interest-free Loans for Those In Need
  - [Lendistry | Small Business Lending](#)
  - [Accompany Capital](#)
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## **About Us**

### **The Bronx Business Tech Incubator**

(BBTI) is supported by the New York City

### **Small Business Development Center - Bronx**

The Small Business Development Center

Council and New York City Economic Development Corporation as a startup incubator for tech freelancers, local small business, and entrepreneurs. Our mission is to help startup companies and entrepreneurs to build successful companies, which in turn creates more job opportunities and drives new innovation and technology development in the Bronx. With the technological infrastructure and the resources of CUNY community, the Bronx Business Tech Incubator provides an environment for companies to turn innovative ideas into profitable realities.

The purpose of this newsletter is to share with you information about free events that will help your business as well as resources about funding and more!

(SBDC) in the Bronx has been situated on the Lehman College campus since 2000 and has been a driving force in empowering small businesses.

For over 30 years our longstanding commitment to the New York business community has resulted in achieving numerous goals and positively impacting thousands of lives. Whether you're at the initial stages of starting a new venture or your business is poised for expansion, the Bronx SBDC is here to support you every step of the way.

For more information about our services and how we can tailor our expertise to your unique business needs, please **visit our website**.

**More Information on our website**

### ¡Atención Negocios de Habla Hispana!

Si desea tener asistencia técnica personalizada acerca de las ayudas disponibles para los propietarios de negocios, u otro tema que necesite establecer para hacer crecer su negocio, puede solicitar una cita de consejería en español e inglés aquí [Bronx SBDC](#).

Si aún no es cliente de SBDC, solicite una cita llenando el formulario SBA 641.

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