



# MIDWEST SMALL BUSINESS FORUM

Hosted by the University of Minnesota Duluth Center for Economic Development  
and the Internal Revenue Service

Wednesday, April 4, 2018



9:00 — 11:00 am

This Forum will be conducted via web conference using WebEx.  
Once you have registered (see below), we will send you the webinar access information.

## **Presentations:**

### **New Withholding Rules & Estimated Taxes**

What employers need to know about the new withholding rules, and basic information for business owners about figuring out estimated taxes.

**Presented by:** Karen Brehmer, IRS Stakeholder Liaison

### **Independent Contractor or Employee?**

If you are a business owner contracting with other individuals to provide services, you need to determine whether the individuals are employees or independent contractors.

**Presented by:** Karen Brehmer, IRS Stakeholder Liaison, and Elaine Hansen, Regional Director, UMD Center for Economic Development (SBDC Northeast Region)



Presentations will be followed by a roundtable where each organization/agency can provide information about their programs and services, and discuss members' concerns/issues.

### **To register, contact:**

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When registering, please provide your name, organization name, number of attendees, phone, and email address.