



U.S. Small Business Administration



Hello 2017! Did you proclaim this year as the time that you will officially start your business? If so, we can help. From choosing your business structure to understanding the financial landscape, our website has plenty of resources for you.

Visit SBA.gov for more information. Also, be sure to check out [our business plan tool](#) that will walk you through all of the steps needed to craft a working business plan.



Twitter Chat | Using Technology to Work Smarter, Not Harder | #SBachat

Please join us for a Twitter chat on “Using Technology to Work Smarter, Not Harder” hosted by the U.S. Small Business Administration (@SBAgov). We'll be sharing tips and resources to help small business owners start, grow and succeed. Follow along with the hashtag #SBachat.

Thursday, January 12, 2017

3pm ET | Noon PT



LIVE Webinar | Going Global - Is It the Right Move for Your Company?

Tuesday, January 17, 2017

2:00 PM ET | 11:00 AM PT

If you have global ambitions for exporting your products and services – please join this webinar produced by SCORE, a resource partner of the U.S. Small Business Administration. A Certified Export Expert will present a road map on how to successfully enter the international marketplace.

[Register here.](#)



COURSE: Strategic Planning

Strategic planning is and will be a vital part of running your business.

This course will explain why strategic planning is important. It will also describe the typical steps taken in the process. You will walk away with the tools needed to create successful strategic plans that will propel your business to success.