



# ASU Small Business Development Center Celebrates National Small Business Week (NSBW) April 30 – May 4, 2018

Small Business Development Center (SBDC) at Alabama State University joins the U.S. Small Business Administration and other agencies across the nation to celebrate National Small Business Week during April 30 – May 4, 2018. The celebratory week is designed to recognize the critical contributions of entrepreneurs and small businesses. The SBDC at ASU will commemorate this week by hosting a business mixer and conference. Event dates, times, and locations listed below:

## NSBW CO-SPONSORS:



Montgomery Chamber  
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## NSBW Kickoff - Small Business Mixer

**Date | Time:** April 30, 2018 | 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm  
**Location:** Island Delight Jamaican Restaurant  
36 Dexter Avenue, Montgomery, AL 36104

### Event Detail:

Join us for a business networking opportunity as we kickoff NSBW. Participants will learn about various resources available for small businesses. Participants are also encouraged to bring their business cards and brochures. Refreshments will be a Taste of Jamaica.

No Cost to attend the Mixer. **REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. Registration deadline is April 30, 2018.**

To register online for the small business mixer, [CLICK HERE](#)

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## NSBW Better Business Conference

*"Equipping Small Businesses with Strategies to Survive and Thrive"*

**Date | Time:** May 3, 2018 | 8:30 am – 2 pm (Registration begins at 8am)  
**Location:** ASU Dunn-Oliver Acadome Banquet Room  
1595 Robert C. Hatch Drive Montgomery, AL 36104

### Event Detail:

This will be an excellent business development learning opportunity. This event will include the following topics:

- Small Business Tax Requirements
- From Customer Service to Customer Care
- Insurance for Small Businesses
- Ready To Export
- Getting the Loan - Improving Bankability: What You Need to Know from a Lender's Perspective
- Franchise and Financing
- U.S. Small Business Administration Updates and State Award Recognition

**REGISTRATION FEE - \$20.00 | LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED**

Make checks payable and mail to: ASU SBDC, 915 S. Jackson Street, Montgomery, AL 36104

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To register for the better business conference, [CLICK HERE](#)

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For more information contact about these events 334-229-4138 or email [arprice@alasu.edu](mailto:arprice@alasu.edu)

Alabama SBDC Network is a statewide service network funded in part through cooperative agreements with the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), Defense Logistics Agency, and the State of Alabama. Hosted by The University of Alabama. Nationally accredited by the Association of SBDCs.

Reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities will be made if requested at least two weeks in advance. Contact Lataya Flowers, 915 S. Jackson Street, Montgomery, AL 36104. 334-229-4138.