



# Alabama Small Business Development Center Network

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The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, and the University of West Alabama SBDC invite you to:

## An Interagency Rural Small Business and Economic Development Forum for West Alabama and East Mississippi



July 22, 2014

The University of West Alabama – SBDC Livingston, AL 35470  
Student Union Building

Local small business bankers, Chambers of Commerce, elected officials, financial intermediaries, small business technical assistance providers, economic development agencies and other small business stakeholders from West Alabama and East Mississippi are invited to join us to learn more about rural small business development, access to capital, and how self-employment can be an economic development driver.

The forum will include interactive panel discussions on how stakeholders can strengthen their local systems. The event will provide opportunities to meet representatives from innovative and flexible sources of capital that can increase the area's small businesses knowledge of available products and services.

Lunch and Networking Starts: 12:00 noon Concludes: 3:30 p.m.

**The event is free but you must register in advance!**

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