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Community News

Startup sock company receive Governor's Young Entrepreneurship Award


 TaMaryn Waters, Democrat staff writer 4:42 p.m. EDT October 27, 2015



(Photo: Courtesy of DivvyUp.)

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The Florida State business students behind [DivvyUp](#), a startup company selling funky socks with an altruistic twist, received the Governor's Young Entrepreneurship Award on Tuesday at the Capitol

Last week, Jason McIntosh and Mitch Nelson received a call from Gov. Rick Scott's office stating they had been nominated for the award first introduced in August to recognize Florida students, collage graduates and budding entrepreneurs.

Our very own DivvyUp received the Governor's Young Entrepreneurship Award, recognizing their amazing work helping the homeless community. DivvyUp is a startup ran by FSU Business students that provides homeless shelters with the number one needed item: socks. For every pair sold they donate one to a shelter. [Read the whole story from the Democrat and learn more about DivvyUp.](#)

Entrepreneurial Month



It's the Most Innovative Time of the Year!

Entrepreneur Month is here and is ready to take over Tallahassee with startup energy. Mark your calendars and don't miss all that's happening this month. [Here's a full list of events.](#)

Randi Zuckerberg is Coming to Tallahassee

Early Facebook team member and



digital guru Randi Zuckerberg will be presenting at Ruby Diamond Auditorium Wednesday, Nov 4. [Don't wait! Get your tickets today!](#)

FINANCE FRIDAYS

Join Leon County Government, First Commerce Credit Union, and the Small Business Development Center at Florida A&M University for Finance Fridays — providing entrepreneurs with financial education on the topic of accessing capital. **These FREE workshops will be held at 11:30 a.m. in the Leon County Community Room (918 Railroad Ave).** Lunch will be provided

Friday, Nov. 6, 2015

TOPIC: SBA Financing and Small Business Development Center Resources
SUMMARY: Resources available through the Small Business Development Center. Overview of SBA 504 and 7A programs.

Do You Need Capital for Your Startup?

Finance Fridays will go over how to access capital for your business on Friday, Nov 6 at 11:30 am in the Historic Amtrak station (918 Railroad Avenue)



1 Million Cups ft. Swag Brewery

Every week, one company pitches their startup vision and asks the community for feedback and support. Join us for coffee and a pitch this Wednesday at 9am! [You can always apply to pitch via 1MC.com.](#)

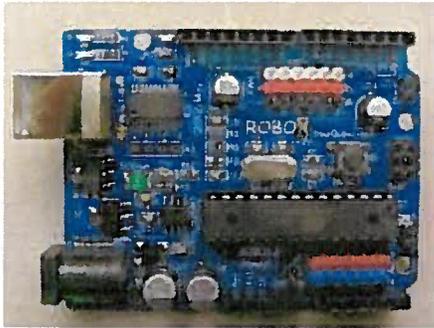


Applications Are In for AC3!

The countdown for FAMU App Challenge starts now. On Nov 6 selected students will take on a 72 hour race to turn their ideas into companies. [Learn more about AC3.](#)

FREE Arduino Workshop

Making Awesome is offering a free



Arduino workshop on Monday, Nov 9 where attendees will go through the process of designing, connecting and coding a simple Arduino project. Don't miss out on this opportunity and RSVP today.



Mindtree is Looking for Talent
Mindtree Ltd., a world leader in IT solutions and software engineering is coming to Domi on Wednesday, Nov 11 to recruit for full-time and entry level jobs for Fall 2015 & Spring 2016 graduates.
Anyone interested in an onsite interview must successfully complete a qualifying test before Nov 9. More info here.



Media Auction with AAFT
Bid on marketing and media services while supporting AAFT's education and scholarship programs this Thursday, Nov 12. Get your tickets today.



Get Your Startup Started Workshop
Got an idea? This comes next! Learn what it takes to start and scale a business. Meet fellow entrepreneurs and leave with important takeaways from a panel of experts. Seats a limited so RSVP now.

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