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[Small Business Development and Finance: Opportunities in the Quad Cities](#) with the Chicago Federal Reserve Bank

Thursday, October 25th

Location: Radisson Hotel, 111 2nd Avenue, Davenport, Iowa

Presenters will include local entrepreneurs, representatives from financial institutions, and small business support agencies. Keynote presentations from Robert Onitveros, chairman and founder of Group O, and Janet Masamoto, president of JTM Concepts.

This Week

IL PTAC invites you to [Intro to SAM \(System Award Management\)](#) on Wednesday, October 17 from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. at 4703 16 Street, Suite G, Moline. Another session will also be held on Friday, October 19th at the same time and location. Seating is limited so register early.

Augustana College invites you to [Discover Augustana](#) from Friday, October 19-Saturday, October 20th. This session is for high school seniors making their first visit to campus and interested in experiencing the multicultural opportunities at Augustana. You can select to attend the Saturday session only.

Upcoming Member Events

October 21 - [IL/IA Multicultural Wedding and Events Expo](#): Global Awareness Consulting invites you to the 2nd annual expo. Be sure to buy your ticket and register for prizes and free tickets.

October 23 - St. Ambrose Professional Development [Open House](#): Come see the New Ventures Center for professional development programs!

Complementary breakfast and lunch will be provided. Register by October 12th!

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Don't forget to join us for our Multicultural Mixer!

November 15th, 2012

5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Hotel Black Hawk, Davenport, IA

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October 23 - [Stand Up!](#) Change Teen Statistics
Community Show: Join us for a special community
performance at Nighswander Junior Theater in
Davenport. This 55 minute performance is free.

October 24 - St. Ambrose Graduate Business
Programs [Seminar](#) will be held at St. Ambrose
University, West Hall, Room 105.

October 27 - LULAC Youth Council Halloween
[Costume Party & Wiener Roast](#): Chili cook off contest,
games, smores & more!

October 27 - Join the City of Davenport on a [Diversity
Bus Tour](#). Members and leaders of multicultural
groups are highly encouraged to join. Tour will start
and end at The River's Edge.

October 29 - The Quad City Manufacturing
Laboratory (QCML) is the new Center of Excellence
for research, development and training in advanced
materials and manufacturing techniques. The QCML
will be hosting a free [Informative Forum](#).

Public Service Announcements

Don't forget to [register to vote](#)! You can do so
conveniently online from [GQCHCC's website](#).
Remember **October 9th** is the last day to register.
Check out this [video story](#) about Hispanic voter trends
by Natalie Zarwony.

Iowa Women's Leadership Conference is hosting a
leadership event [Leveraging Your Personal Power](#) on
Thursday, October 25th from 11:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. at
Hy-Vee Conference Center, West Des Moines, IA.
Speakers will included Soledad O'Brien, Helene
Lerner and Charlotte Beers.

The 2012-2013 [MillerCoors Urban Entrepreneurs
Series](#) (MUES) business plan competition is now open
and accepting entries. Entries must be received by
noon Friday, October 26, 2012.

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New jobs posted!

Eastern Iowa Community College District
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First Midwest Bank
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