



Coming Together to Support Re-Entry and Entrepreneurship

Hammond Institute to Host Left, Right, & Center Event at Lindenwood University in St. Charles

Session to be held at the Spellmann Center on February 9, 2017 will focus on Re-Entry and Entrepreneurship.

WHO: Local community leaders, faculty, staff and students will have an opportunity to attend an informative, engaging event at Lindenwood University in St. Charles:

Left, Right, & Center: Coming Together to Support Re-Entry and Entrepreneurship

The session will feature a wide variety of panel discussions and dinner with Chef Jeff Henderson providing the keynote address at 6:15 p.m. Chef Jeff is creator of the Food Network reality show series, "The Chef Jeff Project." He is also the exciting host of the new innovative television series "Flip My Food."

Jeff is a highly sought after motivational and public speaker, an award-winning Chef and Author of the *New York Times* best-seller "Cooked." Chef Jeff discovered his passion and gift for cooking in an unlikely place...prison. He uses his journey from drug dealer to Celebrity Chef, to help others transform their lives and live their dreams.

Chef Jeff has a simple message for everyone he meets...

"I'm living the American dream and so can you."

WHAT: An overview of the event includes (*see Page 2 for complete details, including panelists*):

- . 2:30 p.m. – Opening Reception (*light refreshments*)
- . 3:30 p.m. – Resources Panel (*featuring local business leaders – see Page 2*)
- . 4:30 p.m. – Experience Panel (*re-entry success stories – panelists TBA*)
- . 6:15 p.m. – **Dinner with Keynote Address by Chef Jeff Henderson -**
<http://chefjefflive.com/>
- . 7:00 p.m. – Evening Panel (*entrepreneurs move forward – see Page 2*)

WHERE & **Lindenwood University – Anheuser-Busch Leadership Room in the Spellmann Center**
(209 South Kingshighway in St. Charles, MO)
<http://www.lindenwood.edu/about/our-campus/campus-map/> (Bldg #17).

WHEN: **Thursday, February 9, 2017**

ALSO: Event is FREE and open to the general public. As indicated, registration is required. For questions or more information, contact Carol Felzien at the Hammond Institute by calling 636-627-2915 or via email at CFelzien@lindenwood.edu.

Event Schedule/Participating Panelists

3:30 p.m. – Resources Panel (*featuring local business leaders*):

- . Barbara Baker, Center for Women in Transition (<http://www.cwitstl.org/store/c1/Home>)
- . Charles Barnes, Fathers Support Center (<http://fatherssupportcenter.org/>)
- . Les Johnson, ARCHS (<http://stlarchs.org/>)
- . Napoleon Williams III, Connections to Success (<http://connectionstosuccess.org/>)

4:30 p.m. – Experience Panel (*re-entry success stories*):

- . Joe & Tanya Murray, Missionaries with Sun Ministries (<http://www.sunministries.org/>)
- . Dr. Leamon Bazil, Teaching Fellow in the Department of Philosophy at Saint Louis University (<https://www.slu.edu/colleges/AS/philos/site/>)

5:30 p.m. – Entrepreneur Fair (*featuring local entrepreneurs/resources*):

- . Jason Cleaveland, Obodo (<http://obodo.is/>)
- . Bobby Tessler, St. Louis Wing Co. (<http://stlwingco.com/blog/tag/chef-bobby-tessler/>)
- . Jermaine Andre, MMA Academy (<http://www.andresacademy.com/>)
- . Connections to Success (<http://connectionstosuccess.org/>)
- . Ice House Entrepreneurship Course at Lindenwood (<http://www.dureecenter.org>)
- . St. Louis County Library – entrepreneur resources (<http://www.slcl.org/>)

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- . Shawntelle Fisher, The SoulFisher Ministries (<http://www.thesoulfisherministries.com/>)
- . Bobby Tessler, St. Louis Wing Co. (<http://stlwingco.com/blog/tag/chef-bobby-tessler/>)

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