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XCEL-IT provides educational and placement opportunities to residents of rural communities for careers in Information Technology. Specialized certificate training is available in programs such as Engineering Technology, Logistics and Supply Chain Management, Help Desk Support, Accounting Technology, Network Security, and others.

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The Florida Small Business Development Center at UNF employs professionally certified business consultants who provide no-cost information, guidance, and confidential sounding board to business owners.

www.SBDC.UNF.edu 352.622.8763 | 866.998.8332

How to START UP Your Own Business

Do you have a great idea for a business but just don't know where to begin? This workshop will provide a comprehensive introduction on how to start your own business. Topics covered include idea generation, the legal environment and business structures.

The aspiring business owner will leave with an understanding of realistic tools and resources for business startup such as selecting an idea, testing the market, acquiring capital, writing a business plan, turning for help, understanding legal requirements, and projecting cash flow. Workbook included.

Workshop meets 9 a.m.-noon Mondays. Please call for 2017 dates.

Contact Rebecca Rapp 352-622-8763, ext. 1758, or email admin-sbdc @atlantic.net. All classes are held at the College of Central Florida Ocala Campus unless otherwise noted. To register for classes or view additional course offerings, visit www.CF.edu/noncredit, call 352-854-2322, ext. 1855, or visit us at:

Ocala Campus

3003 S.W. College Road Enterprise Center, Room 101 Ocala, FL 34474-4415

Refunds for noncredit courses will be granted when a student requests to drop a course at least three business days before class begins. To request a refund, call 352-854-2322, ext. 1855, or email haysb@cf.edu.

Professional Development			
Leadership Toolbox	Feb. 10, 24, March 10 Fridays 1:00-5:00 p.m.	\$259	
Computers			
Introduction to Office	Jan. 17, 24, 31 Tuesdays 5:30-8:30 p.m.	\$75	
Basic Excel 2016	Feb. 16, 23, and March 2, 9 Thursdays 5:30-8:30 p.m.	\$85	
Intermediate Excel 2016	March 28 and April 4, 11, 18 Tuesdays 5:30-8:30 p.m.	\$85	

Manufacturing and Engineering

**Tuition assistance may be available for these courses. For details, call 352-854-2322, ext. 1855.

AutoCAD certification	Feb. 1- April 5 Wednesdays 5:30-8:15 p.m.	\$599
Solid Works	TBD	
Blueprint Reading	Feb. 17 and 24 Fridays 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	\$275
Automation Process Control	Jan. 9 – May 4 Thursdays 5:30-8:15 p.m.	\$350
Industrial Applications Using PLCs and Robotics	Jan. 9 – May 4 Thursdays 3:30-5:15 p.m.	\$350
Hydraulics and Pneumatics	Jan. 9 – May 4 Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:30-10:45 a.m.	\$350
Introduction to PLCs	Jan. 9 – May 4 Tuesdays and Thursdays 11:00 a.m 12:15 p.m.	\$350
Mechanical Devices and Systems	Jan. 9 – May 4 Tuesdays 5:30 – 8:15 p.m.	\$350
Motors and Controls	Jan. 9 – May 4 Mondays and Wednesdays 11:00 a.m 12:15 p.m.	\$350
Survey of Electronics	Jan. 9 – May 4 Tuesdays 5:30 - 8:15 p.m.	\$350
Industrial Safety (online course)	Jan. 9 – May 4	\$350
Introduction to Quality Control (online course)	Jan. 9 – May 4	\$350

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SCORE provides free, confidential mentoring to entrepreneurs wanting to start or grow a small business. SCORE has dozens of certified volunteer mentors covering almost every imaginable business background.

www.midflorida.score.org
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352-399-0050

SCORE also offers classes in Ocala, Belleview and the Villages. Topics include Advertising that Works, Assessing Your Competition, Building a Strong Sales Team, Customer Acquisition and Retention, How to Deal with Difficult People, How to Increase Your Business Profit, Steps to Business Ownership, and much more.

For class dates, times, and to register, go to midflorida.score.org/localworkshops.



Ocala Human Resource Management Association supports human resource professionals and employers by providing quality programs, networking resources, and career development opportunities to assist our community.

www.ohrma.shrm.org



Mid-Florida Regional Manufacturers
Association provides an environment for
manufacturing companies, suppliers, and
educators to exchange ideas, share knowledge
and problems, and discuss opportunities for the
mutual benefit of the manufacturing
environment in Marion, Levy, Citrus, and
Sumter counties.

www.MRMA.net 352.840.5764

Lean Processes - Online Courses

Concepts of Lean Manufacturing and Six Sigma	Jan. 9 – May 4	\$350
Developing and Coaching Self-Directed Work Teams	Jan. 9 – May 4	\$350
Lean Enterprise for the Expert	Jan. 9 – May 4	\$350
Six Sigma for the Expert	Jan. 9 – May 4	\$350
Green Belt Refresher/Certification Prep	Jan 27 – April 7 Fridays 4:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. No Class March 17.	\$899

Online Noncredit Courses



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CareerSource Citrus Levy Marion brings together business and community partners, economic development leaders and educational providers to connect employers with qualified, skilled talent and job seekers with employment and career development opportunities.

www.careersourceclm.com 352.732.1700, ext. 2260 or 800.746.9950, ext. 2260



Talent Center is an affiliate of CareerSource Citrus Levy Marion with the primary focus of serving college students, graduates and professionals in transition. Our Professional Networking Group (PNG) provides a setting for professionals and graduates to learn key marketing strategies that can be helpful in their efforts to become employed again or seek higher level positions.

PNG participants begin by attending our Refocus and Reconnect (R & R) Workshop for Professionals and Graduates. The workshop focuses on the importance of developing a global resume essential to inperson and digital marketing *and* job specific resumes that target the candidates' skills to an employer job opening. In addition, networking strategies are discussed and practiced. Lastly, individuals are coached on techniques for nailing the interview and getting the job offer.

For more information about Talent Center and the services it offers, please contact Jerry Flanders at **352.840.5770** or by email at **iflanders@careersourceclm.com.**

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