

Current programs and funding highlights (resources, stipends, grants etc.)

These are just a few of our current opportunities. Keep an eye on your enews for more. . For the most current issue go to <u>National Association for Community College Entrepreneurship | NACCE</u>, Click on MEDIA and select Enews.

## **VETERANS CAPITAL READINESS PROGRAM (V-CAP)**

Syracuse University's <u>IVMF</u>'s <u>STRIVE</u> program was designed to drive new investment and capital to small businesses across America. The IVMF supports veteran-owned businesses with education, technical assistance, access to capital, and crucial networking opportunities for veteran-owned businesses to leverage corporate and federal contracts. Through the Dept. of Commerce's Minority Business Development Agency (<u>MBDA</u>), STRIVE is expanding the V-CAP Initiative from 6 to 18 colleges in the next 4 years and offering:

- Support for a 3-Stage, 7-week entrepreneurship curriculum program followed by a 1 year post support through mentorship and entrepreneurial resources (legal, accounting etc.)
- Robust "Mentoring by the Numbers" mentorship program focusing on upskilling entrepreneurs with financial readiness for their businesses.
- V-CAP STRIVE college of \$8,000 to support the implementation of STRIVE curriculum along with post funding support up until 2027.
- Marketing collateral to support outreach
- Applications will start to be evaluated in late January and February

<u>Apply Here</u> <u>National Press Release</u> <u>Here's a post about it.</u>

## **EVERYDAY ENTREPRENEUR PROGRAM**

- We're expanding from 42 colleges to 75 colleges
- It includes \$5K for each winning college for student for venture funding
- And \$1k for the faculty/staff member that runs the student pitches

Let me know if you'd like me to send you a PDF of the slide share from the webinar.

Deadline: July 30th Main EEP info page EEP News APPLY HERE

## **NACCE FELLOWS PROGRAM**

- Help NACCE develop and expand
- Stipend \$600 per month for 3 mos. (\$1,800 total).

For these special NACCE project categories:

- 1 Growing and supporting NACCE Membership
- 2. NACCE Research Institute
- 3. Fundraising and Grants
- 4. Business Mentoring and Program Development APPLY HERE

## **ANNUAL COMPETITION**

2024 Pitch for the Trades (2023 Winners listed)

<u>2023 Winners</u> – Including descriptions of the winning programs.

This annual competition is an opportunity for NACCE colleges to pitch their skilled trade/entrepreneurship or apprenticeship programs to a panel of judges.

- $\cdot$  Each year there's a \$150K in funding for member colleges, that can be awarded to as few as 2 or as many as 6 schools.
- · Here are 2022's winners.

Updated 5/10/24 Page 2/2