

Calendar of Events

November 25, 2024
- November 30, -0001

Amazon Web Services (AWS) Cloud Foundations

Online

06:00 PM - 09:00 PM MST

CWI Customer Service, (208) 562-2700

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Join us for an Amazon Web Services evening class through CWI starting November 4th!

Alan Carwile will be teaching "AWS Cloud Foundations", to prepare students for the AWS Cloud Practitioner Certification. If you're new to Cloud infrastructure, or if you're new to AWS in particular, this is the course for you. Content includes: concepts, economics and billing, security, networking and content delivery, compute, storage, databases, architecture, auto scaling, and monitoring.

Classes are Monday and Wednesday 6pm-9pm for 3 weeks. We meet via Zoom for all sessions. November 11th is Veterans Day so we will not meet that day, and the last day will be November 25th. Content includes video presentations, slides, discussions, and AWS management console hands-on labs.

To get more info and to sign up: CWI Amazon Web Services Class

The course includes a practice exam and 50% off the price of the certification exam. Students should be familiar with IT concepts (computers, networking, database, and security) though not necessarily experts. Programming experience is not expected.

Here is a link with more information: <https://cw.edu/program/aws-cloud-foundations>

If you need help with registration or have further questions, please contact CWI's Customer Service at wd@cw.edu or 208-562-2700.

December 4, 2024
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Tech Hub Insights: Lunch & Learn Series - Protecting Your Business In 2025

Crave Kitchen & Bar

165 East Colchester Drive. Eagle, ID

Eagle, ID

12:00 PM - 02:00 PM MST

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Tech Hub Insights: Lunch & Learn Series - Protecting Your Business

You're Invited!

Come join us at Crave Kitchen & Bar for an exclusive session on securing your business in the digital age. This event is part of Tech Hub's Lunch & Learn series, designed to equip business leaders with the latest insights and strategies to protect against cyber threats and data breaches. Everyone who attends has a chance to win a brand new Remarkable Paper Pro Tablet and more!

Event Details:

Topic: Securing Your Business in 2025

Date: December 4, 2024

Time: 12pm - 2pm

Location: Crave Kitchen & Bar, Eagle, ID (just 20 minutes from BOI International Airport for convenient same-day travel)

Cost: Free, but space is limited – reserve your spot today!

What to Expect:

Expert Speakers & Panel Discussion: Our cybersecurity specialists will share actionable strategies to help safeguard your business from the latest digital threats.

Networking Opportunities: Connect with other industry professionals and discuss cybersecurity best practices.

Heavy Appetizers: Enjoy a selection of delicious appetizers while gaining valuable knowledge.

Exclusive Swag & Prizes: Attendees will receive cybersecurity-themed gifts, including branded webcam covers, RFID-blocking card sleeves, USB data blockers, and more to support secure tech practices in daily life. One lucky winner will take home a brand new Remarkable Paper Pro Tablet.

Who Should Attend: This event is tailored for business owners, IT leaders, and tech decision-makers who want to simplify cybersecurity and protect their companies. No need to be a tech expert—Tech Hub is here to simplify your technology. Simple. Smart. Tech Hub.

December 5, 2024
- November 30, -0001

Boise Pitch Night - Winter 2024

Trailhead

500 S 8th St.

Boise, Id 83702

04:30 PM - 06:30 PM MST

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Boise Pitch Night Fall 2024

Date & Time: Thursday, December 5th, 2024, at 4:30 PM (MT)

Location: Trailhead, 500 South 8th Street, Boise, ID 83702

RSVP: [Get Your Ticket Here](#)

Event Overview:

Join us at Trailhead for Boise Pitch Night, a celebration of the innovation and entrepreneurship that's shaping the future of Idaho. This event is the meeting point for aspiring entrepreneurs, seasoned investors, and business professionals to witness the pitches from Boise's next groundbreaking ventures.

Agenda

4:30 PM - 5:15 PM - Doors Open + Networking Happy Hour

5:15 PM - 5:20 PM - Welcome and Introductions

5:30 PM - 6:20 PM - Pitch Competition

6:20 PM - 6:30 PM - Live Polling and Closing Remarks

What to Expect:

Prepare for an exciting evening where 4 of Boise's most promising entrepreneurs will present their projects and business ideas. It's an chance to get a firsthand look at emerging innovations, connect with key players in the ecosystem, and contribute to the entrepreneurial spirit of Boise.

A New Twist: Live Polling

This year, Boise Pitch Night introduces an exciting twist: live polling! As part of our commitment to innovation and community engagement, we're empowering our audience to directly participate in the outcome of the pitch competition. Attendees will have the chance to vote in real-time for their favorite pitch, making them an integral part of selecting the evening's champion.

The Prize

The winner, as chosen by you, will not only gain recognition but also receive a one-year sponsored membership at Trailhead, valued at \$1,080. This membership offers access to resources, networking opportunities, and a supportive environment to further accelerate their business growth.

Why Attend?

Discover: Be among the first to see the latest innovations from Boise's finest entrepreneurs.

Connect: Network with a community of investors, business leaders, and like-minded individuals passionate about driving change.

Support: Play a role in supporting local entrepreneurship and be part of the journey of

promising startups.

Don't miss out on all the action at Boise Pitch Night. Secure your spot and be part of an evening dedicated to celebrating and advancing entrepreneurship in Boise!

December 9, 2024
- December 12, 2024

Hour of Code

Various locations

09:00 AM - 04:00 PM MST

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The Hour of Code is a global movement that introduces students to computer science basics through fun, one-hour coding activities:

How to participate

You can participate in the Hour of Code by signing up to volunteer: <https://stem.idaho.gov/volunteer-form/>

Goal

The Hour of Code aims to show that anyone can learn the basics of computer science, and to inspire future interest in the field.

Activities

The Hour of Code offers a variety of activities for learners of all skill levels, including tutorials and games. Some activities include creating a dance party, helping AI clean the oceans, and building and exploring with Minecraft.

When and where

The Hour of Code takes place annually during Computer Science Education Week in early December. Events are typically hosted by K-12 institutions.

The Hour of Code was created in 2013 and has reached tens of millions of students in over 180 countries.

December 10, 2024
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High-Tech Connect Networking
Kiln Meridian
1120 South Rackham Way
Meridian, ID 83642
05:00 PM - 07:00 PM MST
Betsy Davies, 208-917-5182
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High-Tech Connect is ITC's NEW monthly networking event specifically designed for tech and tech adjacent professionals. Step away from your screens and into a relaxed and fun atmosphere where professionals gather to socialize while enjoying light appetizers and drinks.

Hosted By: Hidden Mountain Data

Location: Kiln Meridian | 1120 South Rackham Way, Suite 300, Meridian

When: Tuesday, December 10, 2024 | 5 pm to 7 pm

This event is FREE for ITC members || \$10 for non-members

***Registration is required to assure ample food & beverage*

February 25, 2025
- November 30, -0001

Explore Idaho Tech Trade Show and Conference

Boise Centre

850 W. Front St.

Boise, ID 83702

08:30 AM - 06:00 PM MST

Diane Bevan,

Diane@IdahoTechCouncil.org

PRESENTS:

*Join us for the premier tech event of 2025,
Explore Idaho Tech, Trade Show and Conference!
Formerly known as Capital Connect and Develop.Idaho
the Idaho Technology Council has combined its most successful events into one
super-conference.*

*Tech leaders, emerging technologies, and unparalleled networking opportunities come
together. This full-day event will feature a large exhibitor space, engaging breakout
sessions, insightful panels, and inspiring keynote speakers.*

*Don't miss out on this dynamic and energetic gathering designed to foster innovation
and collaboration within Idaho's thriving tech community. Be part of the future of
technology and engage with the Idaho Technology Council in its mission to Connect the
Idaho Tech Community!!*

AGENDA

Doors open at 8:30

Light Breakfast and Keynote Speaker

Trade Show & Conference Hours

8:30 am -6:00 pm

Various Main Stage speakers throughout the day.

(You can be a table sponsor for your team for an all-day experience)

Breakout Sessions will include topics on AI, Cyber, DevOps, and other hot tech topics.

*Post Event Networking Reception
following the event.*

Sponsorship, Exhibitor, Presenter Opportunities

*Register today and choose your booth space, upload your logo to your reserved space
for extra visibility on the booth map.*

*Register by December 31 to receive 10% off, use promo code Save10
ITC Members unlock special discounts when you use your login to register.
(let us know if you need help)*

March 19, 2025
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Eastern Idaho TECH Expo
Blue Cross of Idaho Conference Center - Mountain America Center
1690 Event Center Drive
Idaho Falls, ID 83402
10:00 AM - 06:00 PM MST
Diane Bevan,
Diane@IdahoTechCouncil.org

Eastern Idaho TECH Expo - Idaho Falls
Hosted by the Idaho Technology Council
Date: March 19th, 2025
Time: 10 am - 6 pm
FREE and open to the Public
Location: Blue Cross of Idaho Conference Center, Idaho Falls

See Vendor Pricing and Location Map layout [HERE](#)

Additional information on the expo:

Who Will Attend the Tech Expo?

The Eastern Idaho TECH Expo is a hub of innovation and inspiration, catering to a diverse audience. Whether you're a tech professional, entrepreneur, industry executive, or student, the expo offers a wealth of opportunities for learning, networking, and discovery.

Technology Entrepreneurs and Startups:

For entrepreneurs and startup teams, the expo is a goldmine of opportunities. It offers exposure to new ideas, potential investors, and valuable business connections. Participation in this event can significantly enhance a startup's visibility and growth prospects.

Industry Professionals and Executives:

Executives and professionals from various industries find the Tech Expo indispensable for staying ahead. It's a place to discover the latest technological advancements relevant to their fields. Networking with peers and learning from experts are key benefits for these attendees.

Tech Enthusiasts and Students:

Students and tech enthusiasts attend to experience cutting-edge technology firsthand. The expo serves as a learning ground, offering exposure to new technologies and industry trends. It's an inspiring event that fuels passion and curiosity in the tech world. The Tech Expo is an invaluable experience for a wide range of individuals. Whether you're a budding entrepreneur, an industry veteran, or simply a tech enthusiast, the insights and opportunities it offers are unparalleled. The expo serves as a bridge, connecting the present with the future of technology.

Purpose of the EXPO: To showcase the growing technology expertise of Eastern Idaho, foster business connections, and engage the community in innovative technological advancements.

Partners of the EXPO: The Idaho Technology Council, Local tech companies and startups, Educational institutions, Business associations, Media partners, Tech enthusiasts, and students who are considering a tech career or a tech startup.

Our commitment to you as a vendor: To utilize marketing, media, and our resource partners to promote the event to attract attendees for meaningful and valuable

connections.

You will be setting up the afternoon of the day before so that you can present your business to the attendees of the VIP Stakeholder meeting.

Short-Term Outcomes to Eastern Idaho

Knowledge and Awareness:

*Increased awareness of local tech companies and innovations
Enhanced understanding of technological advancements
Recognition of Eastern Idaho as a growing tech hub*

Networking and Connections:

*New business connections and partnerships formed
Increased collaboration between tech companies and educational institutions
Enhanced community engagement in the tech industry
Increase in Explore Idaho Tech Directory signups*

Long-Term Outcomes to Eastern Idaho

Economic Growth:

*Attraction of new businesses and investments to Eastern Idaho
Job creation in the tech sector
Strengthening of the local economy through tech innovation*

Community Development:

*Sustained interest and participation in tech events and initiatives
Ongoing support for tech education and workforce development
Growth of a vibrant and connected tech community in Eastern Idaho*

We invite you to sign up and participate as a collaborative partner to grow the Eastern Idaho I-15 tech corridor.