

Connect to the Leading Space Investment Forum

Space Investment Summit 9

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Wednesday, May 18, 2011

8:00 am - 7:00 pm

Embassy Suites Hotel, Huntsville, Alabama

Investors, Entrepreneurs and Industry Executives - [Register Today!](#)

Space Investment Summit 9 (SIS-9) will continue a well established series of forums offering a full day of exclusive dialogue sessions with prominent investment leaders and entrepreneurs discussing innovation in space-related commerce worldwide. SIS-9 will focus on keys to entrepreneurial success.

Featured and Panel Sessions

Mass Speed Direction: A Model for Growth in the Space Economy

Richard Phillips, President, Phillips & Company

State of the Commercial Space Industry: Trends, Issues, Winners and Losers

Amaresh Kollipara, Managing Partner, Earth2Orbit LLC

Michael Leventhal, Attorney/Consultant, mc² The Law Firm

The Orion Propulsion Factor:

A Dynamic Merging of Government and Private Sector Customers and Relationships

Tim Pickens, Chief Propulsion Engineer & Commercial Space Advisor, Dynetics

Putting Your Best Foot Forward: Creating a Business Plan and Investor Presentation

A practical discussion on preparing a business plan and investor presentation with a focus on "dos" and "don'ts", as well as tips on what attracts early stage investors. The panel will highlight the importance of the financial portion of a business plan, as well as legal aspects relating to the business plan and investment, and ensuring that intellectual property is adequately protected.

John Garred, Partner, Tucker Ellis & West

Scott Berlin, Managing Director, Brown Gibbons Lang & Company

Bruce Pittman, Director, Flight Projects & Chief System Engineer, AMES Research Center

Jennifer Berlin, Counsel, Tucker Ellis & West

Keys to Entrepreneurial Success

Federal programs that can help entrepreneurs with financing and technical support, and the use of technology transfer as a stimulus for innovation.

Stephan Davis, Center Strategic Development, Marshall Spaceflight Center

Lynn Garrison, Small Business Innovative Research

Creating Startup Opportunities: How Huntsville Does It

Insightful investment and technology perspectives on going beyond the government-private sector business model to develop new ways of financing ventures and attracting customers.

Tim Pickens, Chief Propulsion Engineer & Commercial Space Advisor, Dynetics

Kris McGuire, CEO & Founder, Victory Solutions Inc

Joe Ritch, Attorney & Government Contracting Practice Co-Chair, Sirote & Permutt

Kannan Grant, Director of the Office of Technology Commercialization, Univ of Alabama Huntsville



Come for the Summit, Stay for the ISDC! SIS-9 attendees also interested in a broader view of many new space developments should consider the 2011 International Space Development Conference (ISDC), beginning on the day following the Summit at the same location.