

## FAMU-FSU College of Engineering Engineering Entrepreneurship Kickoff Event (Spring 2013)

### Meeting Agenda / Schedule

**Event Location:** Challenger Learning Center, 200 S. Duval St., downtown Tallahassee  
**Parking:** Kleman Plaza underground public parking garage; validation stickers will be provided

**Schedule:**

9:00 – 9:30 am		Continental breakfast/coffee, meet & mingle w. other participants.
9:30 – 10:00 am		<b><u>Session I: Welcome / Introduction / Overview</u></b>
9:30 – 9:35	(5m)	General introduction/event overview (Dr. Frank, Event Coordinator)
9:35 – 9:40	(5m)	Welcome from College of Engineering (Prof. Yaw Yeboah, Dean)
9:40 – 9:45	(5m)	Welcome from ECE Dept. (Prof. Simon Foo, ECE Dept. Chair)
9:45 – 9:50	(5m)	Welcome from ME Dept. (Prof. Emmanuel Collins, ME Dept. Chair)
9:50 – 9:55	(5m)	Welcome from Jim Moran Inst./Coll. of Business (Mr. Ron Frazier)
9:55 – 10:00	(5m)	Other participants introduce themselves briefly
10:00 – 10:45 am		<b><u>Session II: Advice for Entrepreneurs by Local Experts</u></b>
10:00 – 10:08	(8m)	Mr. Ron Frazier (Jim Moran Institute / College of Business), Entrepreneurship Program Instructor
10:08 – 10:16	(8m)	Dr. Michael Devine (IME Dept.), Technology Entrepreneurship & Commercialization Course Instructor
10:16 – 10:24	(8m)	Prof. Jonathan Adams (FSU College of Communication) - Startup Weekend and 3-Day Startup Event Organizer
10:24 – 10:40	(16m)	Mr. Bill Hollimon, Esq. (Hollimon, P.A.), Business Law Attorney - Intellectual property Law, corporations vs. LLCs and other topics
10:40 – 10:45	(5m)	Dr. Thom Park, Ph.D. (Prescient Consulting Group) – Fundraising tips.
10:45 – 10:50 am		<b>(Five Minute Break)</b>

**10:50 am – 12:14 pm    Session III: Presentations on Venture Ideas / Technologies (8 min. ea.)**

## Industry presentations:

10:50 – 10:58    (8m)    #1:    Mr. Perry Ponder (Seven Hills Engineering, LLC) – *Aerodynamic Side Underride Protection*

## Faculty presentations:

10:58 – 11:06    (8m)    #2:    Prof. Emmanuel Collins (ME Dept.) – *Adaptive Nonlinear Model Predictive Control Algorithms*

11:06 – 11:18    (12m)    #3-4: Prof. Chiang Shih (ME) & Prof. Jim Zheng (ECE) – *Supercapacitors for Micro Aerial Vehicles / Drone Inspired War Game*

## Student presentations:

11:18 – 11:26    (8m)    #5:    Patrick Bresland (ECE/CAPS) – *Sequential Bagging Apparatus*

11:26 – 11:34    (8m)    #6:    Deneuve Brutus (ECE) – *Energy Harvesting Tile*

11:34 – 11:42    (8m)    #7:    Jean-Felix Ganishuri (EE) – *Switched Reluctance Machine*

11:42 – 11:50    (8m)    #8:    Norman Gross & Alexander York (ME) – *Pool Table Stabilizer*

11:50 – 11:58    (8m)    #9:    Daniel Hausman (COB) – *3D Printer Time Sharing*

11:58 – 12:06    (8m)    #10: Stefan Leon (Entrep. Program) – *Fitness/Social Website*

12:06 – 12:14    (8m)    #11: Charles Oladimeji (ECE) – *Texting-while-Driving Preventer*

**12:15 – 1:00 pm    (Box lunch; participants chat with others they may want to work with.)**

**1:00 – 1:30 pm    Session IV: Breakout Session**

Participants gather in groups & begin to solidify their venture idea, team composition, funding plan, & project focus.

**1:30 – 2:00 pm    Session V: Wrap-Up**

Teams identify themselves & their projects to the group, turn in “team tracking forms” for future reference.

(NOTE: Participants may remain talking at CLC after 2:00 pm, but the free parking ends at 3:00 pm.)