Dorchester County
Economic Development Department

SAVE THE DATE
December 9 – 10, 2012
Hyatt Regency Chesapeake Bay

Economic Development Technology Summit 2012
"Linking Economic Development and Technology in Rural America"

Growing and sustaining a thriving economy in rural America is important to regions where agriculture and manufacturing have traditionally supported economic development goals and objectives. This summit focuses on why a seamless partnership between economic development organizations, institutions of higher learning, and the business community is critically important to ensuring rural America is an integral part of growing an innovative technology economy.

PROGRAM

Sunday, December 9th
Dinner w/Business Plan Competition
Limited Seating
6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Registration fee: $120.00 per person

Monday, December 10th
Summit Program with
Buffet Breakfast and Lunch
8:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Registration fee: $100.00 per person

PANEL TOPICS

- **Building an Innovation Entrepreneurial Ecosystem**
- **Cyber-Security and Broadband in Rural America**

Business Plan Competition Sponsored by

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Eastern Shore Entrepreneurship Center

ACCOMMODATIONS

Hyatt Regency
Chesapeake Bay
100 Heron Blvd. at Route 50
Cambridge, MD 21613
Reservations 1-888-421-1442
Room Block: Dorchester Summit
Room Rate: $119.00 single/double + applicable taxes
Cut-off date: Sept. 9, 2012

CANCELLATION & SUBSTITUTION POLICY

Cancellations received after Nov. 9, 2012 – no refunds
Substitutions are accepted at any time prior to the start of the Summit.

Please contact Darlene Kriss at (410) 228-0155 or dkriss@choosedorchester.org in advance to notify us of any substitutions. There are no fees for substitutions.

All cancellations must be submitted in writing to dkriss@choosedorchester.org

Please remit checks to:
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c/o ED Summit
5263 Bucktown Road
Cambridge, Maryland 21613

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Dr. Freeman A. Hrabowski III
President
University of Maryland-Baltimore County (UMBC)

PANEL SPEAKER

Christian S. Johansson
Secretary
Maryland Department of Business and Economic Development (DBED)

LUNCHEON SPEAKER

Victor W. Hwang
Author of
The Rainforest: The Secret to Building the Next Silicon Valley

For more information or to register contact:
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