



HIGH GROWTH BUSINESS CLUB

DATE: TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20 (DATE CHANGE)

TIME: 4:30 - 6 P.M. (Mentoring sessions from 4:30 - 5 p.m.)

LOCATION: IHMC CONFERENCE CENTER, 40 S. ALCANIZ ST.

FEATURE PRESENTATION BY: DR. KEN FORD

RESEARCH INNOVATIONS & INITIATIVES

Kenneth Ford is Founder and Director of the Institute for Human & Machine Cognition (IHMC), a statewide not-for-profit research institute of the State University System of Florida.

IHMC has quickly grown into one of the nation's premier research organizations with world-class scientists and engineers investigating a broad range of topics related to building technological systems aimed at amplifying and extending human cognitive and perceptual capacities. IHMC staff collaborates extensively with industry and government labs to develop science and technology that can be enabling with respect to society's broader goals.

Ford is the author of numerous scientific papers and six books. Ford's research interests include: artificial intelligence, cognitive science, human-centered computing, and entrepreneurship in government and academia.

In January 1997, Dr. Ford was asked by NASA to develop and direct its new Center of Excellence in Information Technology at the Ames Research Center in the heart of Silicon Valley.

In October of 2002, President George W. Bush nominated Dr. Ford to serve on the National Science Board. In 2004 Florida Trend Magazine selected Dr. Ford as one of Florida's 4 most influential citizens working in academia.



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Cost: \$10 (Free for HGBC members)



HIGH GROWTH BUSINESS CLUB (HGBC)

PURPOSE/MISSION

The High-Growth Business Club cultivates a fertile entrepreneurial environment within the Pensacola Area for new and seasoned businesses by fostering volunteered expertise and knowledge from other business owners and community leaders. Effective business development and decision-making are improved through coaching, networking, meeting-seminars, and other collaborative efforts.

www.highgrowthbusinessclub.com

REGISTER NOW!

If your business or organization is interested in joining the High Growth Business Club please contact:

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OF REGISTRANTS: _____

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