



2018 Americas Report

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During the past months the different ICSB affiliates, memberships and chapters of America, have been carrying out several activities with the purpose of promoting entrepreneurship in their respective countries. Attached a detailed of some of the most relevant activities carried out and the ones to be celebrated by countries and with their respective dates.

1. Argentina - La Asociación Civil Red PyMEs led by its president, Dr. Rubén Ascúa, will hold on September 26-28, 2018 the XXIII ANNUAL MEETING NETWORK PYMES MERCOSUR called "New Productive Models: the role of SMEs as engines of economic and social development".

2. Brazil - EGEPE Encounter of studies on entrepreneurship and small business management led by its president Rose Mary Almeida Lopes will be held on July 4-6. EGEPE chose as its central theme the slogan: "Pathways to strengthening entrepreneurship: transforming possibilities into realities".

3. Colombia - In Medellin the past May 8-18 was held the 8th Seminar-Workshop for Professionals of the Entrepreneurial Ecosystem of Latin America.

4. Canada - The annual conference of the Canadian Council for SMEs and Entrepreneurship (CCSBE), was held from May 3 to 5, 2018 in Halifax, Nova Scotia.

5. Mexico - ICSB México in September 2018 will carry out the activity of the IV International Congress of Research on Entrepreneurship and Small and Medium Enterprises.

6. PR & Caribbean - The First Entrepreneurship Conclave on September 7, 2018 in San Juan, PR. The impact of entrepreneurship on a country's economy: A perspective of the High Education Institutions.

7. USA - USASBE Advancing entrepreneurship education through bold teaching, will be carrying out their annual Conference on Trade Winds Island Grand Resort at St. Pete Beach, Florida on January 23 - 27, 2019.