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MPOWERED'S CLASSIFIED FESTIFALL SURVIVAL GUIDE

Hey, everyone! We're MPowered Entrepreneurship, Michigan's largest and oldest student run entrepreneurial organization!

With everything being so overwhelming at Festifall, MPowered wants to help point you in the right direction! Here are some of Michigan's elite Entrepreneurship groups eagerly waiting for your arrival. Check out what you like, visit them at Festifall, apply to their clubs and join today!



The Desai Accelerator offers intensive 13-week programs of mentorship, funding, and University of Michigan resources to help early stage tech ventures scale and succeed. This collaboration between the Ross School of Business and the College of Engineering is the only professional accelerator at the University, and is open to founders from across the national start-up community.

Desai holds two programs annually, with immersive internship opportunities for undergraduate and graduate students to help drive growth for portfolio companies. Through this internship, students do impactful, action-based projects for 4-5 startup companies and dive headfirst in the entrepreneurial community. We offer part time internships during the winter semester, and full time internships over the summer.

If you are interested in staying up to date with Desai, and want to be among the first to know when our next internship application goes live, please **visit our website at** <http://desaiaccelerator.umich.edu/>



TechArb Student Venture Accelerator serves as the training ground for University of Michigan students to become tomorrow's leading entrepreneurs. In TechArb, forward-looking students from any level and discipline come together for a highly collaborative engaged learning experience. Portfolio companies receive exclusive access to dedicated workspace, material support, tailored programming, expert mentors, and, perhaps most importantly, a community of like-minded, high-achieving peers. These resources comprise a critical component of entrepreneurial education, empowering students to take their classroom learning and put it into practice for real-world impact.

For more information: <https://techarb.engin.umich.edu/apply/>

ELP ENTREPRENEURS
LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

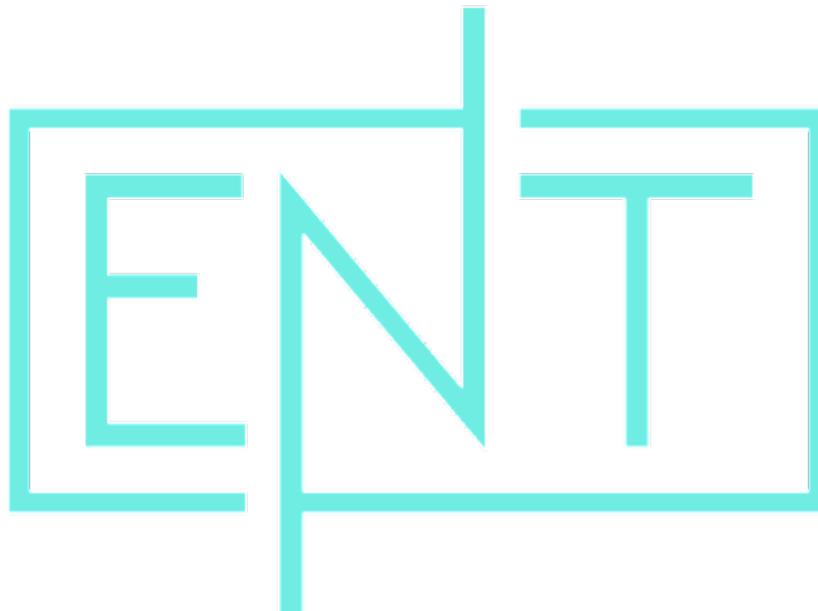
ELP provides deep training and mentorship for a select cohort of entrepreneurial-minded students to develop the functional, managerial, and leadership skills that

differentiate the good from the great entrepreneurs. A key experiential component of ELP is a summer internship placement at a startup where students work closely with entrepreneurial leaders outside the university to gain the critical skills and experiences they need to become leaders of innovation and entrepreneurship. **The ELP application will be open in October! Look out for upcoming events and activities as well on the [CFE website!](#)**



Contrary Capital

Contrary Capital is a decentralized, university focused venture firm. We are established across 55 Universities across the US and aim to empower the brightest entrepreneurs at each of these campuses. Anyone interested in learning more about us and what we do, feel free to **reach out to [Aaron Ngo](#)**



Rush ENT - the nation's only entrepreneurship fraternity! We're a diverse brotherhood all united by a singular passion for entrepreneurship and creating innovative solutions. We provide both professional development through workshops, speakers, and ideation sessions, all focusing on providing you with the tools necessary to work for the next big startup or to create it. We are an extremely tight-knit group and hold many social events such as parties, retreats and game nights. Through our partnership with Detroit Venture Partners, we also provide our brothers with the unique opportunity to complete meaningful projects for Detroit start-ups.

Check out our rush events and apply now at ent-umich.com! Our first rush event is an Info Session on September 11th, 5 pm to 6 pm in the Michigan Union Wolverine Room!



The purpose of InnovateUM is to educate its members about entrepreneurial techniques in order to create, develop, and implement a business plan for a student-run project. Each semester, the club will focus on taking an individual idea for a product or service and attempt to market and sell this product or service to the community. Half of our profits from our endeavors will go back towards the club for future projects and the other half will be donated to Rising Tide Capital, a charity dedicated to teaching immigrants, women, and children how to start and grow successful businesses.

Contact jakeshoo@umich.edu for more info.



The China Entrepreneur Network (CEN) is a global entrepreneurial organization with 12 chapters spanning 3 continents: North America, Asia, and Australia. As the University of Michigan chapter, we act as a platform for entrepreneurs from diverse backgrounds to make an impact on their communities. Through our expansive network, we connect our members with global resources, investors, and fellow entrepreneurs. We partner with the Ross School of Business, the Center for Entrepreneurship, business associations, and career service companies to prepare our members for both traditional career recruiting and future entrepreneurship. We welcome students with intellectual curiosity and global insights to join our community. You will be challenged with real industry projects and surprised by your growing network.

Are you ready to be the next global leader?

Contact lianwan@umich.edu for more info.



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The Center for Entrepreneurship offers a wide variety of programs and opportunities for those looking to gain the skills and mindset for a real and lasting impact:

- **ENTR Courses:** We offer 20+ courses where you can learn from real entrepreneurs and innovators. Visit cfe.umich.edu/courses to view our full list of course offerings or email us at entrepreneurship@umich.edu to schedule an advising appointment.
- **Immersion Treks:** Launch yourself into entrepreneurship ecosystems across the U.S., including New York and San Francisco. Visit cfe.umich.edu/treks to learn more.

For more information, visit cfe.umich.edu.



Interested in MPowered?

Come to one of our Mass Meetings at the Innovatrium, 601 E University Ave!

September 10th, 7pm - 8pm

September 12th, 7pm - 8pm

Check out our [website](#) here!

Want to see what we do?

Check out our [premiere article](#) for the 2017 school year, featuring Sean Brezzell, CFO of Vic and Barb plus Sean. Written by our very own Naomi Grossman.

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