

Entrepreneurship Academy

Entrepreneurship Academy (EA)

Sponsored by the Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation

At the Entrepreneurship Academy, join those who share the entrepreneurial spirit, find out if starting a business is right for you, and discover what it takes to succeed. The Academy takes place at the [International Career Development Conference](#) and includes seminars, discussion sessions and the **Entrepreneurship Challenge**, where the 1st place individual/team will be awarded a **\$3,000 Don DeBolt Scholarship**, plus up to \$2,000 in travel awards to attend the IFA Annual meeting and present the winning project (sponsored by the International Franchise Association).

Additional support and assistance for the Academy is provided by the SCORE Association, The George Washington University Center for Entrepreneurial Excellence, the United States Association for Small Business and Entrepreneurship, and the United States Small Business Administration.

Attendees may register for the Entrepreneurship Academy as their primary conference activity. Event competitors and Management Institute participants may also participate in the Academy.

[Entrepreneurship Academy and Entrepreneurship Challenge Guidelines](#)

2006 Entrepreneurship Academy and Challenge

Delta Epsilon Chi is excited to announce [Kelly Perdew](#), **Donald Trump's Apprentice (second season)**, as the kick-off speaker for the 2006 Entrepreneurship Academy in Dallas, Texas. Mr. Perdew has an extensive entrepreneurial background and will be a great addition to the already outstanding program. For more information on Kelly, check out his [bio](#).



[2006 Tentative Agenda](#)

2005 Entrepreneurship Academy and Challenge

More than 150 students participated in the 2nd Annual Entrepreneurship Academy. Thirty-one teams competed in the Entrepreneurship Challenge business plan competition.

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