

9th Annual Entrepreneurship and Small Business Summit (ESBS 2022) Virtual Webinar and Speaker Series – Dates and Times Vary with Event Thursday, March 17, 2022, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM (EST) International Women's History Month Panel

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Thompson Management Consulting, LLC announces its 9th Annual Entrepreneurship and Small Business Summit (ESBS 2022), comprised of several webinars and panels throughout 2022. As we continue with challenges from the COVID-19 pandemic, our events will be hosted on ZOOM's virtual platform. The overall theme for 2022 is "*Growing Fearlessly*", which small businesses must continue to do in these challenging times. This is the second of several events for the year, each having its own press release and marketing flier.

Our second event of the year is a panel discussion titled "Women's Excellence in Entrepreneurship: A Global Perspective", in celebration of International Women's History Month. This event, with a panel of esteemed women in entrepreneurship leadership from various countries, is scheduled for Thursday, March 17, 2022, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM (EST) on Zoom. The panel discussion shall be framed around the following important topics:

- Being an empowered woman of influence
- The startup climate and opportunities for women-owned enterprises
- Programs and funding for women-owned businesses
- Gender inequality: A look at continued disparities
- Africa Continental Free Trade Area and women's economic empowerment
- The future of women-owned businesses in the U.S.
- Caribbean women entrepreneurship and economic empowerment
- · Access to capital and micro financing

Our panel of distinguished and accomplished women represent South Africa, Uganda, Sierra Leone, Trinidad & Tobago, and the United States of America. Attendance is at no cost, but registration is strongly encouraged, please. For this virtual ZOOM event, we invite small business owners regardless of business model and industry, entrepreneurs, innovative economic disruptors, aspiring entrepreneurs, business professionals, thought leaders, decision-makers, policy makers, independent contractors, gig economy freelancers, sole proprietors, mom and pop business models, micro enterprises, consultants, and members of academia (students, professors, administrators, etc.). As we are celebrating International Women's History Month, our focus is on women empowered to launch, operate, lead and grow successful small businesses. However, the discussion is open to anyone who has an interest in the topic.

Kindly register at <u>www.b2bconference.net</u>. Click on Registration, then <u>Attendee Registration</u>. Once registered, you will receive a ZOOM Member ID and Password prior to the event on Thursday, March 17th at 11:00 AM (EST). We encourage all attendees to please log on by 10:45 AM (EST) to receive the best and full value from the discussion.

For all information, including speaker bios and profile pictures, attendee registration, and past event pictures, please go to www.b2bconference.net. Contact us at info@tmconsultingllc.com, Austin@tmconsultingllc.com, or (404) 587-3949 with questions, comments and/or request for additional information. Thank you for your support.