

# Rural Entrepreneurship Forum



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The Catalyzing Entrepreneurship and Economic Development (CEED) Initiative invites you to join UM students, business leaders, and economic development professionals for the second annual Rural Entrepreneurship Forum.

**July 19, 2016**  
**9:30 am – 5:00 pm**

Community Development Foundation  
398 E. Main Street  
Tupelo, MS 38804

*\*Registration and details about the forum may be found at [www.mclean.olemiss.edu](http://www.mclean.olemiss.edu)*

Hosted by the McLean Institute for Public Service and Community Engagement at the University of Mississippi

For questions about the forum, please contact Dr. J.R. Love at [jrlove@olemiss.edu](mailto:jrlove@olemiss.edu) or 662.915-7832.

Engage in a discussion about economic development and entrepreneurship in Mississippi!

## Guest Speakers

- Judd Wilson  
Community Development Foundation

-Cobie Crews  
Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship

-John Brandon  
Mississippi Development Authority

-Elizabeth Randall  
Randall Commercial Group

- Josh Mabus  
The Mabus Agency

- Honorable Jason Shelton  
Mayor of Tupelo

-Eric Hill and Jeffrey Rupp  
Mississippi State University

- Panel Discussion  
Sleepmade, BPI Coatings

- Mike Clayborne  
CREATE Foundation

- William Nicholas  
University of Mississippi

- Panel Discussion  
Residents of Jonestown and Marks, MS