

From the Managing Director of Innovation DuPage:

Hello Members of Innovation DuPage,

- **Welcome - New ID Members**
 - **Axiom Media Group LLC** is a full-service creative agency that primarily offers services in videography, photography(headshots), visual design (UI/UX)
 - **Cap Con** is an executive coaching company with a focus on helping those achieve peak performance.
 - **GigNexus** is a virtual administrative assistant outsourcing company focused on helping U.S. Based organizations achieve economies of scale.
- **Recap & Thanks:** We had a really fun Member MeetUp last week! Thank you to Avi Tiwari for presenting on his charitable organization, Packs and Snacks; Joe Barron for an update on the growth of Grey Matters Games; and to Patty Cavanaugh for sharing her social media expertise, and discussing how ID is working with Glen Ellyn Mom's Village to provide additional marketing resources for our members. Our next meet up will be next Wednesday 4.17 at 9:30. Hope to see you there!
- **[Slyngshot.io](#) Presentation on Wednesday @ 9:30:** Please join us at 9:30 on Wednesday in the Event Space for a demonstration of the Slyngshot platform: a powerful new platform that helps you to create and launch awesome business ideas. This is an invaluable resource, and can be particularly helpful to early stage companies!
- **Coffee Pitch Competition this Friday 4.12 at the Hatchery:** Brewpoint Coffee founder Melissa Villanueva is co-hosting Elevating Dreams Eliminating Divides: a Coffee and Innovation Pitch Competition this Friday evening at The Hatchery. Click [here](#) for more details and to register for this event, sponsored in part by Innovation DuPage.
- **Congratulations:**
 - To the 15 recent graduates of the 5th cohort of our Construction Owner to CEO Program!
 - To Joe Cassidy, who recently appointed to Associate Provost of Economic and Workforce Development at College of DuPage!
- **WGN Radio:** Be sure to tune in next Wednesday 4.17 at 6:30 to Your Money Matters with Jon Hansen to hear ID Member Jason Krantz of Labor Titan share information about the regional labor market.

Many thanks and have a great week!

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