

## From the Program Manager

We began the first quarter focused on continuing to develop the environment needed for tech entrepreneurs to thrive. Starting with our Tech Entrepreneur Series to the USCB Career Fairwhere we spoke with many talented students from Computer Science to Business, Marketing and Communications, many of whom are seeking internships for the summer. It takes a critical mass of those willing to start something (You CAN!), the workforce needed to make it go, and the community to help sustain it. The future is coming, and we get to choose what that looks like. Speaking of futures, we even participated in Beaufort 2030, a futures lab for the City of Beaufort.



We had our first Member Town Hall, where members discussed what is important to them and explored their role in the greater ecosystem. We added 'Find Us' Friday where the public can come in and inquire about our members and ask tech-related questions. We also hosted our first Chamber Business After Hours event- BASEcamp was a very full house! Third Thursdays TECHconnect is going strong as are quarterly BASEcamp Gallery exhibits, and we started season three of CODEcamp.

# **RESIDENT UPDATES**

We now have Telemedicine represented at BASEcamp. Dr. Alicia Watson, MD, working with Iris Telehealth, moved into Station #5. The ability to seamlessly video-conference is testament to the high quality internet at BASEcamp thanks to Hargray!



# **NEW MEMBERS**



KB Design focuses on corporate design, marketing assets development, general visual content development for various media from all things print to digital design, from video to animation, from 3D visualizations to environmental design. Katja is ready to work with your corporate campaign ideas.



Illustrategy, provides consulting services in data science, computer software and video game design and development, as well as graphic and web design. You may notice something familiar: it's BASEcamp resident (& USCB's) Brian Canada! Dr. Canada's Bugs 'N Boo Hags video game project is inspired by the history and folklore of the South Carolina Lowcountry.



<u>SNS Technologies</u> specializes in services for complete Office Network Infrastructure to small business or personal computing support. *More than just your IT Department.* What's recently trending: network, server, and individual security to protect your data and your client's data.

# **RENEWING MEMBERS**



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InsureSign is a provider of electronic signature software across multiple industries. We are helping thousands of businesses close deals more efficiently across the US and Canada.



e-FLY Productions specializes in video storytelling for healthcare, research, science and technology organization. We combine compelling video with Google and Facebook advertising to generate clients revenue with a measurable return on investment.

Miller Design & Marketing provides graphic design, advertising, and creative services, plus marketing planning and support to small businesses and organizations.



# **NEWS + NOTES**

The year started out with a nice <u>article</u> in *The Hilton Head Monthly*:

Information Highway, BEAUFORT DIGITAL CORRIDOR LOOKS TO 2019 FOR GROWTH... and went on to describe "From college students to recent retirees, the Beaufort Digital Corridor has attracted a variety of skills to the Lowcountry in its first two years."





#### **COMMUNITY**

- TECHconnect has seen new faces at every event this year
- Fridays @ the Corridor introduced an alternating
   'Find Us' Friday, and we saw the Lady's Island Middle

  School 8th grade robotics Team Prometheus talk
   about their road to VEX Worlds



## **TALENT**

- Tech Entrepreneur Series debuted in January, a collaboration with USCB and presented by entrepreneur <u>Kevin Klingler</u>, BDC Board Chair
- CODEcamp started its third class in March with instructor Matt Shaw, Sr Software Engineer
- Tech-related companies (member or not) can take advantage of a free listing in <u>LowcountryWorks</u> - and job seekers can utilize this resource to find work in the area



## **SPACES**

- We now have a comprehensive <u>BASEcamp brochure</u> that outlines all we have to offer, including offices, coworking, conference and other facility use
- BASEcamp Gallery presented a 'Juxtaposition' of artwork with Omar "Omally" Patterson's larger than life portraits and Angela O'Neal's abstract oils as our winter art installation



### **CAPITAL**

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Forward

Being involved in the Corridor means helping to shape the future in Beaufort and beyond. We invite you to follow your curiosity and come through our doors!

Shelley Barratt, Program Manager
 Beaufort Digital Corridor

