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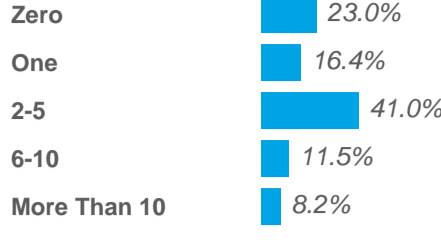
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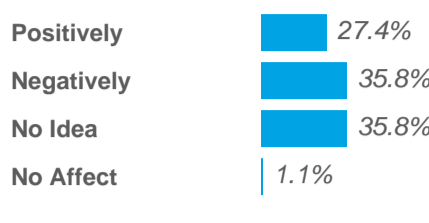
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Online Poll Results

How many domain names do you personally own for potential future business ideas?



Will the next 4 years with the Trump administration affect you and your business positively or negatively?



Have a poll suggestion? [Let us know >](#)

From the Director

Spring is upon us! Or was it with is for the last three months? Thankfully, we can leave the global warming debate to the politicians...oops, I mean climate scientists. Spring brings the Digital Corridor's annual [iFiveK](#), our tech company focused fun race and networking event. As 2017 rolls along, Charleston's tech economy is abuzz with activity - acquisitions, yet another national accolade, company expansions and recognitions, and [more](#). No hype here, just the real deal.

Welcome New Members

The Digital Corridor is pleased to welcome the following new member and partner companies:

2nd Floor Co.

COMPANY

2nd Floor Co. designs and develops user interfaces and experiences for mobile applications, websites, and social media campaigns.

McNair Law Firm

PARTNER

McNair continues to meet the changing needs of its clients, helping them address the challenges and opportunities of every economic cycle.

Charleston County Economic Development

PARTNER

The Charleston County Economic Development is dedicated to recruiting new business, growing existing industries, and improving the Charleston business climate.

netGALAXY Studios

COMPANY

netGALAXY Studios is a mobile technology company that strives to serve the worldwide market of progressive-minded businesses by translating ideas for technological advancement into user-friendly realities aimed at business growth.

Critical Mix

PARTNER

Critical Mix provides research professionals with easy and reliable access to high-quality research insights, giving them more time to innovate, deliver value to customers and grow business.

School Search K12

COMPANY

The mission of School Search K12 is to provide families and businesses with comprehensive school insights, professional advice and equal access to the most-fitting education options in the Berkeley, Charleston and Dorchester areas of South Carolina.

Expo Trade Exhibits

INVESTOR

ExpoTrade Exhibits has one goal: to ensure you get the right trade shoe display for your requirements and budget.

Snagajob

COMPANY

Snagajob provides talent management solutions for the service industry. Their mission is to transform the workplace by providing managers and employees with the tools to make a difference - because happy, engaged employees and managers lead to exemplary customer service.

Industrica

COMPANY

Industrica provides boutique investment banking services and strategic solutions for valued individuals and organizations in need of real world results.

The Iron Yard

COMPANY

The Iron Yard exists to create real, lasting change for people, companies and communities through technology education.

Interested in becoming a Corridor member? [Learn more >](#)

COMMUNITY

2017 iFiveK

The 11th Annual iFiveK is a week away - Thursday April 13, 2017. If you don't have a ticket...skip the gym and [get one](#). This weekday evening race is the hands-down favorite run and networking event for Charleston's tech professionals. Want proof? Check out our [pictures](#) and [video](#) from last years race.

Have a great time while raising money for CODEcamp scholarships, and don't forget to toot your digital corridor kazoo from [America's only kazoo company](#). For updates on the race, follow us [@iFiveK](#) and like us on [Facebook](#) to be sure you're among the first to know! See you at the START line!

TALENT

CODEcamp

First there was [CODEcamp](#), then [Iron Yard-Charleston](#), followed by the [JRS Coding School](#). Charleston's tech ed landscape is evolving rapidly with choices ranging from our convenient and affordable CODEcamp program all the way to a PhD in Computer Science at the new [Clemson Graduate Center](#) in North Charleston. We led way in 2012 and thankfully, we are not alone anymore.

However, after 2,000+ attendees, Charleston evolving tech landscape, and in light of several new code education offerings in Charleston, we are going under the hood to update our CODEcamp program to better serve the community. Come out to our [CODEcamp meetup](#) in June to learn about our program improvements. Can't wait to learn more? [Contact me](#).

What about the kids? This summer the Digital Corridor is offering two CODEcamp Kids Summer Camps for middle schoolers. [Learn more and register here](#).

CharlestonCodes

Speaking of technical education, I was amazed at the number of offerings, and then confused as to why there was no single up-to-date portal to get information about programs and events. Enter [CharlestonCodes™](#) - a directory of all known education institutions, coding initiatives, and community events featuring computer programming/code education in Charleston. Watch as our residents pass along information about tech ed offerings and this community-sourced portal grows.

SPACES

Flagships

The [Flagships](#) continue to be the [go-to place](#) for early-stage tech companies in Charleston. Congrats to [Catalytic Data Science](#) for graduating into our community and continuing down the path to business success. If you are a tech company seeking transitional high quality office space, please visit our [website](#) to check availability. Psst! We have no fancy espresso machines....just a Starbucks next door.

We took a break from [FS3](#) to work on [BASEcamp](#) in Beaufort. Back on it with a sense of urgency so we don't become a homeless victim to Charleston's scarce hotel/high priced apartment sites.

BASEcamp

[BASEcamp](#) is now [open](#). Like the Flagships, this downtown facility plays host to Beaufort's tech and knowledge-based community, . The [Beaufort Digital Corridor](#) is patterned after the Charleston Digital Corridor and is nuanced for Beaufort, a beautiful and historic coastal city committed to supporting entrepreneurs. BDC manager, [Karen Warner](#), is happy to give you an orientation to the community and a quick tour.

CAPITAL

Capital Update

Reports from the field and key professionals is that early-stage capital is getting harder to come by. That said, and companies demonstrating a solid value proposition will still get the funds they need to grow and thrive. Persevere!

Did You Know?

Charleston is ranked Number 25 on the "Startup Economy Index" by Washington-based innovation advocacy group, [TechNet](#). These accolades are flattering and consistent with [others](#) bestowed upon one of America's greatest cities.

Thanks to Our Partners



Special Thanks to Recent CODEcamp Kids Supporters

Many thanks to the following individuals and organizations for supporting the CDC Education Foundation's goal to ensure classroom diversity through our CODEcamp Kids scholarship fund. [Contact me](#) to support this mission.

[Blue Key](#)

[Cantey Tech Consulting](#)

[Dan McDonough](#)

[Snagajob](#)

[Carepoint](#)

[eGroup](#)



Charleston Free WiFi

With 12 parks in the Charleston area with [free WiFi](#), take your work outside to enjoy the beautiful Charleston spring weather.

Thank you for your continued support of the Charleston Digital Corridor. Our success is a reflection of our terrific engagement and collaboration. Continued success!!

– Ernest Andrade, Director

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