



The Elgin, Middlesex, Oxford
Local Training Board

Commission locale de
formation pour les comtés
d'Elgin, de Middlesex et d'Oxford

Monthly Update

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In collaboration with Industry Canada, Community Futures Development Corporation of Middlesex County delivers the Small Business Internship Program that provides support to Canadian small and medium-sized businesses in Southwestern Ontario to help them develop information and communication technologies (ICT) projects to increase their productivity and competitiveness. The program offers financial support to businesses allowing them to hire a post secondary student under 30 years of age.

For more information visit: [The Business Help Centre](#)



The Oxford Small Business Support Centre is pleased to announce that applications are being accepted for grants that do not exceed \$3-5,000 per project and doesn't exceed 50% of the project costs. This grant money is for Municipalities and registered NON-PROFIT organizations in Oxford County only.

For more info: [Oxford Small Business Support Centre](#)



The Ability First Coalition in partnership with the Employment Sector Council of London Middlesex is hosting a workshop for employers wishing to learn more about the Accessibility Standards for Customer Service that they will be required to comply with in less than two years.

Thursday, April 29th 2010 at the Skill Centre's 6th Floor Boardroom, 141 Dundas St., London, from 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. \$40 per person includes coffee, lunch and handouts. Pre-registration is required.

More information & registration form are available at: www.abilityfirst.on.ca.



EMOLTB interviewed local businesses in specific key areas to identify the reasons behind the growth or decline in their sector. **Focus on Specialty Trade Contractors** captures the findings in this specific sector.

The report and findings are available at: [Focus on Specialty Trade Contractors](#)



Fanshawe College has just come on board as one of the lead sponsors of SLOME. Fanshawe College and London Life now share this champion role.

To see all sponsors and exhibitors go to: [SLOME](#)

SLOME 2010 is May 12, 2010. Volunteer opportunities are available call Kathryn at 519-672-3499 or register online: www.SLOME.org



The Employment Service Providers in Elgin, Middlesex and Oxford are now accepting applications through the Summer Job for youth program. Contact your local Employment Service Provider for more information or go to:

YOUTHCONNECT.CA

"It's kind of fun to do the impossible."

Walt Disney (1901-1966)