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Carolina Connect 2010: Innovation & Intrapreneurship

Thursday, May 13 2010, 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. ♦ Renaissance Asheville Downtown

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- * 10 free conference registrations
- * Reserved seating for opening session
- * Reserved table for luncheon keynote with VIPs
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- * 2 free conference registrations
- * Exhibit space in networking hall
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The Carolina Connect Entrepreneur and Investor Conference attracted more than 360 attendees last year from across the Southeast. We are looking for an organization that would like the opportunity to supply the lanyard that attendees will put their nametag on for the 7th Annual Carolina Connect.

Critical Conversations Networking Café: \$1,000 *(10 sponsorship packages available)*

Introduced at last year's conference and hailed as a crowd favorite, this dynamic series of PowerPoint-free environments is designed to be conversational and informal, led by an industry expert from the sponsoring organizations. Registered attendees will take their pick and move from space to space, which is encouraged.

Currently seeking companies to sponsor following topics, but open to ideas:

- * Mobile Devices
- * Investment Deal Structures
- * Biz Boost
- * Media Relations
- * Website Optimization

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