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What: Irvine Micropreneur Program

Where: Online

When: Noon-1pm

How much? FREE
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June 3, 2011

Who: *VIP Reception and Lunch with William Wang
CEO of Vizio*

What: Legends & Leaders

Where: Hyatt Irvine

When: VIP Reception - 11:00am
Lunch - 12pm

How much? Members \$65 Visitors \$75 VIP
Experience \$120

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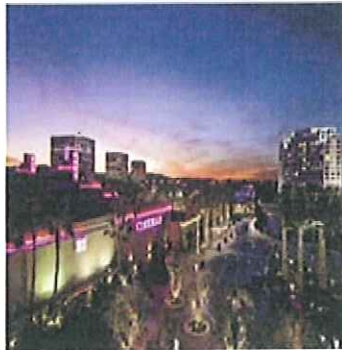
June 9, 2011

Who: *Imports, Sourcing, and Investment
Opportunities for U.S. Businesses: Taiwan*

What: Irvine Global Markets Webinar

Where: Online

When: 3pm-4pm



Angel Investor Series: 6 tips for raising venture capital - Part Six

-Chris Lynch

Tip #6: An Interview with Stewart Roberts, President, Tech
Coast Angels.

Venture capitalists will pick apart your projections, operations
and vision. You probably already have a great instinctive feel
for your business, but the challenge when dealing with VCs is
being able to succinctly articulate your experience. Keep in

mind the VCs are financiers, so the ability to talk about your operations, growth, etc. using
numbers is critical to impressing venture professionals..

[Watch the interview](#)

California Ranks #1 on 36 of 48 lists in 16 Industries

According to Bizminer, an economic development consulting firm that tracks 13 million
businesses and branch offices, California isn't dead. It's not even dying, despite reports that
place the Golden State near or at the bottom of such things as business friendliness, and best
places to grow a business.

Bottom line: California ranks Number 1 in 36 out of 48 lists in 16 industries.

[Read the full article](#)

IRVINE POLICE DEPARTMENT *"In Partnership with the Community"* **NEWS RELEASE**

Irvine - America's Safest City for a Seventh Consecutive Year

IRVINE, CA (May 23, 2011): Today, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) released national
Part I crime data for 2010. Part I crimes include murder, rape, robbery, aggravated assault,
burglary, larceny-theft, auto theft and arson.

Based on the data released, Irvine continues to have the lowest violent crime rate for cities with
more than 100,000 residents. Additionally, Irvine was lowest for overall Part I crime.

This year's report reveals a decline in every major category from the previous year (2009)

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June 16, 2011

Who: *The Essence of Zentrepneurism*

What: Irvine Micropreneur Program

Where: Online

When: Noon-1pm

How much? FREE

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June 23, 2011

Who: *How to Get Your Company Acquired*

What: Irvine Micropreneur Program

Where: Online

When: Noon-1pm

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including an 18.3% drop in the rate of violent crime which stands as the lowest violent crime rate in the City's history! The information marks a continuation of what is now a seven-year run as America's safest city.

"Cities' crime rates tend to grow as the population grows. But not in Irvine," said Mayor Sukhee Kang. "We are a Top 100 city in terms of population with more than 212,000 residents, yet we remain No. 1. This seven-year accomplishment is truly remarkable. A safe city requires dedication from our Public Safety Department as well as other staff, and from our residents. And, being a safe city is a City Council priority second to none. We are thankful to all involved and very proud."

"I am truly grateful for the outstanding work done each and every day by the men and women of the Irvine Police Department as well as the unwavering support of our City's leaders," said Irvine Chief of Police David Maggard. "Our residents and members of our business community can be very proud of this great news!"

Irvine attributes its long standing success to a combination of dedicated and professional law enforcement personnel, a community that is engaged and caring, and City leadership whose focus on community safety is unparalleled.

Vote for the 2012 Irvine Entrepreneur Forum Schedule!

Let us know which format you would prefer for IEF 2012. Your input/suggestions are welcome.

Program itinerary - **Version 1**

This strategy creates an exclusive cache where you have to pay more to hear the keynote speech during the luncheon prior to the actually IEF, so if people only wanted to attend the lunch they could do so, but pay accordingly. We also wanted to split the two Shark Tank presentations allowing for people to move around between sessions.

Program itinerary - **Version 2**

This program call for no VIP luncheon (to keep costs down) and have the keynote during the cocktail hour in an effort to keep attendees there throughout the event and for the people that cannot attend the IEF, but want to hear the keynote after work. Goal here is to reduce costs, but appeal to various groups and work schedules.

[Click here to take the survey!](#)



For a complete listing of all upcoming events, click below:



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The Irvine Chamber of Commerce leads the economic development efforts of the City of Irvine. The Chamber has four overall economic development goals: Retaining existing businesses and helping them expand, Incubating new businesses, Attracting new businesses, and Supporting international business.

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