

Columbia Gorge Economic Symposium

Friday, November 2, 2018, 9:00 a.m.

Civic Auditorium, 323 East 4th Street, The Dalles, OR

Agenda

Doors open at 8:30 a.m. for refreshments and networking.

- 9:00 a.m. Welcome and Introductions
Ken Bailey, Board Chair, Mid-Columbia Economic Development District
- 9:10 a.m. Opening Remarks
Esina Alic, CEO, Insitu
- 9:35 a.m. Connecting with the Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy
Amanda Hoey, Executive Director, Mid-Columbia Economic Development District
- 9:45 a.m. Local Data, Regional Trends and Economic Forecasts
Scott Bailey, Washington Regional Economist
Dallas Fridley, Oregon Regional Economist
- 10:15 a.m. Break, networking
- 10:30 a.m. Panel Discussion: The Gorge's Tech Industry Looks to the Future
How can we support continued success in this industry?
Moderated by Jessica Metta, Gorge Tech Alliance, with Panelists:
- *Tabitha Colie, Seeq*
 - *Greg Davis, Overwatch Imaging*
 - *Tom Furey, Sagetech*
 - *Dave Karlson, Google*
 - *Andy Mack, Zepher*
- 12:15 p.m. Closing remarks
- 12:30 p.m. Adjourn and networking

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