2021 EVENT CALENDAR

JANUARY 21, 2021
COLUMBUS, OH
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Oct. 8, 2020
Contact: Lisa Dore

JANUARY 28, 2021
CINCINNATI, OH
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Oct. 8, 2020
Contact: Meredith Rankin

FEBRUARY 11, 2021
NORTHEAST OHIO
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Dec. 18, 2020
Contact: Lisa Dore

FEBRUARY 18, 2021
MILWAUKEE, WI
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Dec. 18, 2020
Contact: Lisa Dore

FEBRUARY 25, 2021
NORTHEAST OHIO
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Dec. 18, 2020
Contact: Lisa Dore

MARCH 4, 2021
PITTSBURGH, PA
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Apr. 23, 2021
Contact: Lisa Dore

APRIL 13, 2021
NORTHEAST OHIO
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Jan. 16, 2021
Contact: Kate Stucky

APRIL 22, 2021
NASHVILLE, TN
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Apr. 23, 2021
Contact: Lisa Dore

MAY 6, 2021
ST. LOUIS, MO
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Apr. 23, 2021
Contact: Lisa Dore

MAY 25, 2021
DETROIT, MI
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Apr. 23, 2021
Contact: Meredith Rankin

JUNE 2 & 3, 2021
COLUMBUS, OH
VIRTUAL JUDGING
Nominations Due: Apr. 23, 2021
Contact: Lisa Dore

JUNE 9, 2021
BALTIMORE, MD
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Apr. 23, 2021
Contact: Lisa Dore

JUNE 29, 2021
CLEVELAND, OH
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Apr. 23, 2021
Contact: Lisa Dore

JULY 15, 2021
COLUMBUS, OH
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Apr. 23, 2021
Contact: Lisa Dore

SEPTEMBER 2021
NORTHEAST OHIO
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Jan. 16, 2021
Contact: Meredith Rankin

SEPTEMBER 29, 2021
COLUMBUS, OH
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Jan. 16, 2021
Contact: Lisa Dore

OCTOBER 7, 2021
AKRON/CANTON, OH
VIRTUAL EVENT
Nominations Due: Jan. 16, 2021
Contact: Meredith Rankin

OCTOBER 15, 2021
SOUTHWEST (AZ/TX)
LOCATION TBA
Nominations Due: Aug. 6, 2021
Contact: Lisa Dore

OCTOBER 2021
NORTHEAST OHIO
LOCATION TBA
Nominations Due: Aug. 6, 2021
Contact: Meredith Rankin

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NOVEMBER 2021
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NORTHEAST OHIO
LOCATION TBA
Nominations Due: Aug. 6, 2021
Contact: Meredith Rankin

DECEMBER 2021
NORTHEAST OHIO
LOCATION TBA
Nominations Due: Sept. 16, 2021
Contact: Kate Stucky

JANUARY 2022
CINCINNATI, OH
LOCATION TBA
Nominations Due: Oct. 8, 2021
Contact: Lisa Dore

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SUBJECT TO CHANGE. AS OF 05.05.21.
SMART BUSINESS DEALMAKERS CONFERENCE
A coming together of top entrepreneurs, investors and advisers from the region for a one-day conference focused on identifying and optimizing opportunity. This conference will include a series of keynote speakers, roundtables, panels, one-on-one networking and awards.

EVOLUTION OF MANUFACTURING CONFERENCE & AWARDS
The eVolution of Manufacturing Awards recognizes manufacturers and technology companies that have adapted to a global economy through improved operations, products or services.

SMART CULTURE CONFERENCE & AWARDS
The Smart Culture Conference explores how culture can become an asset to drive performance, transform your organization into an employer-of-choice and ultimately impact the bottom line. The Smart Culture Awards spotlights leading companies where culture plays a crucial role in a company’s success.

SMART WOMEN BREAKFAST & AWARDS
The Smart Women Awards recognizes the achievements of leading businesswomen, inspiring male advocates and effective women’s programs. It combines a live event and content—digital and print—to address today’s issues facing women in the workplace.

SMART 50 AWARDS
The Smart 50 Awards recognizes the top executives of 50 prominent companies in the region for their ability to effectively build and lead savvy organizations in the areas of innovation, impact and sustainability.

FAMILY BUSINESS CONFERENCE
An interactive workshop with leading industry experts that feature two panel discussions and a series of awards—for both family businesses and for non-family businesses that have reached the 50-year milestone and beyond.

CASCADE CAPITAL BUSINESS GROWTH AWARDS
The Business Growth Awards, presented by Cascade Capital Corp., honor businesses in the Akron/Canton area that have achieved significant sales or employment growth over a 5-year period.

PILLAR AWARD FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE
The Pillar Award for Community Service honors businesses and individuals dedicated to making their region a better place to live while demonstrating the tie between the for-profit and non-profit worlds.