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YOU'RE CORDIALLY INVITED TO

Women's Business

EMPOWERMENT LUNCHEON

**CORPORATE INVESTMENT
OPPORTUNITIES**

FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 2025

11:30 AM - 2:30 PM

PARX CASINO EAST



Empowering Black Women Entrepreneurs: An Investment Opportunity

Building on the success of its inaugural cohort, the African American Chamber of Commerce (AACC) proudly announces the second cohort of the Women's Business Accelerator Program. This initiative **continues to empower high-achieving Black women entrepreneurs** by fostering community, collaboration, and professional growth.

Your sponsorship of the Women's Business Empowerment Luncheon, **powered by the American Chamber of Commerce Foundation** (a 501(c)(3) organization), directly supports this transformative accelerator program. Your investment will **help provide essential resources, mentorship, and business development opportunities to Black women entrepreneurs** who are scaling their businesses and shaping the region's economy.

During the luncheon, you will have the opportunity to learn more about the dynamic women business owners who have successfully completed the first cohort of the Women's Business Accelerator. Additionally, we will officially open applications for the second cohort, continuing our mission to empower the next generation of Black women business leaders. This is more than an event—**it's a moment to invest in sustainable economic empowerment and equity**. Together, we can help Black women entrepreneurs thrive and create lasting impact in our communities.

2025 Women's Business Empowerment Luncheon Advisory Council

Judge Renee Cardwell Hughes
The Hughes Group

Anna Cottone Lloyd
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United Bank of Philadelphia

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Commerce Foundation

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The Philadelphia Sunday Sun

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WOMEN'S BUSINESS ACCELERATOR POWERED BY THE AACC FOUNDATION

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KEY PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- **Support and Growth:**
 - Equip Black women entrepreneurs, solopreneurs, and business leaders with resources to scale their businesses and expand their networks.
- **Sustained Connections:**
 - Strengthen relationships among participants, cultivating a supportive community that drives individual and collective success.
- **Diverse Partnerships:**
 - Facilitate partnerships with women in senior leadership and board roles to enhance access to new opportunities and influence in key business ecosystems.
- **Exclusive Learning Experiences:**
 - Cohort members gain access to curated workshops, mentoring sessions, and industry insights designed to address challenges faced by Black women in business.
- **Networking Events:**
 - A series of six (6) in-person events over six months, blending learning and social opportunities to deepen connections among participants.
- **Focus on Impact:**
 - Empowering participants to share insights and support one another, fostering lasting personal and professional relationships.



INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES

\$10,000 – Champion Sponsor

- Exclusive Table for 8 with premier seating
- Sponsor a Woman-Owned Business for the Women’s Business Accelerator (Cohort 2)
- Mentorship Opportunity – Engage in a one-year mentorship with the sponsored business
- Logo Placement on event signage, program, and digital promotions
- Digital Ad on screens at event
- Recognition in Social Media & AACC Newsletter (2 posts + dedicated feature)
- Company Branded Promotional Items to distribute at the event

\$5,000 – Advocate Sponsor

- Reserved premium seating for 6
- Sponsor a Woman-Owned Business for the Women’s Business Accelerator (Cohort 2)
- Mentorship Opportunity – Engage in a one-year mentorship with the sponsored business
- Logo Placement on event signage and program
- Digital Ad on screens at event
- Recognition in Social Media & AACC Newsletter
- Company Branded Promotional Items to distribute at the event

\$2,500 – Supporter Sponsor

- Reserved seating for 4
- Logo Placement on event signage and program
- Digital Ad on screens at event
- Recognition in Social Media & AACC Newsletter

\$1,000 – Ally Sponsor

- Reserved seating for 2
- Logo Placement on event signage and program
- Recognition in AACC Newsletter

To confirm your commitment, contact Felicia D. Williams at fharris@aachamber.org or call (267) 571-1602.

