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Downtown Topeka

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The Gig:

Manager, Entrepreneurship and Small Business

GO Topeka is looking for a motivated professional to help lead the charge to attract, retain and grow innovative startups and small businesses for our community.

The Manager, Entrepreneurship and Small Business will report to the SVP Innovation but also works with the whole team of the Greater Topeka Partnership to help position Topeka as a leader in economic development. With Topeka's new emphasis on innovation and entrepreneurship as a tool to create jobs and attract capital investments, this role will directly engage all facets of the entrepreneurial ecosystem, including growth oriented small businesses, startups and innovative organizations. He/she will manage many of the programming designed to support entrepreneurs and innovators and support the SVP Innovation to establish and foster relationships with local, regional and national partners. At GO Topeka, we take a holistic approach to ecosystem development because the success of our startups and small businesses depends on many factors, including having the right talent available, gaining direct access to relevant resources, incentives, investors and finding strength in connecting with peers. Strong customer focus and an eye for identifying opportunities for collaboration, creating new value and making our entrepreneurs more successful are important.

If you are a problem solver, have a passion for entrepreneurship and are excited about spreading the word that Topeka is the right place to start and grow a business in animal health, agricultural technology or any other field, please consider joining our team. In this position you will quickly have a direct impact and help make Topeka a haven for entrepreneurs in the Midwest.

The Greater Topeka Partnership's mission is to be the catalyst for economic prosperity within our community. The organization has gained international attention for its aggressive and innovative economic development strategies.

GO Topeka's mission is to create county-wide economic success for all companies and citizens through implementation of an aggressive economic development strategy that capitalizes on the unique strengths of the community.

Interested candidates should send cover letter, and resume to Yesy Lawrence. The deadline is Monday, June 7, 2021.



<u>TopekaPartnership.com</u> <u>ChooseTopeka.com</u>

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Make It Yours

Topeka is a place where we value individuality. Ideas are celebrated and supported. If you want to change the world, start in Topeka.

Small Business Awards

Forge Yoga

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Live a Vibrant Life

#TopekeProud

Topeka is small enough to be shaped by big dreams, but big enough to have everything you need for a dream life.

Kansas River

Leadership Greater Topeka

Put Your Aspirations to Work

We want fresh ideas, energy, and passion to help market Topeka to the rest of the world as an ideal business destination. Are you our next leader?