

CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

18–22 SEPTEMBER 2006

MICROFINANCE NETWORK ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2006: LONDON, ENGLAND

This event is sponsored by the MicroFinance Network. It will include a special joint meeting with the Council of Microfinance Equity Funds. The event is open only to members of the MicroFinance Network.

For more information, visit <http://www.mfnetwork.org/conferences.html>.

19–21 SEPTEMBER 2006

2006 ASSETS LEARNING CONFERENCE — “A LIFETIME OF ASSETS: BUILDING FAMILIES, COMMUNITIES & ECONOMIES”: PHOENIX, ARIZONA

This conference is sponsored by the Corporation for Enterprise Development (CFED). More information can be found at <http://www.assetsconference.org>.

OCTOBER

DATES TBA

MICROFRANCHISE LEARNING LAB: NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK

This learning lab will be sponsored by the BYU Economic Self-Reliance Center’s MicroFranchise Development Initiative. For more information, contact Jason Fairbourne at jason.fairbourne@byu.edu.

1 OCTOBER 2006 – 30 NOVEMBER 2006

MICROFINANCE IV CONGRESS: LIMA, PERU

This conference is sponsored by World Savings Banks Institute (WSBI). More information will be coming soon on WSBI’s website: <http://www.savings-banks.com>.

4 – 7 OCTOBER 2006

PROLITERACY WORLDWIDE 2006 ANNUAL CONFERENCE: ATLANTA, GEORGIA

For more information, visit <http://www.proliteracy.org/conference>.

23–27 OCTOBER 2006

SMALL ENTERPRISE EDUCATION AND PROMOTION (SEEP) NETWORK CONFERENCE — “INVESTING IN THE MAJORITY”: WASHINGTON, DC

For more information about SEEP and the Annual Conference, please contact Johanna Somers at somers@seepnetwork.org. For conference sponsorship opportunities please contact Melissa Nussbaum at nussbaum@seepnetwork.org. For conference updates please visit the SEEP website at www.seepnetwork.org.

NOVEMBER

12–15 NOVEMBER 2006

GLOBAL MICROCREDIT SUMMIT 2006: HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA, CANADA

This year’s summit has numerous sponsors, including Johnson & Johnson, Omidyar Network, and Monsanto Fund. More information can be found at <http://www.globalmicrocreditsummit2006.org>.