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Building the Startup City of the South.

Events Coming up for Fayetteville Entrepreneurs:

Nov 6 - Veteran Venture Leaders

Nov 7 - Venture Mashup with Juice Palm

Nov 30 - Startup Weekend Makerspaces

Dec 4 - Coffee+E

Through September and October, we had multiple events discussing scientific breakthroughs and the resulting new tools available to entrepreneurs including Blockchain and Exponential Technologies.

Blockchain Hackathon

Sixty-five students from across the University of Arkansas each worked more than a dozen hours to push the limits of blockchain technology and propose creative and imaginative solutions for six use cases posed by Northwest Arkansas industries. On Oct. 27-28, students from disciplines across the university formed problem-solving hackathon teams to learn the latest blockchain technology and take on business-case challenges from Walmart, Tyson Foods and J.B. Hunt Transport Inc. The students ranged in experience from freshmen to doctoral candidates and came from the Sam M. Walton College of Business, J. William Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences, Dale Bumpers College of Agriculture, Food and Life Sciences, and the Graduate School and International Education. [Read the full article here.](#)



Singularity University: Exponential Technologies

Exponential technologies are those which are rapidly accelerating and shaping major industries and all aspects of our lives. Exponential technologies include artificial intelligence (AI), augmented and virtual reality (AR, VR), data science, digital biology and biotech, medicine, nanotech and digital fabrication, networks and computing systems, robotics, and autonomous vehicles. These technologies can shape entrepreneurship and innovation for a region. [You can read more here](#)



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1,318

Fayetteville entrepreneurs served at 12 different events through September and October

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Fayetteville entrepreneurs served in February through free one-on-one consulting

- 12 Women Ventures
- 3 Minority Ventures
- 3 Veteran Venture



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