

Helping Businesses Grow & Succeed

Florida SBDC at UWF

UNIVERSITY of College
WEST FLORIDA of Business

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What is the Florida SBDC?

- Florida Small Business Development Center
- Government organization serving Florida's businesses
- Designated by the State of Florida as the principal provider of business assistance services
- Mission: Deliver consulting, training, and information to help businesses succeed and create positive economic impact to Florida's economy



Who We Are





State Designated as Florida's Principal Provider of Business Assistance [288.001, Fla. Stat.]

Network of Partners

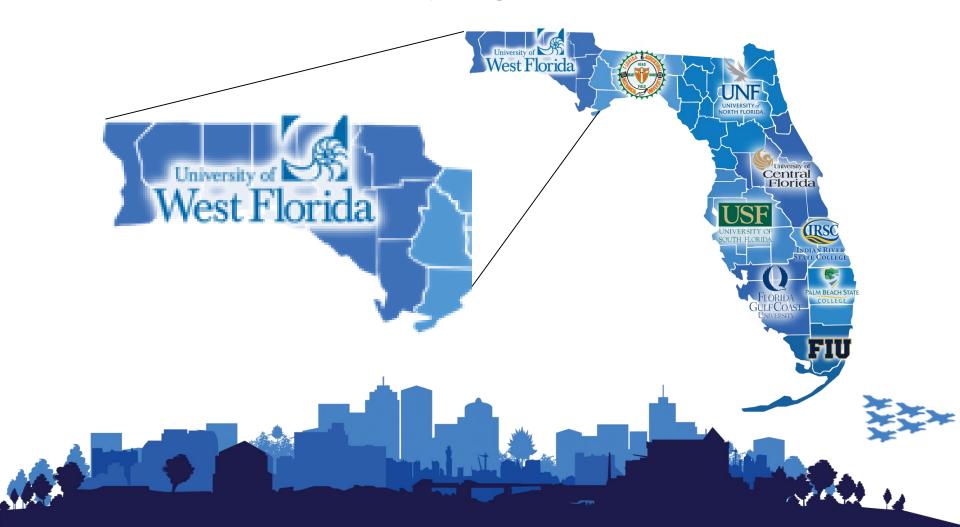
Over 100 partner organizations

- 9 Regional Offices, 45 Centers,
 70 outreach locations, including:
 - UWF
 - Headquarters
 - Regional Office
 - 8 Sister State Universities
 - 1 State College

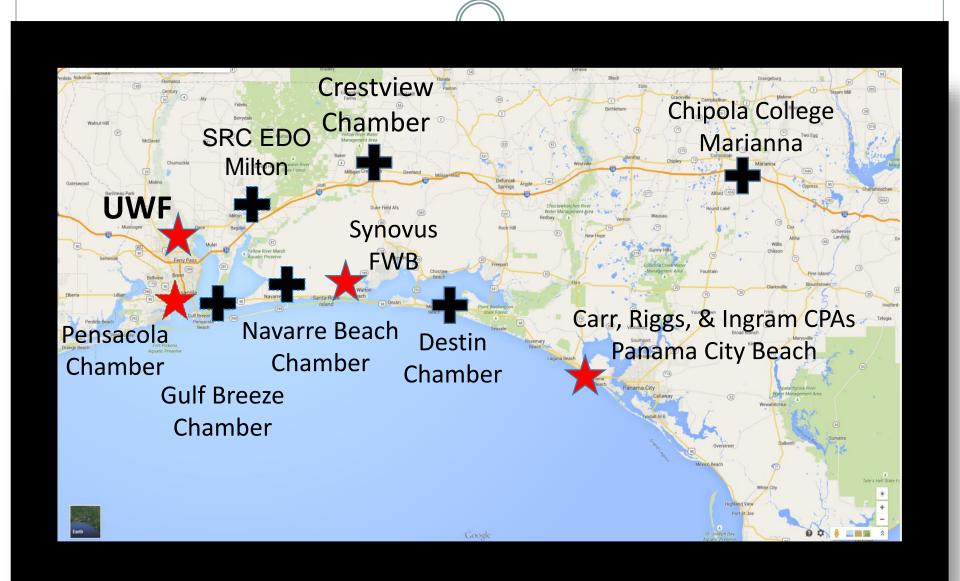


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UWF has a ten-county region (Central Time Zone)



FSBDC at UWF Region



Who We Serve



Pre-Venture Individuals *exploring business feasibility*



Start-up Businesses in-business for less than three years



SME Businesses *In-business for more than three years*

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What We Do

• Business & Management Training
Basics to advanced topics

Research, Data & Information

Current and expansive business information for better decision-making

Professional Business Consulting

Personalized, confidential and provided at no cost by experienced and credentialed consultants

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Who Does

 Experienced Professionals hundreds of years of business ownership experience

Certified and Credentialed

maintains professional licenses and certificates in professional areas of expertise

Community Based
live and work in the community they serve

Results Driven
 maintain professional licenses and certificates in areas of expertise

Professionally Certified Business Consultants and Trainers



No-Cost Consulting Services

- Financial and Cash Flow Analysis
- Marketing and Sales
- Government Contracting (PTAC)
- Business Planning
- Loan Packaging
- Human Resources
- Growth Acceleration
- Business Valuations
- Market and Industry Research
- Business Start-Up



Special Projects

- Small Business Management (SBM) Program
- Florida Small Business Emergency Bridge Loan
 - Over \$21 million in loans for Hurricane Michael
- UWF Business Academy

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Recent Disaster Assistance

Hurricane Michael

- Immediately sent emails to FSBDC database regarding FSBDC assistance with recovery
- Deployed MAC Units.
- Opened Disaster / Business Recovery Centers
- Disaster Response/ Business Continuity Assistance
- SBA Disaster Loan Documents
- Florida Small Business Emergency Bridge Loan
 - Coordinator for this program



MAC Unit

- Immediate Response
- In the heart of Affected Areas
- Trained/experienced Consultants





Student Engagement

- UWF College of Business
- Mission: high quality, student-orientated, educational experience for business students
- Educated over 2,500 students
- Student engagement and work experience
- Executive Mentor Program
- Internships
- Graduate Assistantships
- Faculty/Student/Business
 Projects



2018 Consulting / Training

- Total Clients Consulted = 1,320
- Total Consulting Hours = 15,500 (70% SMEs)
- Total Training Attendees = 708
- Total Training Events = 82





2018 Economic Impact (UWF)

- Client Impact Survey results Florida State University
- New Business Starts = 48
- Client Sales Increase = \$54.6 million
- Client Jobs Created or Retained = 5,072
- Client Capital Formation = \$31,6 million (74% loans)
- Client Government Contracts = \$92 million
- Total Jobs Impact = 5,072
- Total Sales Impact = \$554 million
- Total Gross Regional Impact = \$289 million





Some of our clients...















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Region of the Year Award &

Adam McCloskey - Florida State Star Award





Upcoming Training Events

- July 31 Starting a Business Chipola College
- Aug 22 PTAC Govt. Contracting 101 PCB
- Aug 30 Starting a Business PCB









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