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news for members

DEVELOPMENTS

Help MassEcon Celebrate 25 Years!

2018 marks MassEcon's 25th Anniversary and we're looking for ways to commemorate this milestone! If you're interested in sharing your creative ideas, please email [Annie](#) and she'll make sure you're part of the conversation!

Annual Corporate Welcome Reception

Companies new to Massachusetts will be recognized at the [Annual Corporate Welcome Reception](#) taking place with Featured Speaker Governor Charlie Baker on March 27 at Sanofi Genzyme in Cambridge.



2018 Corporate Welcome Honorees

Alexion: Connecticut → Boston
ASICS: California → Boston
Avianca Airlines: Colombia → Boston
CELLINK: Sweden → Cambridge
CILcare: France → Cambridge and Lexington
Fresenius Kabi Compounding: Germany → Canton
Histo-Scientific Research Laboratories: Virginia → Worcester
iboss: California → Boston
IndusPAD: California → Lawrence
Level: Spain → Boston
LexaGene: Canada → Beverly
Mustang Bio: New York → Waltham and Worcester
PainQx: New York → Boston
Smartsheet: Washington → Boston
StemTek Therapeutics: Spain → Cambridge
The Muck Boot Company: Rhode Island → Westwood
Tufin: Israel → Boston

2017 Annual Report

MassEcon's 2017 Annual Report is now available in print and online. Click [here](#) to view the online edition, which includes a recap of MassEcon's activity in 2017.

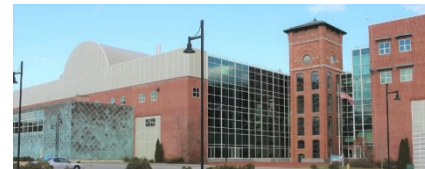


MassEcon is Looking for a Summer Intern!

We're seeking a full-time intern to join our small, active, and dynamic staff this summer (June-August). We're looking for a mature, currently enrolled student, with a positive, can-do outlook who can work constructively in a team-oriented environment. The primary buckets of work involve communications, research, writing, and event planning. Learn more [here](#).

New ReadyMass 100 Property Added

The ReadyMass 100 Evaluation Committee recently selected [IndusPAD](#) in Lawrence, bringing the total number of properties in the ReadyMass 100 portfolio to 84. To learn more, contact [Doug](#).



Join a MassEcon Committee

There are exciting ways to get more involved in MassEcon . . . join a Committee. Whether you're interested in or have expertise in Membership & Marketing, Programs & Events, Location Intelligence, Government Relations, or emerging leadership, we have a spot for you. Learn more [here](#).

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Committees

Membership & Marketing
Location Intelligence
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Upcoming Events

March Members Meeting

The Massachusetts Convention Center Authority:
Unheralded Economic Engine for the
Commonwealth

Friday, March 16

8:00-8:30 a.m. Registration and Networking

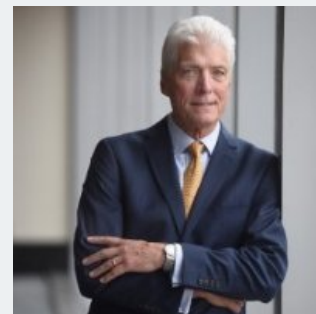
8:30-9:00 a.m. Members Business Meeting

9:00-10 a.m. Speaker and Q&A

Where

200 Friberg Parkway, Westborough, MA

RSVP to [Annie](#)



Corporate Welcome Reception

Featured Speaker: Governor
Charlie Baker

Tuesday, March 27
5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

MassEcon is proud to welcome new businesses to Massachusetts at our Annual Corporate Welcome Reception! This event brings together companies from diverse industries and regions who have chosen to make Massachusetts their new home.

Where
Sanofi Genzyme, 500 Kendall Street, Cambridge

Each member company receives 2 complimentary tickets. RSVP to [Annie](#).



Member Mixer (re-scheduled!)

Tuesday, April 24
5-7 p.m.

Come mix it up by joining us to

- Meet MassEcon staff and fellow members
- Meet New MassEcon Chairman Stephen Flavin
- Meet WPI innovators at their new Boston office
- Learn more about how you can get involved

Where
303 Congress Street (1st Floor), Boston

RSVP to [Annie](#)



May Members Meeting

Featured Speaker: Lauren Liss, President and
CEO of MassDevelopment

Friday, May 11
8:00-8:30 a.m. Registration and Networking
8:30-9:00 a.m. Members Business Meeting
9:00-10 a.m. Speaker and Q&A

Where
200 Friberg Parkway, Westborough, MA

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Welcome to MassEcon's newest member, and sponsor of the Corporate Welcome Reception, **Kronos**! Based in Lowell, Kronos is a workforce management solutions company and was the Northeast Region Gold winner at last year's Economic Impact Awards! The primary member contact is Senior Director of Global Real Estate and Facilities, [Jonathan Proffitt](#).

Bowditch & Dewey will be hosting a seminar series at the end of March and in early April to discuss topics including non-compete agreements and the #MeToo movement as it relates to higher education. Learn more [here](#).

Nearly 50 staffers from Transwestern, including former MassEcon Chairman Brian Cohen, recently joined real estate firm **CBRE/New England**.

Congratulations to board member Bill Harris who recently became Managing Director of **Perkins + Will's** New York office. Read more [here](#).

Congratulations to Tiffany Gallo who was recently promoted to Vice President, Project Development at **Cutler Associates**.

Congratulations to **Investment Consulting Associates** which is celebrating 10 years as a leader in corporate location consulting. Read more [here](#).

Please send Member News to [Annie](#).

#2874: Project Frontier: MassEcon has been assisting MassBio, MOBD, and MassDevelopment with a major biologics facility project managed by a national site location consulting firm based in the Midwest. The company is planning to invest \$315 million in a new 200,000 SF (future expansion possible) biologics facility representing 300 jobs, including skilled technicians, engineering, and management talent. Company representatives and consultants recently visited MA to discuss incentives programs and tour potential 30-acre sites in Devens and Westborough. The company is moving very quickly in order to produce a pharmaceutical product for the market. Site work will need to start in May, and construction needs to start no later than Q4 this year. The team was informed that other states are being considered.

Staff In Action

Susan Houston has been working with the Massachusetts Marketing Partnership Board to help refresh branding for Massachusetts, putting the finishing touches on the content for the Corporate Welcome Reception, and working with MassEcon's Program Committee to develop the line-up for MassEcon's June 1 Annual Conference. She's glad to report that TD Bank will be the lead sponsor for the Annual Conference and that Shirley Leung, columnist for the *Boston Globe*, will moderate the panel.

Doug Kehlhem has been on the road, attending the 495/MetroWest Corridor Partnership's Annual Conference; presenting the ReadyMass 100 program to community officials and real estate representatives at the Middlesex 3 Coalition Infrastructure and Transportation Committee Meeting; and participating at meetings in Devens and Westborough related to Project Frontier. He is now finalizing details for the April site selectors reception in Washington, DC.

Annie O'Connell attended the grand openings in Boston for the ASICS product creation lab and Tufin. She also participated in the Kendall Square Association Membership and Marketing Committee meeting, and is preparing for the Corporate Welcome Reception. Annie is also actively recruiting for MassEcon's summer interns!

JAN 19

Members Meeting

FEB 1

Board Meeting

MAR 16

Members Meeting

Featured Speaker: David Gibbons

MAR 27

Corporate Welcome Reception

APR 5

Board Meeting

APR 24

MassEcon Mixer

MAY 11

Members Meeting:

Featured Speaker: Lauren Liss

JUN 1

Annual Conference

JUN 7

Board Meeting

JUL 11

Summer Reception

SEP 12

Economic Impact Awards-Finalists Reception

SEP 28

Members Meeting

NOV 20

Team Massachusetts Economic
Impact Awards

DEC 13

Annual Meeting and Holiday Lunch

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