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GEW general information

For one week in November, millions of people around the world will join a growing movement to generate new ideas and to seek better ways of doing things. Countries across six continents are coming together to celebrate Global Entrepreneurship Week (GEW), an initiative to inspire our communities to embrace innovation, imagination and creativity. To think big. To turn their ideas into reality. To make their mark.

The Global Entrepreneurship Network (GEN) operates a platform of projects and programs in more than 200 countries aimed at making it easier for anyone, anywhere to start and scale-up a business.

By fostering deeper cross border collaboration and initiatives between entrepreneurs, investors, researchers, policymakers, and entrepreneurial support organizations, GEN works to fuel healthier start and scale ecosystems that create more jobs, educate individuals, accelerate innovation and strengthen economic growth. Through this initiative, the next generation of entrepreneurs will be inspired and can emerge. In doing so, they will begin to acquire the knowledge, skills and networks needed to grow innovative, sustainable enterprises that have a positive impact on their lives, their families and communities.

GEW in the Dutch Caribbean

In 2014 Global Entrepreneurship Network (GEN) granted a license to Fundashon Negoshi Pikiña (FNP) to hold a Global Entrepreneurship Week (GEW) every year on the islands of Dutch Caribbean. This year the GEW will be celebrated from November 13th to November 19th, 2023, on the islands of Curaçao, Bonaire, Sint Maarten and Sint Eustatius.

Sponsors and partners

The intent of the GEW is to collaborate with other organizations and partners, in order to highlight the importance of businesses for our local economy. Some of these activities are organized by the GEW Curaçao organizing committee, while other events are organized and hosted by a growing number of partnering organizations. A development that GEW Curaçao welcomes.

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GEW 2023 EVENTS

September 2, 2023

Building Bridges

Youth Debate competitions 'Building Bridges' - Powered by Debate.Ed.

Time: 8.30-14.30 - Location: Inter-Continental University of the Caribbean (ICUC).

September 3-10, 2023

Curacao Tech MeetUps

Keynote speeches, networking events, Expo's & more

Time: Full week - Location: Various

October 25, 2023

GEW 2023 Kick-off press conference

Announcement program to Press & Community

Time: 15.00 - 16.00 - Location: Kamer van Koophandel

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November 4, 2023

Futuro Muhé Conference 2023

Women shaping the future of entrepreneur - and leadership
Powered by The Fempire Society

Time: 8.30 - 14.00 - Location: Keizerhof - Luna Blou

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GEW WEEK EVENTS

November 13, 2023

Opening event GEW Curaçao 2023

Soft opening event with Nilda Pinto, Partners, Sponsors & Press

Time: 8.00 AM - 11.00 AM - Location: PWFC

November 13, 2023

Formalization of your Company

Hosted by: Curaçao Chamber of Commerce

Time: 18.00 - Location: Online Webinar

November 13, 2023

Official Opening

Keynote speeches by:

Guido Rojer Jr., Elgenia Pieterella & Arjen Korpel.

Time: 18.30 - 21.00 - Location: University of Curaçao

(By invite only)

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November 13-17, 2023

Entrepreneurship radio & TV Quiz

Hosted by TCfm & TV 8 and GEW Curacao

Time: 10.00 - 11.00 - Location: TCfm & TV8

November 13-17, 2023

Entrepreneurship radio & TV Quiz

Hosted by Radio Margaritha and GEW Curacao

Time: 19.00-20.00 - Location: Radio Margaritha

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Nilda Pinto SBO, Steenrijk

Full Week Program

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Book review by Share2Uplift & partners

Everybody's A Mentor

Author: Steven De Lira

Time: 17.00 - 19.00 - Location: ZOOM (online review)

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November 15, 2023

Start Up Huddle Willemstad

Entrepreneurs / owners of companies with less than 5 years get the possibilities to pitch their business and inform their challenges.

Time 09:00-10.00 - Location: Abraham de Veerstraat 9.

November 15, 2023

Location of your Business

How to decide where to locate your business.

Hosted by: Curaçao Chamber of Commerce

Time: 16.00 - Location: Online Webinar

November 15, 2023

Networking event Support Local Go Global

Networking event by Curaçao Business Network.

Time: 18.00 - 21.00 - Location: Cascada Rooftop Bar

November 15, 2023

The Curaçao Study & Career Market

The Curaçao Study & Career Fair is a free event for students, parents and deans who want to explore their future options.

Hosted by: Curaçao Chamber of Commerce

Time: 8:00-13:00 / 17:00-21:00. - Location: World Trade Center

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November 15, 2023

Online Webinar: The future of work

Tech, Entrepreneurship and work

Hosted by: GEW Bonaire and GEW Curaçao

Time: 10.00 - 12.00 - Location: Online Webinar

November 16, 2023

The Curaçao Study & Career Market

The Curaçao Study & Career Fair is a free event for students, parents and deans who want to explore their future options.

Hosted by: Curaçao Chamber of Commerce

Time: 8:00-13:00 / 17:00-21:00. - Location: World Trade Center

November 16, 2023

Business Pitch Competition

Powered by Curaçao Innovation & Technology Institute and GEW Curaçao board

Time: 14.00 - Location: CiTi offices, Riffort Village (By invite only)

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November 16, 2023

Establishment & Residency for Entrepreneurs

Unlocking Curacao's Business Potential: Simplified Establishment & Residency for Entrepreneurs.

Hosted by: Curaçao Chamber of Commerce

Time: 16.00 - Location: Online Webinar

November 17, 2023

Developments and opportunities in Sustainable Energy

Workshops, keynote speeches, lectures and Expo by students
Technical Faculty, UoC.

Powered by the University of Curaçao and GEW Curaçao team

Time: 10.00 - 14.00 - Location: University of Curaçao.

November 18, 2023

Roi Rincon

Curaçao Business Platform for Sustainability (BPS) offers a hike
through nature and cultural history.

Time: 07:00-8:30 / 09:00-10:30 - Location: Roi Rincon

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POST GEW EVENTS

November 22, 2023

E-Commerce workshops

Moderator: Nevita Mezas

The Business Connection

Time: 9.00 AM for start-ups - 14.00 for scale-ups

Location: CiTi office, Riffort

November 24, 2023

Orea pa Empresario

Information & Networking Event celebrating entrepreneurship
powered by Ministry of Economic Development & other Ministries

Time: 11.00 - 21.00 - Location: Sambil Business Center

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November 24, 2023

Finally Friday Happy Hour - Networking Edition

Remember to bring your business cards to make B2B contacts and interchange ideas for business possibilities.

Time: 11.00 - 21.00 - Location: Sambil Business Center

December 2, 2023

African Fashion Show

Celebration of African Heritage with fashion show

Time: 19.00 - 23.00 - Location: Marjorie Party Palace

December 3, 2023

Festival di Funchi

More than 200 young students from schools in Banda Abou exposing and selling their creative products made of Funchi

Time: TBD - Location: Banda Bou

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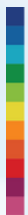
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