

Thursday, August 18

9 a.m. GLS Conference

Union South
1308 W Dayton St, Madison, WI 53715

9:30 a.m. Social Good Summit

Central Public Library
201 W. Mifflin St, Rooms 301 and 302, Madison, WI 53703

12 p.m. Paul Robbins on Earth Features

Madison Museum of Contemporary Art
227 State St, Madison, WI 53703

12 p.m. Forget Social Media - Think Social Business with Bernie Borges

DreamBank
1 N. Pinckney St, Madison, WI 53703

4 p.m. Code Madison Forward

Wisconsin State Capital
2 E. Main St, Madison, WI 53703

4 p.m. Startup Roundtable with US Senator Tammy Baldwin

100State
30 W. Mifflin St, Madison, WI 53703

5 p.m. High Tech Happy Hour Anniversary Event

Children's Museum
100 N. Hamilton St, Madison, WI 53703

Friday, August 19

8 a.m. Better by Design

Wisconsin Institutes for Discovery
330 N. Orchard St, Madison WI, 53715

9 a.m. GLS Conference

Union South
1308 W. Dayton St, Madison, WI 53715

11:30 a.m. Walking the Walk: A Values Centered Approach to Building a Strong Workplace

The Coopers Tavern
20 W. Mifflin St, Madison, WI 53703

4:30 p.m. Wiscostyle happy Hour with the Love WI Project

Madison Enterprise Center
100 S. Baldwin St Gallery space, Madison, WI 53703

5:30 p.m. The System, The Failures, and the Consequences on the Country

Central Public Library
201 W. Mifflin St, Rooms 301 and 302, Madison, WI 53703

6 p.m. Adult Swim: Forward Festivities

Children's Museum
100 N. Hamilton St, Madison, WI 53703

6 p.m. MMoCA Nights

Madison Museum of Contemporary Art
227 State St, Madison, WI 53703

9:30 p.m. 100arts Presents - Breakfast can Wait

100state
30 W. Mifflin St, Madison, WI 53704

Saturday, August 20

8 a.m. Black Entrepreneur's Summit presented by Heymiss Progress

Urban Leage
2222 S. Park St, Suite 200, Madison, WI 53703

9 a.m. Farm to Tech Brunch

Adorable IO
123 E. Main St, 2nd Floor, Madison, WI 53703

9:30 a.m. Mini-preneurs to Entrepreneurs

DreamBank
1 N. Pinckney St, Madison, WI 53703

1 p.m. BarCamp Unplugged

Matrix Coworking
6302 Odana Rd, Madison, WI 53719

5 p.m. Parentpreneur Night

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Sunday, August 21

2 p.m. Microwbrews for Microfinance

Wisconsin Brewing Company
1079 American Way, Verona, WI 53593

3 p.m. Yum Yum Fest

Madison Central Park
202 S. Ingersoll St, Madison, WI 53703

Monday, August 22

8 a.m. Badger Startup Summit

Wisconsin Institutes for Discovery
330 N. Orchard St, Madison WI, 53715

9:15 a.m. 2016 WI Big Data Conference

Central Public Library
201 W. Mifflin St, Rooms 301 and 302, Madison, WI 53703

12:30 p.m. Venfair

Wisconsin Institutes for Discovery
330 N. Orchard St, Madison WI, 53715

1 p.m. Business Bar Camp

Krome Middle School
7009 Donna Dr, Middleton, WI 53562

4:30 p.m. Art and Science @ 1403

1403
1403 University Ave, 2nd Floor, Madison, WI 53715

5 p.m. Business Bar Camp Networking Happy Hour

Craftsman Table & Tap
6712 Frank Lloyd Wright Ave, Middleton, WI 53562

5:30 p.m. Doyenne Mentor Match

Hotel Red
1501 Regent St, Madison, WI 53715

5:30 p.m. HealthTech HobNob

Godfrey & Kahn
1 E. Main St, Suite 500, Madison, WI 53703

6 p.m. Community Supported Entrepreneurism

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Tuesday, August 23

9 a.m. Forward Technology Conference

Monona Terrace Convention Center
1 John Nolen Dr, Madison, WI 53703

4 p.m. Pitch Night: Forward Fest Startup Showcase, neXXpo, Pressure Chamber

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Wednesday, August 24

8 a.m. Edible Startup Summit

Goodman Community Center
149 Waubesa St, Madison, WI 53704

8:30 a.m. Doyenne Group and 1Million Cups 5x5x5 Pitch Event

Central Public Library
201 W. Mifflin St, Rooms 301 and 302, Madison, WI 53703

12 p.m. UberPITCH

5:30 p.m. Art+Code

Madison Museum of Contemporary Art
227 State St, Madison, WI 53703

5:30 p.m. StartingBlock Madison: First Impression

Majestic
115 King St, Madison, WI 53703

6:30 p.m. Clash of the Tech Trivia Titans

High Noon Saloon
701 E. Washington Ave, Madison, WI 53703

7 p.m. What's Next X PechaKucha

Monona Terrace Convention Center
1 John Nolen Dr, Madison, WI 53703

Thursday, August 25

5:30 p.m. Capital Entrepreneurs Open Social

US Bank Building - Madison
1 S. Pinckney St, Madison, WI 53703

6 p.m. Be a Kid Again

Henry Vilas Zoo
702 S. Randall Ave, Madison, WI 53715

About Forward Fest

The Forward Festival, now in its seventh year, is Madison's flagship technology and entrepreneurship festival. The festival attracts thousands of entrepreneurs, investors and like-minded professions to eight days of 40+ events, including networking events, presentations, parties and pitch competitions.

Originally started in 2010, the Forward Festival was created by Chan, Nathan Lustig of Magma Partner and Matt Younkle of Murfie to bring together professionals from a wide range of disciplines and showcase Madison's entrepreneurial spirit. That is event in events such as the Social Good Summit, Yum Yum Fest and Art+Code.

The festival's main event is the Forward Technology Conference, which again is paired with the Greater Madison Chamber of Commerce's neXXpo and Pressure Chamber events. Amy Africa, e-commer expert, and Jordan Eisenberg, entrepreneur and venture partner, will be the keynote speakers.

The Forward Festival will take place Aug. 18-25 in various locations around the city. All events are open to the public, many of which are free.

For a detailed listing of events taking place during the Forward Festival, please visit www.forwardfest.org.