- John Redwine, Manager, Employer Services
- Tangie Jones, Manager, Talent Attraction

Michigan Economic Development Corporation The state's marketing arm and lead advocate for business development, talent and jobs, tourism, film and digital media incentives, arts and cultural grants and overall economic growth



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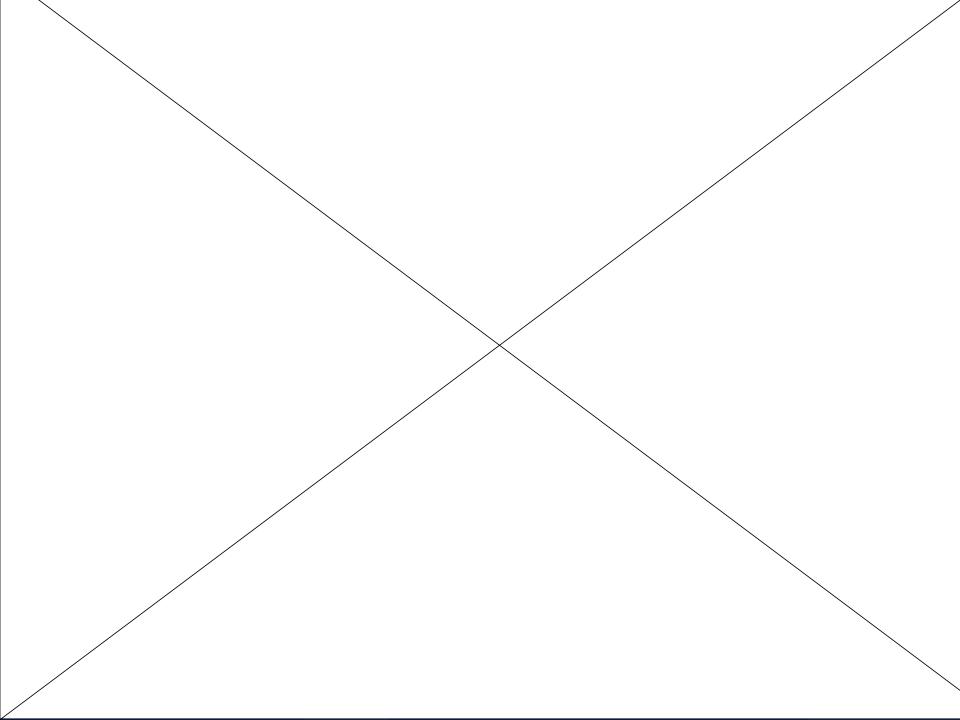
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Michigan - Midwest Tech Hub Discussion Points

- Business Development
- Talent and Jobs

Technology & Innovation in Michigan (2013)





#### Michigan - Midwest Tech Hub Video Stats

- Ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> in the nation for hi-tech job growth
- 47 Deals that received more than \$242M in venture capital funding
- Invested more than \$100M over last 3 years in support of tech entrepreneurs
- Jumped from #25 to #15 in national rankings for venture capital
- VC investment increased by 27% while down nationally by 10%
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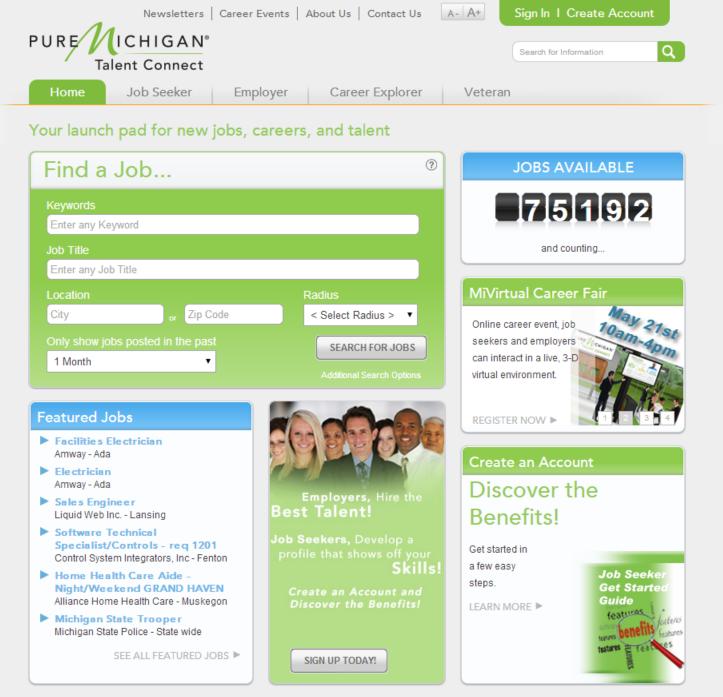
#### Michigan – Midwest Tech Hub <u>SmartZones</u>

- Network of resources that assist to incubate the growth of tech-based businesses and jobs
- Assist with commercializing ideas, patents and other opportunities
- Assisted to make Mi the unrivaled epicenter for R&D activity, testing, prototyping and manufacturing for all aspects of connected vehicles and intelligent transportation systems PURE/ICHIGAN<sup>®</sup>

Access to Opportunities

- Pure Michigan Talent Connect (MiTalent.org)
- Michigan's official labor exchange system
- No Fee to employers
- 75,000 Job Openings





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#### Michigan - Midwest Tech Hub Employer Services

- Assist Michigan employers with MiTalent
- Connect with out of state, hard to find talent

#### **Getting Connected**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Step Create account on MiTalent.org
- Sign up for Job Connect Newsletter
- Virtual Career Fair: May 21 10am 4pm michiganvirtualcareerfair.com PURE//ICHIGAN<sup>®</sup>

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