

# Baden-Württemberg: Connected e.V. bwcon GmbH



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## **bwcon:** connects companies, supports innovations – in Germany and abroad

**bwcon e.V.** is the leading business initiative for the promotion of the high-tech sectors in the region of Baden-Württemberg.

#ICT #Mobility #BigData #IoT #Engineering #HealthCare #Energy

## bwcon GmbH is a service

company supporting businesses and their innovation processes across the whole value chain.

#Talents #Ideas #Start-ups #Coaching #Finance #Entrepreneurship

today more than 600 members



## **bwcon:** Your platform for innovation and entrepreneurship – innovations networked!

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## Network:

## to inform, to cooperate and to communicate

Information	Funding	Dialog & Roundtables	Exchange of experiences	Business Lunch	`∲Hightech Summit
<ul> <li>Get information about the latest trends and events – spread across the channels of bwcon:</li> <li>Magazine #6789</li> <li>Newsletters</li> <li>Social Media</li> <li>Websites</li> <li>Venture platform</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Arranging fundings (Consulting and financing fundings) at EU and local elvel</li> <li>Wide range for the development of innovation projects</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Join our theme events on innovation topics or discuss your own topics:</li> <li>Business Dialog: Invite the network to your own company</li> <li>Business Roundtable: Meet other companies with similar topics.</li> <li>We will help you with organizing and communication!</li> </ul>	Our micro-networks on innovation and management issues: Special Interest Groups (SIGs) • Implementation of concrete projects and content • Preparation of puplications	<ul> <li>Network Meeting on top manager level:</li> <li>Business Lunch <ul> <li>Four times a year</li> <li>At a lunch</li> </ul> </li> <li>Insights from other C-level decision makers from the network.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The biggest hightech event in the region of southwest Germany:</li> <li>Hightech Summit <ul> <li>More than 600 decision makers from business, research and politics.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Congress with experts forums (Speakers and Keynotes)</li> <li>Award show of CyberOne Hightech Award</li> </ul>

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## Innovation Academy: to explore, to identify and to develop



#### Ideas:

High-potentials from the bwcon network are developing ideas for the further development of your business.



#### Talents:

You will have access to lateral thinkers and (incoming) highpotential specialists of all disciplines.



#### Training:

Your employes are trained as Intrapreneurs, who will be ready to take innovative paths.





## Business Development: to attend, to network and to finance

#### Compact Consulting

- Introduction to the in-house innovation platform of bwcon:
   Venture Development System – for the further development of the business plan, know-how structure and access to finance
- o Qualified feedback on your business concept

Implementation support of your business development by experienced entrepreneurs and managers
 Tactical knowledge in combination management and industry know-how

Intensive Consulting

• Market access and financing

#### (Corporate) Finance Matching

Get access to our (corporate) investor community in different formats:

- o Venture Access
- Seed-Consultation-Days
- o Matching Dinner
- VC regular tables
- CyberOne Award

Corporate Venturing Services:

Are you an established company and are looking for access to innovative start-ups? We identify, finance and develop cooperation with you for your future in the start-up market!

- Access to more than 3,000 start-ups
- Cooperation with the renowned corporates in the southwest region of Germany

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## GREEN INNOVATION AND INVESTMENT FORUM

European Matchmaking Event made for Start-ups & SMEs with anInnovative Business Idea on: Green Tech, Smart Cities, Resource Efficient, Sustainability

+Coaching Day + Pitching Day (international keynotes)
+ Opportunity for networking and B2B meeting
+ More than 80 Applications per Year from all over the world
+ 20 Best Ideas selected by experts (VC, corporate, Incubators)
+ Reimbursement for the selected companies
+ More than500 People from over 20 countries participated to past editions



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