

Signature Bank Joins Entrepreneurs' Organization (EO) Chicago Chapter as Platinum Sponsor, Hosts Accelerator Learning Day

Signature Bank partners with EO Chicago to help local entrepreneurs achieve business success

CHICAGO, IL — January 28, 2016 — Signature Bancorporation, Inc., Platinum Sponsor of the Entrepreneurs' Organization (EO) Chicago Chapter, hosted Accelerator Learning Day at their downtown branch at 191 N. Wacker Drive in Chicago this week. EO Chicago is a national organization that enables peer-to-peer networking among area business owners through their local chapters.

Signature Bank has been a Strategic Partner of EO since 2014. EO Accelerator Learning Days are a series of programs designed to help entrepreneurs take their business to the next level. Accelerator participants must be the owner or founder of an operating business with gross yearly revenues between \$250,000 to \$1 million. A maximum of 30 participants are accepted into the Accelerator program per city.

“Signature Bank is proud to be a Strategic Partner of EO Chicago and host of Accelerator Learning Day, connecting like-minded business owners who have the same entrepreneurial spirit that we do,” said Nate Dinger, Vice President of Commercial Banking at Signature Bank. “Signature Bank’s three founders are Chicago natives who know this city, its economy, and the challenges that local small businesses face. Our partnership with EO Chicago is a natural fit.”

EO Chicago has more than 100 members and hosts several networking events throughout the year to help entrepreneurs achieve business success.

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