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# Hartford in the Global Economy: Can We Compete for Jobs, Talent, and Capital?

In a society where time is measured in nanoseconds, handheld devices provide instant access to information and images from around the world, and business developments in foreign lands such as China and Saudi Arabia have immediate impact in the United States, we truly live in a global economy. Whether we realize it or not, this global economy includes Hartford. But are we in danger of being left behind? In this program, local leaders will discuss how Hartford fits into the global economy and what challenges and opportunities we face in the coming years with a particular focus on how we can compete for jobs, talent, and capital.

# Thursday, April 24, 2008 Light Refreshments - 5:30 pm; Program - 6:00pm Hartford Public Library, 500 Main Street

Panelists:

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Elliot Ginsberg Connecticut Center for Advanced Technology

Sam Hamilton Hartford Economic Development Corporation

#### Commissioner Joan McDonald Connecticut Department of Economic and Community Development

#### Moderator: Hartford City Councilman Jim Boucher

### Registration

This program is free, but registration is suggested. Space is limited! Please call or email: Jennifer Cassidy, 860-522-4888 x6106, <u>cassj001@hartford.gov</u>, or Richard Frieder, 860-695-6365, <u>rfrieder@hplct.org</u>



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