

RESOURCES FOR BUSINESSES AND ENTREPRENEURS

<http://www.AMAnet.org> – American Management Association
<http://www.AME.org> – Association for Manufacturing Excellence
<http://www.DODSBIR.net> – DOD's SBIR resource center
<http://www.NCEO.org> – National Center for Employee Ownership
<http://www.NWEN.org> – Northwest Entrepreneur Network
<http://www.SeattleSCORE.org> – Seattle business resources
<http://www.TIE-seattle.org> – Global network for entrepreneurs

BUSINESS INFORMATION AND NETWORKING

<http://www.AWB.org> – Association of Washington Business
<http://www.Jigsaw.com> – Directory of companies and business professionals
<http://www.Linkedin.com> – Networking and information
<http://www.ZoomInfo.com> – Information on people and companies

SEARCH ENGINES

<http://www.Cuil.com> – Categorized searches
<http://SearchEnginez.com/tutorial.html> - Tips for searching the web
<http://Vivisimo.com> – Clustered searches

SUSTAINABILITY

<http://www.CarbonFootprint.com> – Carbon footprint calculator
<http://www.IPCC.ch> – Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change

TESTING AND TEST METHODS

<http://www.ASTM.org> – American Society for Testing and Materials
<http://www.epa.gov/nea/info/testmethods> – EPA test methods

CONVERSIONS AND UNITS OF MEASUREMENT

http://www.bls.gov/data/Inflation_Calculator.htm - Consumer Price Index calculator
<http://physics.NIST.gov/Pubs/SP811/appenB9.html> - Unit conversions
<http://www.OnlineConversion.com> – Unit conversions
<http://finance.yahoo.com> – Various financial tools, including financial converters.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

<http://www.IDSA.org> – Industrial Design Society of America
<http://www.IMCusa.org> – Institute of Management Consultants
<http://www.PDMA.org> – Product Development Management Association
<http://www.SigmaXi.org> – Scientific research society

INDUSTRY ORGANIZATIONS

<http://www.AmericanPetProducts.org> – American Pet Products Association
<http://www.OutdoorIndustry.org> – Outdoor Industry Association
<http://OutdoorIndustryDirectory.com> – Outdoor industry directory

PATENTS, TRADEMARKS & INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

<http://www.Copyright.gov> – U.S. Copyright Office

<http://www.EurekaLabBook.com> – Lab and records notebooks
<http://www.FreePatentsOnLine.com> – Patent search engine
<http://www.FreshPatents.com> – Patent keyword tracking and monitoring
<http://www.PatentStorm.us> – Patent search engine
<http://www.USPTO.gov> – U.S. Patent and Trademark Office