Transforming Local Government

2020 TOURS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 6
1:30 - 2:30 p.m.
Arrive at bus by 1:15 p.m.

Wexford Science + Technology

850 N 5th St is the first private development in the Phoenix Biomedical Campus, a 30-acre designation in Downtown Phoenix that already has strong public and academic investment and activity. This 227,000 SF Class A Office and Lab building will become the Innovation Hub of the Phoenix region and a catalyst for economic growth for downtown Phoenix, especially for the Biomedical industry. This is the first of about 1.5M SF of private development that will occur on the Phoenix Biomedical Campus. The project is privately owned and operated by Wexford Science + Technology in partnership with Ventas, Inc. The land is leased from the City of Phoenix and Arizona State University. ASU is the anchor tenant, occupying 50% of the seven floors. The remaining space will be occupied by private tenants and the Center for Entrepreneurial Innovation, a work force training program and biomedical incubator. In this tour you will see an Innovation District in the making and have conversations with industry experts about the process of create a place for innovation to flourish.

https://wexfordscitech.com/projects/phoenix-biomedical-campus/
THURSDAY, MAY 7
9 - 10 a.m.
Arrive at bus by 8:45 a.m.

University of Arizona College of Medicine Bio Medical Campus

The Phoenix Biomedical Campus serves as a major biosciences hub and premier provider of medical education. Nowhere else in the region can such a talented mix of doctors, researchers, innovators, educators, allied health professionals and thought leaders be found all at one address, providing firms with unprecedented opportunities for growth and collaborative efforts with industry leaders.

The University of Arizona College of Medicine – Phoenix, already a national leader on education and research, has tremendous potential to be a driver of healthcare excellence, an economic catalyst, and a strong magnet for biotech growth. During the tour attendees will see technological innovations in medical education and learn how three universities utilize the space. The tour includes a visit to the Center for Simulation and Innovation, a 33,000-square-foot, state-of-the art medical training facility, where medical and nursing students train on mannequins that can talk, sweat, breathe, give birth and bleed like real patients.

https://phoenixmed.arizona.edu/
Galvanize Phoenix serves as a home base to start-ups and established companies building tech enabled innovation and has all of the amenities of a co-working space – plus learning opportunities, resources, and access to the network a growing startup needs. The tour will show the group Galvanize and the transformation that’s taking place in the Warehouse District, which has gone from a quiet, underutilized neighborhood to a bustling tech scene, and home to more than 150 companies.

Here’s a short video about Galvanize that shows the campus well and a link to the Phoenix Warehouse District website as well.

https://www.galvanize.com/campuses/coworking-space-phoenix