



## April 22, 2016 edition of Five Fast Flashes

The [Canadian Open Data Summit](#) is the annual event where the most pressing challenges facing the open data community are addressed on a national scale. Join us on April 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> in Saint John to share best practices, learn from top international experts, and to work on growing the community collaboratively.

April 29<sup>th</sup> – May 1<sup>st</sup> – Startup Weekend NB – Moncton Edition. Join over 45,000 Startup Weekend alumni, all on a mission to change the world. This 54 hour event brings together NB designers, developers, entrepreneurs and experts from all domains to do amazing things. Register [here](#).

May 5<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> – Halifax – Dalhousie University's Centre for Family Business and Regional Prosperity hosts [their Atlantic Canada Family Business Summit](#). The "*Family Business Matters*" program includes *headliners David Chilton (The Wealthy Barber, Dragon's Den)*, and *Pete Lockett (Lockett Vineyards)*, along with panel discussions featuring representatives from regional family businesses.

May 13<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> – Fredericton – Are you a budding entrepreneur? Got an idea but don't know where to go next? Apply to Planet Hatch's very own Startup Crash Course! This 3 day program is an intensive workshop to help you complete a Business Model Canvas. Application deadline is May 6<sup>th</sup> so [Apply](#) today!

ONB Connects, a new initiative by Opportunities NB, brings people and ideas together to facilitate economic growth in New Brunswick; Making connections with business people around the globe, Promoting New Brunswick companies and location advantages, and Creating mentorship opportunities within New Brunswick's business community. Register at [onbconnects.ca](#).