



## February 29, 2016 edition of Five Fast Flashes

Venn Innovation is launching V-Lab, a new corporate innovation program that empowers organizations to “think outside the box” by tapping into fresh, innovative ideas and talent found within the startup ecosystem. Learn more [here](#).

The producers of CBC’s hit series Dragon’s Den will be in Moncton on March 3<sup>rd</sup>, Charlottetown on March 4<sup>th</sup> and Halifax on March 5<sup>th</sup> on their audition tour to find Canada’s best small businesses in need of a Dragon investment. Click [here](#) for more information.

March 14<sup>th</sup> – Halifax – Startup Finance will equip you with the tools, resources, and mentorship to grow a sustainable, scalable and fully fundable enterprise. Click [here](#) to register.

March 14<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> – Attend an East Coast Startup Week event near you. Connect with fellow market driven and socially driven entrepreneurs & changemakers. Be inspired to take your idea to the next level. Get advice from some of the top names in business. Click [here](#) to see the list of events.

March 18<sup>th</sup> – Moncton – Luncheon The Challenge of a Stagnant Economy with Keynote Don Mills. Mr Mills will expose recent social, economic and political trends in NB, give you a look at the latest CRA public opinion polls and shed some light on what those numbers mean. Click [here](#) to register.