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Upcoming Events

Watch the Economic Development Quarterly Update

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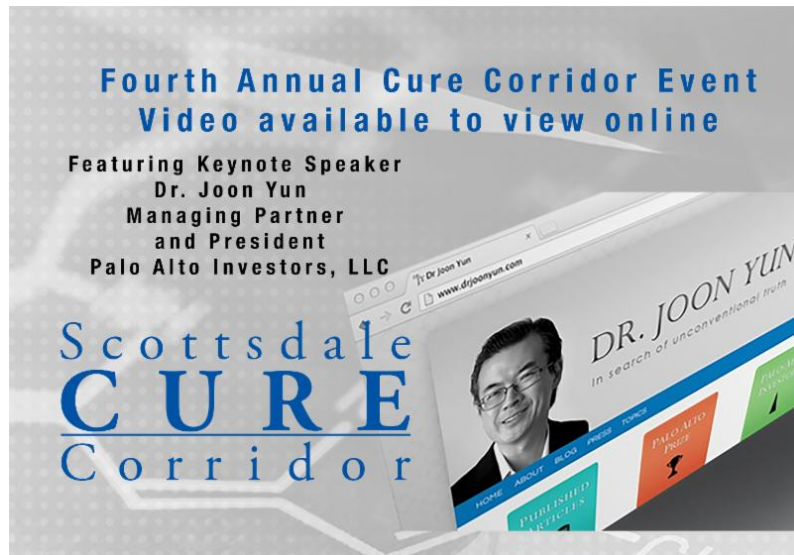
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Use this guide to attract talent to your company from outside Arizona. [Available for download.](#)

Public Meetings



[The Fourth Annual Cure Corridor event is now available to view online.](#) Headlined by Dr. Joon Yun, Managing Partner and President of Palo Alto Investors, this year's event focused on new technological advances being made on the Scottsdale Cure Corridor and the future of health care. Watch this and other videos about the Scottsdale Cure Corridor at our [YouTube Channel.](#)

[Scottsdale City Council hires Jim Thompson as city manager](#)

Scottsdale City Council recently voted unanimously to hire Jim Thompson as Scottsdale's next city manager. Thompson served as the city manager of Casa Grande from 2003 until earlier this year where he oversaw city operations and a \$175 million budget. "This is a wonderful opportunity," Thompson said. "Scottsdale is a great city and I'm looking forward to working with the City Council, our employees and the community. It's very exciting."

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### [Scottsdale brand growth shapes new event development program](#)

The brand of Scottsdale is a lucrative property and city leaders believe perpetuating the strength of that property is an investment worth taking. The city has recently created a program which provides bed-tax money to assist and support major activities that promote tourism.

### [Scottsdale CEO and disabilities advocate named 2017 Diversity Champions](#)

The founder and chief executive officer of a Scottsdale nonprofit and an advocate for individuals with disabilities have been named the 2017 Diversity Champions by the nonprofit group Community Celebrating Diversity. Linda Grooms Walton, along with Gina Griffiths, will be honored at Scottsdale's 23rd annual Martin Luther King Jr. Dinner Celebration. The event takes place Wednesday, Jan. 11, at Henkel Corporation, 7201 E. Henkel Way, in Scottsdale.

### [Ducey partners with Airbnb to make home sharing easier in Arizona](#)

Arizona Gov. Doug Ducey and San Francisco-based home-sharing service Airbnb Inc. have announced a new partnership that will help streamline the service in the state. The partnership connects Airbnb with the Arizona Department of Revenue, in which the home-sharing company will electronically file and pay the state and local transaction privilege taxes due on behalf of its customers in Arizona. Starting in January, Airbnb will collect and remit the 5.5 percent Short Term Rental Accommodations tax. Guests will be charged the appropriate taxes on their Airbnb bill and they will remit the taxes collected to the city.

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