

# 11<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL MARKETPLACE **O** IDEAS INVENTORS CONGRESS

**Saturday, October 29, 2011**

**Bismarck State College & Bismarck Career Academy  
1500 Edwards Avenue, Bismarck, ND**

*The Marketplace/Northern Plains Inventors Congress was created to provide inventors and entrepreneurs with information and tools to effectively commercialize new ideas. Marketplace encourages innovation and economic development by connecting and exchanging ideas between inventors and service providers.*



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Open to all students in grade 3 through middle school during the 2010-2011 school year.



## Invention Success!

11:00 a.m. –  
12:15 p.m.

KEYNOTE ADDRESS:



**Say Hello to Innovation...“That Was My Idea. I Wish I Had Done Something With It!”**

*With Inventor, Entrepreneur, Publisher & Author  
Louis J. Foreman*

12:30 p.m. –  
1:30 p.m.

**Inventors and Bright Ideas Participants – Meet and Greet Louis J. Foreman**

1:45 p.m. –  
2:15 p.m.

**Prototyping, Manufacturing and Engineering Issues for Inventors**

2:15 p.m. –  
3:00 p.m.

**Common Mistakes Inventors Make and How to Avoid Them!**

3:00 p.m. –  
3:15 p.m.

**Networking Break**

3:15 p.m. –  
3:45 p.m.

**How to Sell Your Product or License Your Patent**

3:45 p.m. –  
4:15 p.m.

**Patents – What Inventors Need to Know!**

4:15 p.m. –  
4:45 p.m.

**Invention Success – Introduction of the Inventors Alliance, Resource Center and Question and Answer Session with our experts!**

5:00 p.m. –  
6:00 p.m.

**Marketplace Awards Program**

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