# CRATER**WORKS** MAKER**SPACE**

### **CraterWorks Entrepreneur Support Program**

Our Entrepreneur Support Program is designed to empower creative minds and help turn ideas into tangible products and businesses. The program provides hands-on access to a variety of tools and resources:

- **Woodshop & Metal Shop**: Learn to craft and fabricate with expert guidance, using professional-grade tools to bring your designs to life.
- **3D Printing & Laser Engraving**: Explore modern manufacturing techniques to prototype and personalize products with precision.
- **Design with Adobe Suite**: Work alongside professionals to learn how to use creative software for graphic design, product visuals, and branding.
- **Mentoring**: Gain insights and advice from experienced entrepreneurs to navigate challenges and achieve your goals.
- **One-on-One Project Development**: Receive focused attention to refine your ideas and advance your entrepreneurial journey.

#### **Facility Access and Program Details**

- Facility Access:
  - Includes all required orientations for the woodshop, metal shop, 3D printing lab, laser engraving, and design spaces.
  - Access to use the facilities during member hours:

**Tuesday–Friday**: 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM **Saturday–Sunday**: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

- Mentoring Sessions:
  - Dedicated mentoring sessions are held on **Mondays** at a time to be determined.
  - One-on-one and group mentoring opportunities are designed to provide guidance and support for project development.
- Cohort Support Period:
  - 4 weeks, offering mentoring and resources tailored to participants' entrepreneurial projects.

This comprehensive program bridges creativity and technical skills, ensuring you have the support needed to innovate and succeed. This skill development coupled with the use of creative space and skilled community members creates a supportive environment to kickstart your introduction and exploration of the Southern Oregon ecosystem.



(3) Three cohorts of 6 participants each

4 weeks with 16 hours of assisted design time each week.

6 days a week access to facility during member hours

# Cohort 2

**April 1 - 3 & 8-10 |** intensive training on programs and process to develop and implement plan including adobe suite design time with pro and equipment training

April 15 -17 & 22 - 24 | supported development of project

**April 1 - 26 |** Access to facility and tools once orientations are completed Tuesday-Friday 5pm-9pm, Saturday & Sunday 9am - 5pm.

## Add-on: 4 hour mentor sessions Mondays

• Recommended that we start the cohort with at least one mentor session