

Robert Miller: Business symposium is on tap

07:49 AM CST on Tuesday, March 21, 2006

Northwood University in Cedar Hill is holding its first Business Founders Symposium – "Incubator of Enterprise & Character" – Wednesday as part of its annual Founder's Day event.

It's free and open to the public and will start with a reception at 9:15 a.m.

The four-year business management school emphasizes entrepreneurial studies, and the symposium will showcase several Dallas business executives.

The Entrepreneurship Committee of Northwood's board of governors is chaired by Dallas attorney Stephanie Curtis and includes Dallas business leaders James Olan Hutcheson, C.D. Shamburger, Emerson Swalwell and Nina Vaca.

Al Black, president and chief executive of On-Target Supplies, will deliver the keynote address. PBS television host Dennis McCuistion will moderate a panel discussion that will include Christi Harris, founder of Christi Harris Cosmetics; Jerry Fullinwider, founder, chairman and chief executive of VF Russia Inc.; and Jerry Reynolds, managing partner of Prestige Ford.

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