

Jeanne Johnson, MA
Capacity-Building Program Coordinator
Small Business & Entrepreneurship Department
Bexar County, Texas

Jeanne Johnson is a Capacity-Building Program Coordinator for Bexar County's Small Business and Entrepreneurship Department. Her responsibilities include to provide project execution for African American Business Enterprise Initiative, program coordination, data analysis, communications, and the development of capacity-building programs to include outreach, training and education.

Jeanne holds a Master in Business Management from Webster University, a Bachelor's from the University of Texas San Antonio in Criminal Justice with a specialization Legal Studies. Jeanne has 15 years as a Civil Service Employee with Bexar County and the City of San Antonio.

Jeanne has also worked for, for-profit, non-profit and Wall-Street companies. She worked for Fema as a sub-contractor during Hurricane Katrina and Rita to assist them with their database issues. She has worked with the Texas Education Agency as a Subject Matter Expert in the creation of a database management system for the STAR Program. She has worked for universities and colleges in the DFW area. She was an Adjunct Professor for Tarrant County College District; where taught Business Ethics, Principles of Business Management, Principles of Management and Marketing.

She is a "*Change Agent*," that has created award winning training programs and one of the first High School Diploma Programs in a library setting. She has utilized her skills and training to progressively move various companies to new levels through utilization of technology, outreach, program development, training and facilitation of programs.

Jeanne's philosophy of Business:

"Is to be willing to break down walls and barriers that stifle creativity and ingenuity, one nail and wall at a time. In order to excel in business, you have to be willing do the work, take the calculated risk and endure the painstaking process of building a firm foundation for your business to stand upon. Failure becomes determination and success becomes triumph!"