

## Become a Show Me Angel

You must be an accredited investor as defined by Rule 501 of SEC Regulation D to become a member of Show Me Angels. An accredited investor is defined as “any natural person whose individual net worth, or joint net worth with that person’s spouse, at the time of their purchase exceeds \$1,000,000” or “any natural person who had an individual income in excess of \$200,000 in each of the two most recent years or joint income with that person’s spouse in excess of \$300,000 in each of those years and who reasonably expects to reach the same income level in the current year.”

To become a member of Show Me Angels, please complete the Survey/ Membership Application and return it along with your annual membership fee of \$1,200\* to:

Lee’s Summit Economic Development Council (LSEDC)  
c/o Jim Devine  
P.O. Box 710  
Lee’s Summit, MO 64063  
fax: 816.524.8851

For more information about Show Me Angels, contact Jim Devine, President and CEO of Lee’s Summit Economic Development Council at [jdevine@leessummit.org](mailto:jdevine@leessummit.org) or 816.525.6617.

[www.ShowMeAngels.com](http://www.ShowMeAngels.com)

\*Show Me Angels members will automatically become members of the Mid-America Angel investor group.

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ANGELS  
An Investor Network

Show Me Angels is an angel investor group based in Lee’s Summit that is committed to investing in high-growth seed and early-stage companies in Eastern Jackson County and throughout Missouri. All members of Show Me Angels are private, accredited investors as defined under Rule 501 of the SEC regulations.



## Why Show Me Angels?

Angel investing is a great second career for many successful business people across the country. Eastern Jackson County is no different. The Kansas City area attracts entrepreneurs and start-up ventures — many of which need funding assistance. As our region continues to expand, there is a need for an organized angel investor network with streamlined processes in place that benefit entrepreneurs and investors.

Angel investing is a great opportunity to leverage prior business experience, skills and success, while maintaining control of how much or how little time you dedicate to the effort. A wonderful bonus for investing with a group like Show Me Angels is belonging to a lively network of intelligent, capable and savvy business people who are keen to see above market returns on their investments.

*“Angel investing is hard work.  
Groups allow angels to pool their capital and  
expertise, and increase the size of investments.”*

James Geshwiler, Chairman  
Angel Capital Education Foundation

*As a Show Me Angel, your investment may  
help bring the next big idea to light.*



## How Show Me Angels Works

Show Me Angels helps promote early-stage equity investing and provides entrepreneurs and investors an effective, centralized forum to collaborate. Our members are successful business owners and executives experienced in funding and growing emerging businesses. Members engage in a participative style of investing. They are encouraged to share their knowledge and expertise during the investment-selection process and with companies that Show Me Angels funds and supports.

### Benefits of Membership

As a member of the Show Me Angels network, you'll enjoy the following benefits:

- Opportunity to invest in companies with high ROI potential
- Ability to focus on investment decisions since investment opportunity flow, screening, due diligence and network operations are professionally managed
- Syndication with other angels and angel networks like Mid-America Angels and Angel Capital Association
- Business/technical expertise of network members helps portfolio companies to prosper
- Opportunity to network and pool investments with other high net-worth individuals
- Ability to review private equity deals anonymously

