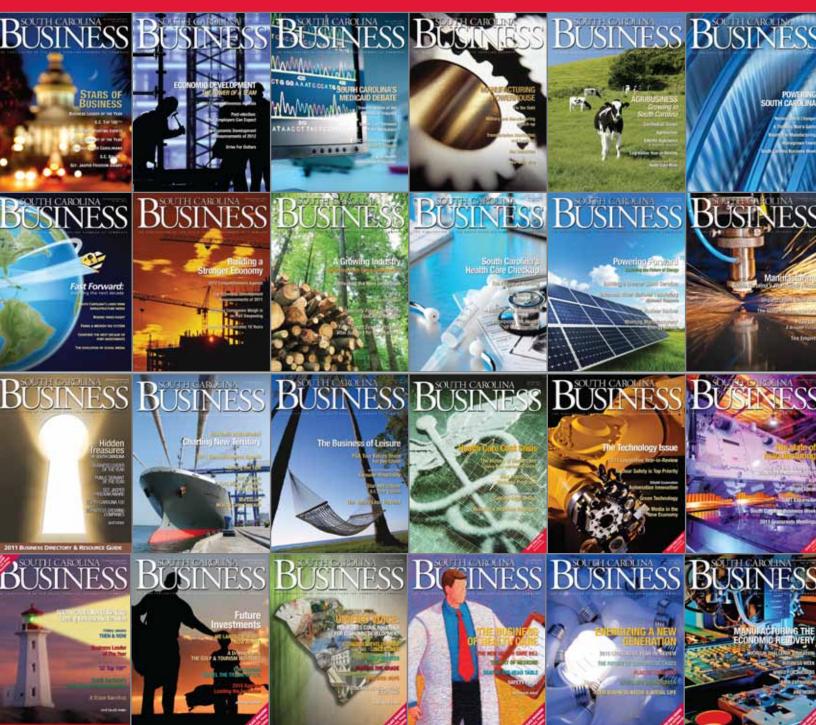


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This issue will feature the 2014 Competitiveness Agenda, the business community's annual list of legislative priorities, and its impact on economic development. It will also focus on the link between economic development and a skilled workforce, sound infrastructure, overreaching regulations and other key drivers.

March/April: EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

The education and workforce development issue will focus on South Carolina businesses that are committed to improving education in the state and cultivating a strong future workforce. All across the state, businesses large and small are donating time, money and other resources to partner with area schools to create a more effective workforce. This edition will also examine transforming South Carolina's education system to meet the demands of a global marketplace.

May/June: MANUFACTURING

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July/August: AGRIBUSINESS

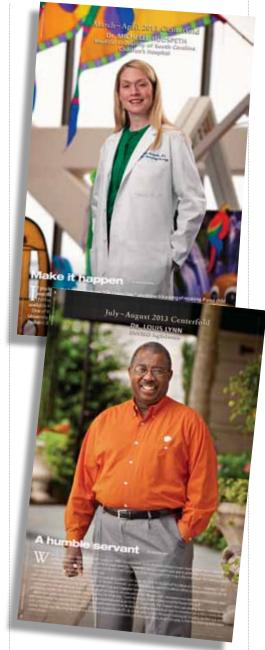
With an economic impact of nearly \$34 billion, agribusiness is a vital industry in South Carolina, providing almost 200,000 jobs. This issue will spotlight innovative agribusiness technology and the future of agribusiness in the Palmetto State.

September/October: ENERGY

October is National Energy Action Month, and this issue will take a closer look at nuclear energy, the use of renewable energies and sustainable development practices throughout the state. This issue will also focus on future energy needs as South Carolina's population continues to expand.

November/December: THE ANNUAL EXPANDED ISSUE

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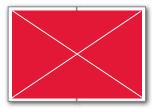
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JULY/AUGUST: AGRIBUSINESS	June 16, 2014	June 23, 2014
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