



# Wichita Business Hall of Fame



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## 2026 WICHITA BUSINESS HALL OF FAME LAUREATES ANNOUNCED

The 2026 Wichita Business Hall of Fame laureates were announced at a lunch event on Tuesday, October 28, 2025. Four business leaders will join the Junior Achievement of Kansas Wichita Business Hall of Fame.

### THE 2026 LAUREATES ARE:

Dr. Alex Ammar, Wichita Surgical Specialists; Susayn Brandes, Great Plains Ventures; Pete Ochs, Capital III; Dr. Sheree Utash, WSU Tech.

The 2026 Wichita Business Hall of Fame dinner honoring these individuals will be **Thursday, March 5, 2026, at the B-29 Doc Hangar.**

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