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# Why Jamie Dimon will be in Nashville next week



JPMorgan Chase CEO Jamie Dimon is coming to Nashville next week for Bunker Lab's Muster Across America tour. BYRON E. SMALL



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Jamie Dimon, CEO of JPMorgan Chase & Co., is coming to Nashville next week, and it isn't to kick off the megabank's local branch expansion.

Instead, Dimon will be a featured guest at Bunker Lab's Muster Across America event on Aug. 8. The day-long event, hosted at the Nashville Public Library's downtown branch, is designed to help veteran entrepreneurs learn how to launch and grow their own businesses, according to a news release.

In addition to small group sessions, the event includes a pitch contest, where entrepreneurs can win as much as \$5,000 for their business. Dimon will headline a "fireside chat" later in the day. Admission for military members is free. General admission for non-military members is \$45, according to the event's website.

"Together, we'll help veteran entrepreneurs reach their potential as successful business owners," Brad Bowlin, JPMorgan's Nashville private bank chief, said in a statement. "Bunker Labs uniquely harnesses this potential with innovative resources tailored to the needs of veterans."

JPMorgan has a long history with Bunker Labs. In February, the New York-based bank reupped its commitment to the nonprofit, donating \$3 million to help Bunker open chapters in all 50 states. Chicago-based Bunker launched its Nashville program four years ago.

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Rank	Name	2017 Revenue
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2	ASE Direct Inc.	\$22.44 million
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