Your Satellite Office at Catalyst Ranch
Time to Flex the Creative Muscle

**STAYING AT HOME IS GETTING STALE**

We’ve all figured out how to keep functioning during the pandemic, for better or for worse. But I think most of us are so over working from home 100% of the time. We need a fresh environment to generate some fresh ideas and shift our perspectives.

**A CREATIVE ENVIRONMENT IS CRUCIAL**

Physical space is important. A space that taps into nostalgia and reminds us of our childhood ability to wonder and imagine unleashes creative thinking. Engagement of all 5 senses gets the brain cogs moving.

**WE’RE CRAVING HUMAN CONNECTION**

So many great ideas come from those chance encounters in office hallways and off-the-cuff conversations about something you’ve just been working on or thinking about. It’s just not the same trying to brainstorm via Zoom or using an on-line collaboration tool. They’re great tools. But so is working in the same space together, getting energy from each other and building on each other’s ideas.
Why Catalyst Ranch?

PRIVATE SPACE AVAILABLE TO YOUR PEEPS ONLY

Unlike co-working spaces where you’re sharing spaces with workers from other companies, you’ll have the whole 3,000 sq. ft. all to yourselves for a full day once a week.

EVERYTHING IS INCLUDED

You get the comforts of home with the focus & accouterments of the office. Meeting supplies, AV equipment, high speed internet, beverages and snacks. Plus we handle the cleaning up.

FLEXIBLE USE OF THE SPACE

Pick your favorite area to work from depending on the need of the moment. Need a place to do a small working session with some colleagues? Pick a couchy conversation grouping or a vintage cafe table. Need to do a presentation without disturbing the others? Close the door to the back room and present away!
Multiple Places to Work

COMFY COUCHY AREAS

The Samba Loft has a giant living room space at one end, filled with small groupings of couches and armchairs to relax in, just like home but maybe a little bit cooler and vintage. There’s a large screen that can be pulled down when needed with a ceiling mounted projector.

KITCHEN AREA

We also have an area that is perfect for shared meals or for individual and small team work.

CAFE TABLE AREA

Use this back room for smaller department meetings or for individual work stations. There’s a screen that pulls down when needed with a ceiling mounted projector.
Samba Layout

Check out the virtual tour

Plenty of room to roam!
What's Included?

- 3,000 sq. ft. of lofted space with wood beam ceilings
- Natural light
- Lots of greenery
- Windows that open for cross-ventilation
- Ceiling fans throughout the floor
- Eclectic collection of vintage furniture, ethnic furnishings & lots of artwork
- Toys & other creative prompts
- High-speed internet
- Meeting supplies
- Rolling dry erase boards
- Flipchart easels
- Projectors & screens
- Copier/printer
- Beverages including coffee and tea (plus 2 beverage refrigerators)
- Snacks
Our venue is green starting with all of our vintage Americana furniture, decor and embellishments. Throw in all the real glassware, plates and silverware we use every day. Add in a recycling program. Fair Trade Organic Coffee. Leftover food donations to the Pacific Mission. And top it off with a Green Certified Caterer for any meals you might want to cater in..
A Woman Owned Business

EVA NIEWIADOMSKI, ENTREPRENEUR

Eva created a new category in the hospitality industry – Creative Conference Space – when she opened Catalyst Ranch over 18 years ago. Eva believes that ideas, learning and breakthrough thought thrive when people are placed in an environment that stimulates and invigorates the senses. It’s important to take individuals out of the typical cubicles and conference rooms where they’re ensconced throughout their daily working lives if you want them to think differently and approach problems from a new viewpoint. So she created such an environment at Catalyst Ranch. In 2008 Catalyst Ranch was named to Inc. Magazine’s Top 100 fastest growing private companies in Illinois. In 2006, 2012 and 2013, Catalyst Ranch won the Most Unique Venue and Best Conference Venue, respectively, in Illinois Meetings & Events Best Of Awards. In 2014, Catalyst Ranch was awarded Best Place for Small Meetings by Convene Magazine. Eva won the 2015 Enterprising Women of the Year Award from Enterprising Women Magazine and 2016 NAWBO Member of the Year.

Prior to starting her own business, Eva spent almost 20 years in corporate, working for The Quaker Oats Company in a variety of finance and marketing positions and at Arthur Andersen & Co. Eva has a degree in Public Accounting from Loyola University and an MBA from the Kellogg School of Management.
"Coming from someone who absolutely despises meetings, this place is off the charts. We all know meetings tend to be useless, and boring, and repetitive in nature. Even if the meeting is intended to be fresh full of new ideas, its sometimes hard to get into it when everyone just sits around in a boring conference room. Well, let me tell you, the minute you walk into this place, your mind is blown. Its very bright and colorful, in a good refreshing way. First time I walked in there, I immediately woke up, and something about the place just gets your brain moving. The staff is amazing. All the rooms have large windows to allow for plenty of natural light, which is a must of mine to stay energized. This offsite venue just puts an immediate smile on everyone’s face. The food is also excellent, with a big menu. So if you need to get out of that drab gray cubicle or synthetic lighting, take a breath of fresh air and get out from underneath those fluorescent bulbs and whether you want to samba, mambo, or do the jitterbug (names of rooms), give this place a chance. You absolutely will not regret it. If you enjoy it that much, they’ll even help you spruce up your regular workplace."

CATALYST RANCH MEETING ATTENDEE
UP TO 10 EMPLOYEES

$4,700/mth for 1 day per week
$4,465/mth with 6 month commitment

11 - 20 EMPLOYEES

$6,000/mth for 1 day per week
$5,700/mth with 6 month commitment

21 - 30 EMPLOYEES

$7,300/mth for 1 day per week
$6,935/mth with 6 month commitment
Space to Imagine More