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Mid-South Chapter Board Forum

March 16th & 17th

Hosted by EWI of Memphis

AT

The Guesthouse of Graceland

Memphis, Tn

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Purpose and Goals

The purpose of a regional Chapter Board Forum is to bring together Board Members and future leaders from chapters within a local region for the benefits of networking, sharing best practices, discussing challenges and brainstorming new ideas. The Forum provides a setting for neighboring Chapter Board Members and Committee Chairs to connect and bond, and offers an opportunity for growth through the exchange of success stories and lessons learned.

Scheduled Dates

A Forum is a 2-day meeting (generally a Friday/Saturday), and may be held at any time of year. Date selection should be based on a 2-day period that the majority regional Board Members are available to attend.

Attendees

All current and incoming Chapter Board Members, Committee Chairs and future leaders are invited to attend the Forum. The Corporate Board is also invited to attend. The goal is that all chapters in the region are represented at the Forum, with as many Board Members from different Board positions in attendance as possible. The attendee list may be expanded to include incoming Chapter Board Members, Past Presidents, Committee Chairs and other members who are interested in serving their chapter in the future. **EWI of Memphis is honored to extend an open invitation to this Forum to all EWI Chapter Representative who would like to attend.**

Registration Fee

The registration fee for attendees includes Welcoming ceremony on Friday night (light hors d'oeuvres and bar) Saturday, (two meals, keynote speaker, work sessions, and meeting materials).

Special Keynote Speaker



KRISTI EMMONS JONES
FedEx Services
EWI of Memphis

Kristi's career includes over 25 years of working with major corporate brands such as Gaylord Entertainment, TNN, CBS, McGraw-Hill Publishing and FedEx. In her current position, she and her colleague, Dan Mullally, Senior Vice President of Sales, lead the largest of three sales divisions at FedEx Services with nearly 4,000 team members to provide customers with the best solutions from a broad portfolio of transportation services.

Kristi is a graduate from the Economic Development Institute at the University of Oklahoma and studied Communications at the University of Memphis. She has been featured on Fox News, The Memphis Business Journal and was named one of Memphis's "Top Forty Under Forty" in 2003.

Kristi has been a member of EWI since 2001 and is a two-time President for EWI of Memphis. She is a graduate from the Academy of Leadership and was selected as the newest faculty member of AoL in 2014. Kristi has facilitated AoL modules at both the LCAM and Spring Conference levels, and has led presentations for various EWI Chapters such as Dallas and Memphis.

AoL Dean Lori Giovannoni, says: *"Kristi embodies the vision and philosophy of EWI and the Academy of Leadership. Her leadership abilities and corporate talents are numerous and will prove to be a great contribution to the Academy."*

Outside of FedEx and EWI, Kristi is a newlywed of almost 2 years. She and husband, Gary, love traveling, attending concerts and festivals, and spoiling their 2 fur babies, Colton and Nando.

Work Session

There will also be work sessions on Saturday March 17th that covers: Membership, Programs, and Fundraising. Please be sure to bring your Chapter's best practices to share with the attendees!



Vendor Booths

We will have vendor booths for your shopping pleasure.

Friday Night

Welcoming Ceremony at 6pm until 7:30

Afterwards there will be: Elvis Movie night in the auditorium.

EP Karaoke

Saturday

We plan to wrap up by 3pm.

Grizzlies game at 7pm for those interested

Shuttle to Beale Street (\$10)

Sunday

If you can stay over we will have Discounted Tour Tickets available. (several levels)

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REGISTRATION Form
March 16th & 17th, 2018

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS: March 10th, 2018

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION FEE: \$120.00 if registration and payment are received before February 16th, 2018
REGISTRATION FEE: \$150.00 for all registration and payment received after February 16th, 2018

- Cost includes Friday night Welcoming ceremony on Friday night (light hors d'oeuvres and bar) Saturday (meals, work sessions, and meeting materials).
- _____ Please check if you will be arriving Friday

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

_____ Check (made payable to EWI of Memphis)

_____ Online payment – Go to: www.ewi-memphis.com

Click on the calendar and go to March 16th and click on register.

ATTENDEE INFORMATION:

NAME: _____

JOB TITLE: _____

MEMBER FIRM: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

EMAIL: _____

EWI CHAPTER: _____

CHAPTER BOARD POSITION OR COMMITTEE CHAIR: _____

Please send completed registration form and payment to:

Deborah Vaughn, Chapter President

Staples

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Bartlett, TN 38135

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Hotel Reservations can be made at:

The Guesthouse of Graceland

Special Rate: \$139.00 plus tax per night

Free Shuttle to and from Airport

Or free parking if you get your ticket validated.

Block Code:180316MIDS

Cutoff Date:2-16-18

Booking Link:

<https://gc.synxis.com/rez.aspx?Hotel=68721&Chain=10237&template=MEMTG&shell=MEMTG&arrive=3/13/2018&depart=3/19/2018&adult=1&child=0&group=180316MIDS>



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