

## 2020 – 2021 FWA Events

### Hosted by President's Circle Members\*

**Work/Life Recalibration: Adapting to the New World of Work (June 2021)** – First event in a series regarding work/life recalibration where Deloitte provides current trends, insights, and leading practices that companies can use to adapt to workforce expectations as well as address the implications of these expectations across the organization. Speakers: **Matt Highfield**, Managing Director, Deloitte; **Tina Witney**, Managing Director, Deloitte. Firm: **Deloitte**.

**2021 Virtual Annual FWA Awards Ceremony (May 2021)** – Virtual ceremony honoring Public Sector Woman of the Year (**Jo Ann Jenkins, Chief Executive Officer, AARP**), Private Sector Woman of the Year (**Carla Harris, Vice Chairman and Managing Director, Morgan Stanley**), Male Ally of the Year (**Jean-Yves Fillion, CEO, BNP Paribas USA**), FWA President's Circle Pacesetters, and FWA High School and College Mentees. FWA Standard Bearer: **AARP**. FWA Supporter: **Ninety One**. Cornerstone Partner: **BNP Paribas**.

**FWA's Fourth Annual Summit - The Future is Now (March 2021)** – Two-day virtual event featuring four main sessions:

- *Session 1: Future of Work: The New Work Dynamics in a Post Pandemic Age*
- *Session 2: The Economic Outlook for the Eurozone*
- *Session 3: Courageous Conversations*
- *Session 4: Moving Forward: Stakeholder Capitalism - Reimagining Corporate Commitment to Creating Sustainable Value*

Summit Event Sponsor: **BMO**. Cornerstone Sponsor: **BNP Paribas**.

**The FWA's New Year's Celebration Benefit (January 2021)** – Virtual gathering to celebrate the new year, new opportunities, and share gratitude. Speakers: **Carla Graifer**, specialist and educator of American and local cheese; **Rudie Smith**, owner and head cheese monger of Olsson's Fine Foods; **Alexandra Janelli**, premier guided visualizationist, hypnotherapist, and life coach. Featuring: **The NY Vintners Philosophy; Olsson's Fine Foods**. Event Sponsors: **ING; New York Life; Investors Bank**.

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*\*In response to COVID-19, the FWA has delivered event content virtually since March 2020. Although our sponsors did not host these events, many of their employees benefited by attending webinars or participating interactively in these virtual sessions.*

**Annual Meeting of Members & New Member Welcome (June 2021)** – Newly elected Executive Officers and Directors are announced, and attendees hear from the incoming President, Hermina "Nina" Batson, as she outlines her vision for the upcoming FWA fiscal year.

**Alfresco Dining in NJ: Celebrating the Coming of Summer! (June 2021)** – In-person event

**Greening the Grid: Financing the Supply Chain of Tomorrow (June 2021)** – Speakers: **Catherine Loubier**, Québec's Delegate General in New York; **Keira Huang**, Investment Team, Boralex Inc.; **Eric Desaulniers**, President & CEO, Nouveau Monde Graphite.

**NAMASTE. Get Calm. TEA TIME with Cindi Bigelow, CEO of BIGELOW TEA (May 2021)** – Speakers: **Cindi Bigelow**, 3rd generation President & CEO of family-owned Bigelow Tea. **Martha Post**, Growth Catalytics.

**U.S. Economic Roundtable: What to Expect from an Economic Recovery (May 2021)** – Speakers: **Steve Liesman**, CNBC Senior Economics Reporter; **Michelle Meyer**, Chief U.S. Economist, Bank of America; **Lindsey Piegza**, Chief Economist, Stifel; **Dana Perterson**, Chief Economist, The Conference Board.

**Send Me an Angel...Investor and Crowdfunding (May 2021)** – Speakers: **Nicolas Leeper**, Senior Associate, SeedInvest; **Anna Toshach**, Senior Research Analyst - Concentrated Growth, AllianceBernstein; **Tanya van Court**, Founder and CEO, Goalsetter; **Ann Balderston-Glynn**, EMMY Award-winning Producer.

**Introduction to Coding: Building a Website (May 2021)** – Partner: **COFFEE & CODED**

**The Little Book of Life Skills: Your Day from Start to Finish with Erin Zammatt Ruddy (April 2021)** – Speaker: **Erin Zammatt Ruddy**, Author.

**Demystifying Decentralized Finance (DeFi) : The Story of 2021 (April 2021)** – Speakers: **Fabian Schär**, Professor at the University of Basel and Managing Director at the University's Center for Innovative Finance; **Mona El Isa**, Founder of Melonport Ag and CEO of Avangarde Finance; **Jacek Czarnecki**, Global Legal Counsel at Maker Foundation; **Samantha Pelosi**, Senior Vice President at BAFT; **Robert Kopitsch**, Co-Founder and Secretary General of Blockchain for Europe, and FinTech & Blockchain Lead for Europe at APCO.

**Emerging Leaders Unite: the FWA/CFA YLG's Virtual Happy Hour (March 2021)**

**The Power of Your Online Presence (March 2021)** – Speaker: **Anouk Pappas**, Brand Anthropologist, Online Presence Architect, CEO Signitt - Founder CoolBrands People.

**FWA Virtual Committee Fair 2.0 (February 2021)**

**How to Stay SANE and Productive – Even in a Crisis! (February 2021)** – Speaker: **Kathryn Mayer**, President & Founder of KC Mayer Consulting, Inc.

**Pushing Your Envelope: How People Defeat Self-Doubt and Live with Bold Confidence (February 2021)** – Speaker: **Maureen Zappala**, Keynote Speaker, Author, Presentation Skills Coach, Founder High Altitude Strategies, Podcast Host of "No Doubt Allowed"

**FWA-NJ: Meet & Mingle (Virtually) (February 2021)**

**Letting Go of LIBOR 2.0 - Countdown to December 31, 2021 (February 2021)** – Speakers: **Mark Cabana**, Managing Director, Head of US Rates Strategy, BofA Global Research; **Pia Friis**, Managing Director, MUFG; **Jeanne Naughton-Carr**, Managing Director and Associate General Counsel, The Bank of New York Mellon; **Herman "Nina" Batson**, FWA President-Elect and Leadership Council Chair

**Innovation in Healthcare: Role of Impact Investing to Build Back Better after COVID-19 (January 2021)** – Speakers: **Dr. Roopa Dhatt**, Executive Director and Co-Founder, Women in Global Health; **Curt Labelle**, MD – President, Global Health Investment Fund; Katrina Ngo, Senior Manager Strategic Partnerships, Global Impact Investing Network.

**Supply Chain Management & Trade Financing (January 2021)** – Speakers: **Jonathan Eaton**, Principal, National Supply Chain Practice Leader, Grant Thornton; **Marisel Trespalacios**, Senior International Trade Specialist, U.S. Department of Commerce's Commercial Service Long Island Office; **Ana Isabel Ramirez**, Trade & Supply Chain Finance Specialist, City National Bank; **Cristina Givolechian**, SVP – Commercial Banking, City National Bank.

**Data Driven? Do I Need to be a Data Analyst? What If I am Not a Tech Person... (January 2021)** – Speaker: **Stacey Schwarcz**, Founder and CEO, Ariel Analytics.

**Developing Personal Resilience: Learning to Thrive in a Time of Enormous Change and Ambiguity (January 2021)** – Speaker: **Charlotte Lee**, Managing Consultant, SVP, Executive Coach and ICEO Advisor of LHH.

**Influencing & Negotiating For Women: Everything You Ever Wanted to Learn in an Hour with Lee Miller (January 2021)** – Speaker: **Lee Miller**, Executive Coach and Corporate Trainer in the field of leadership, influencing and innovation.

**Taking Control of Your Health in the New Year: Fireside Chat with Dr. Laura Fisher & Simone Vinocour (January 2021)** – Speakers: **Laura Lani Fisher**, M.D. F.A.C.P.; **Simone G. Vinocour**, FWA President 2019-2021.

**Developing Followership - What Admired Leaders Do Differently (December 2020)** – Speakers: **Catherine Flax**, Managing Director, CRA; **Chloe Tseung**, Managing Director, CRA.

**Corporate Gifting and Holiday Trends featuring the Coutureman (November 2020)** – Speaker: **LaMar Wright**, The Coutureman LLC. Special Thanks: **Ethopia Lane**, Coutureman; **Harris Greenstein**, NY Vintners; **Elvia Francis**, Nordstrom; **Kareem "Reem" Warner Tyson**, videographer.

**Thinking Ahead (November 2020)** – Speakers: **Sally Glick**, Principal of the Firm, Sobel & Co; **Cynthia E. Dietzel**, Senior Vice President/Senior Sales Executive, Employee Benefit, USI Insurance Services; **Mary Ford**, CPA, MST, Tax Director, SobelCo.; **Trina Mitsch**, Financial Advisor, Managing Director - Investment Officer, Wells Fargo Advisors.

**RBG - Reflections and a Celebration of a Monumental Supreme Court Justice (November 2020)** – Speakers: **Betsy West**, Director & Producer; **Karen. M Elinski**, SVP, Government Relations & Public Policy Wells Fargo & Co. and FWA Past President (2018-2019); **Susan L. Harper**, Managing Director, Bates Group, FWA Past President 2012-2013 and FWA Military Liaison.

**Corporate Governance and Overcoming Inequality: Perspective from Women on Boards (November 2020)** – Speakers: **Maria Green**, former Senior Vice President and General Counsel, Ingersoll-Rand; **Teri McClure**,

retired General Counsel and Chief Human Resources Officer, United Parcel Service, Inc.; **Laureen Seeger**, Chief Legal Officer, American Express Company; **Gail Lieberman**, Managing Partner at Rudder Capital LLC.

**Leading Through Times of Stress (Third workshop in a series offered by Jacquelyn Wieland) (November 2020)** – Speaker: **Jacquelyn K. Wieland**, MS, BS, Solutions Provided, LLC.

**Building the Space Force: A Conversation with Brigadier General Jody A. Merritt (November 2020)** – Speaker: **Brigadier General Jody A. Merritt**.

**The Changing Landscape of Commercial Finance (October 2020)** – Speakers: **Barbara Callahan**, SVP, Investor Relations, CIT Group; **Debra Putzer**, SVP, Credit Risk Management, CIT; **Arminda Youse-Warde**, SVP, Texas Capital Bank; **Lin Chua**, President & CFOO, Head of Cap Mkts, Internex Capital.

**Make Work WORK For You! (October 2020)** – Speaker: **Carson Tate**, Consultant and Executive Coach.

**FinTech 101-The FWA Way! (October 2020)** – Speaker: **George Theka**, Senior Engineering Manager, *The New York Times*.

**Economy, Elections and Equality: A Conversation with NY Lieutenant Governor Kathy Hochul (October 2020)** – Speakers: **Kathy Hochul**, New York's Lieutenant Governor, FWA's 2019 Public Sector Woman of the Year, and recipient of the Equal Harriet Tubman Award; **Karen. M Elinski**, SVP, Government Relations & Public Policy Wells Fargo & Co. and FWA Past President (2018-2019).

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**Relaunching Your Career During COVID and Beyond (September 2020)** – Speakers: **Ann Marie Morris**, Talent Management | OD | Change Management; **Patti Mittelman**, Chair of FWA's Back2Business Program; **Robin Nack**, Marketing Manager at New York Life.

**FWA's Fireside Chat with Dan Yergin: The New Map: Energy, Climate, and the Clash of Nations (September 2020)** – Speakers: **Dan Yergin**, Expert on Energy, Politics, and Economics, and Pulitzer Prize-winner and Bestselling Author; **Patti Domm**, CNBC Markets Editor.

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**Transforming in Times of Crisis: Lessons from Executives at The Estée Lauder Companies (September 2020)** – Speakers: **Martine Broeders**, Vice President of Transformation Initiatives, Strategy & New Business Development; **Angela Han**, Vice President of Global Brand Finance & Strategy; **Jessica Ansehl Steinberg**, Executive Director, Global Online Finance & Strategy.

**Operating Principles for Impact Management: A Key Milestone in Growing the Impact Investing Market (September 2020)** – Speakers: **Diane Damskey**, Head of Secretariat, Operating Principles for Impact Management IFC; **Rekha Unnithan**, Co-head of Impact Investing, Nuveen; **Tony Berkley**, Vice President, Prudential Financial Inc.; **Manju Seal**, Former, Head of Sustainable Finance, Advisory, BMO Capital Markets.

**Alfresco Dining in NJ: A Win/Win Opportunity (September 2020)**

**Network with Selby Jennings: Helping Solve the Number One Challenge: Talent 2.0 (August 2020)** - Speakers: **Jack Trudeau**, Executive Director at Phaidon International; **Kareem Bakr**, Executive Director at

Selby Jennings; **Gary McCool**, Senior Vice President - Head of U.S. Corporate & Investment Banking; **Victoria McGill**, Director- Head of U.S. Investment Management.

**Selby Jennings: Helping Solve the Number One Challenge – Talent (August 2020)** – Speakers: **Jack Trudeau**, Executive Director at Phaidon International; **Kareem Bakr**, Executive Director at Selby Jennings; **Allison Idarraga**, SVP, Client Services & Account Management for Phaidon International North America.

**Virtual 30-Minute Mentoring Sessions (August 2020)** – Speaker: **Nancy Ancowitz**, Career Coach and Author.

**Podcast: Discovering Your Personal Productivity Style (July 2020)** – Speaker: **Carson Tate**, Consultant and Executive Coach.

**Webinar: Allies? Sponsors? What’s Really Required to Advance Women in Leadership?** – Speaker: **Jodi Detjen**, Organizational Consultant and Educator.

**Webinar: What’s Next: Planning for your Future (July 2020)** – Speaker: **Joyce Sullivan**, Senior Vice President, Operations Director at LHH.

**Webinar: Thriving as a Working Parent During a Pandemic (July 2020)** – Speakers: **Helen Dayen**, Influence Coach; **Mary E. Miele**, Education Expert of New York City Private and Public school systems.

**Webinar: Shopping and Dressing Post Corona – What Will it Look Like? (July 2020)** – Speaker: **Sharon Kornstein**, AICI, CIP, ImageDesign LLC

**Webinar: The Future of Gender, Diversity and Work in the Age of the Pandemic (July 2020)** – Speaker: **Melissa Fisher**, Cultural Anthropologist and a Visiting Scholar at New York University.

**Webinar: Leadership In A Virtual Environment (July 2020)** – Speaker: **Helen Dayen**, Influence Coach.

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