

NI In the News

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Presentation Title: Organizational Culture Card Game (Competing Values Framework)

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AIA Course: HAW557 HSW, IDCEC - CC-102233

Subject Code: 2. Interior Design/2. Design Processes

About our Presentation:

We believe that organizational culture is....simply the personality of a company that contributes to a company's sense of order, continuity and community. As a whole, it is the prevailing values, attitudes, beliefs, artifacts, and behaviors. By using the Competing Values Framework Methodology developed by Cameron and Quinn, we will engage in activity that defines 4 culture types, helps determine your own culture and how the knowledge of these culture types can assist in communication and design.

Course objectives:

- Acquire a high level of understanding of Organizational Culture
- Understand how and why culture differs with various organizations
- Demonstrate how organizational culture can inform the design of the workplace
- Discuss physical attributes of the space for both individual and group work.

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From the President....

“Don't underestimate the power of your vision to change the world. Whether that world is your office, your community, an industry or a global movement, you need to have a core belief that what you contribute can fundamentally change the paradigm or way of thinking about problems.” – Leroy Hood

A year has come and gone already. It's so hard to believe. I still remember writing my first President's Message. Wow.

In my mind it's kind of a blessing and a curse that we have one-year terms. The blessing part is pretty obvious to anyone that has held this role – it's a lot of work! There are times when trying to keep everything straight and heading in a direction while doing your regular job is pretty daunting. However, it's really cool to see the fruits of everyone's labor – and in that sense, I wish it weren't coming to an end. I feel like I am just getting my feet underneath me and that there is a head of steam going on some of the initiatives that have been started.

But luckily, there is no “I” in team, and the executive board will continue to work together as a team to further the objectives set forth by our chapter. And don't worry (or maybe you should worry!), I'm not going anywhere. Even though I will transition to my new role as advisor, my involvement in IFMA will not waiver. As I wrote about in my first message, IFMA holds a very special place in my heart, as it was the first organization I became involved in with my sales career. IFMA has seen me transition from a nervous wreck of a networker that just wanted to stand in a corner and hope nobody noticed her having nobody to talk to to a confident advocate of the organization.

I want to thank everyone for their support this year and I want to thank all of our volunteers for all the great work they have done and will continue to do. We all lead very busy lives, but the fate of this chapter rests on the willingness of volunteers to work on its behalf and accept the success of the chapter and ultimately the industry as a whole as their payment. I cannot express enough how appreciated that is and how necessary it remains. We can't expect to change the world if we don't put forth the work to change it.

With that being said, this month's phrase that pays is, “Change your world.”

Warmest wishes,

Laura Ingram



Don't forget to get “LinkedIn” with our chapter IFMA NI Chapter Group

Mark your Calendars!!!!

Our program committee has been working hard. Below are the upcoming dates and places for the Northern Illinois Chapter.

May 2:

Fountaindale Public Library District
300 W. Briarcliff Road
Bolingbrook, IL

June 6:

Kinfork Restaurant
Woodfield Mall
Schaumburg, IL

June 27:

Networking Event—Chain O Lakes

Jul 11:

Elmhurst College
190 S Prospect Ave
Elmhurst, IL

July 27:

Networking Event with IFMA Chicago
White Sox game at US Cellular Field. 7:05 game

August 8:

Associate Showcase and IFMA Bucks Raffle
Chandlers in Schaumburg

September 5:

Mazak Corporation
300 Commerce Dr
Schaumburg, IL

Speakers and presentation information will be coming soon. Make your 2017 new year's resolution to attend more NI IFMA meetings!!



Northern Illinois University

Facility Management Professional (FMP) & Sustainability Facility Professional (SFP)

Information and Registration: <http://www.fm.niu.edu>

Location: Virtual Classroom

Questions? Contact: dmann@niu.edu or [815-732-6249](tel:815-732-6249)

May Meeting Pictures



You can see more photos from May on our website.

NI IFMA Dues Update

We surveyed the chapter and asked questions about dues. Based on the responses, chapter members were in favor of raising the dues and making the meetings at no additional charge. The chapter has submitted paperwork to change our dues and our change has been approved by IFMA. Our fiscal year ends in June of 2017. Starting our new fiscal year, our chapter dues will go from \$92 to \$212. This is an increase of \$120 or the equivalent of 4 meetings. The advantage to this is that, when you renew, you will receive all the monthly meetings at no additional cost. This will not include our networking events or the holiday party. Until your renewal for the 2017-2018 fiscal year, you will still be charged the monthly fee of \$30 to attend. Once you have renewed under the new dues structure, your meetings will be free. If you have any questions, please contact our chapter administrator at chapteradministrator@ifmani.org.

NI IFMA In the News....

Congratulations to Moore Landscapes for winning three awards in I-Plants Magazine's International Design Contest. Moore won first place in the Atrium Gardens category for their interior planting at the Presidents Plaza in Chicago. They also won first place in the Holiday Décor category for their project at 231 LaSalle in Chicago. They also won second place for their holiday décor project at 200 S. Wacker in Chicago.

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About our Speakers:

Pat Turnbull is President and COO of Kayhan International, a leading workplace strategy and commercial furniture company headquartered in Chicago, Illinois. Turnbull has 25 years of experience leading businesses to higher levels of performance. In her work, she is involved in helping clients achieve highly productive, adaptable and sustainable work space tailored to enhance business results. During the course of her career, Turnbull has focused her efforts on contributing to a more productive and sustainable built environment as well as to advancing the facility management profession. She joined IFMA in 1993, is the past chair of the IFMA Foundation, former member of the IFMA Board of Directors, and is an IFMA Fellow. She is a current member of both the Northern Illinois and Chicago Chapters of IFMA as well as the REAL and WE Communities of IFMA. Turnbull has been recognized by CORNET as Service Provider of the Year and by the Chicago's Women in Real Estate Association. She is a contributing author to *Work on the Move* and *Work on the Move 2* as well as a prominent, highly rated speaker at industry events/global conferences. Turnbull holds a Master's Degree from UCLA, is a LEED Accredited Professional and IFMA Fellow.

Lynda Ward is an established senior organizational and transition management strategist. She has twenty-five plus years of experience with multi-national organizations to increase revenue, reduce costs, accelerate team effectiveness and improve individual performance. Lynda has consulted with Fortune 100 companies and organizations in the technology, education, retail, energy, financial, government and defense industries. She is a recognized thought leader in globalization and economic market change.

Lynda holds credentials from the Illinois Institute of Technology in Design Thinking, Graduate School of Design at Harvard University in Building Competitive Advantage and is an American Arbitration Association Certified Mediator.

Networking Event

Tuesday, June 27

2 hour cruise on the Chain of Lakes

5:30 to 7:30 PM

Location: Famous Freddie's on Pistakee Lake
510 S. Park
Fox Lake, IL

Cost: \$20 (40 people maximum)

Drinks: Keg of Beer, 3 brand liquor, soda and mixer

Food: 6 – 18" Pizzas, 2 Cold Sampler Platter (mini wraps, bruschetta, veggies w/ ranch dip)

Sponsors: **Ingram Enterprises**

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FORE!!!!

Registration for the 28th annual IFMA/NI Golf Outing opens on April 28th. Use the link on the chapter website to reserve your spot or book your foursome. The outing size is limited, so don't delay. Click [here](#)

We are planning a great day of networking for both FM and vendor members and friends. This year's outing includes some new games and new prizes. Maybe even a new surprise guest. If you had fun last year, tell your friends. If you didn't, tell us so we can do better.

Early bird rates are available. Grab yours as soon as you can. Professional FM members: register and pay now; if a vendor later invites to join their paid foursome, we will refund your paid registration fee.

2017 Golf registration fees:

No later than May 31 Single \$180 Foursome \$700

No later than August 31 Single \$195 Foursome \$750

September 1 thru Sept. 14 Single \$210 Foursome \$850

Registration includes food events, pro shop gift card, and door prize tickets.

Join us for pre- and post-golf food only \$50 [Click here to register]

The chapter will again share the proceeds of the outing with Aspire of Illinois and The Greater Chicago Food Depository. Your support goes a long way ... probably further than my drives.

Sponsors

Sponsors, start your golf carts. The time has come to get your name in front of both current clients and potential customers.

Click [here](#) for the best selection. Don't delay. Some categories can sell out. As an added incentive, take 10% off your sponsorship paid in full no later than July 1st. (If you renewed at the 2016 levels, we will offer you a refund to match the discounted amount.) All paid sponsorships include two tickets for pre- and post-golf food events.

Able to donate a door prize for the drawing? Check the box and we will contact you. Click [here](#)

If you have a sponsoring idea that is not on the form, contact the chapter administrator (chapteradministrator@ifmani.org). We welcome new ideas and will work with you on any reasonable proposal.



White Sox vs Cubs

July 27, 2017

US Cellular Field

Game time 7:10. We will have dinner in the picnic area prior to the game with food and drinks included. Picnic area will open at 5:00.

Price \$100 a ticket. The chapter only has 30 tickets. First come, first served. Tickets can only be purchased 1 per member.

Join us August 8th for our Tenth Annual Associate Showcase and Raffle presented by the Membership and Programming Committees. Come and view some of your fellow vendor products and then use all your IFMA Bucks for raffle prizes!

Don't forget your Bucks!!!!

As in previous years, your IFMA bucks will be turned into raffle tickets!

**All no shows will be billed.



IFMA Chicago Meeting—June 15 at Petterinos in Chicago

COME JOIN US FOR THE JUNE LUNCH PROGRAM

NEW TECHNOLOGIES IN SECURITY

Presented by Diane Wesolowski of Kastle Systems

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The presentation will provide you with knowledge of the latest technologies in the Security Marketplace helping organizations become more secure, convenient and improve operational processes. Topics of discussion are:

Digital Credential – current environment and future

Cloud Based Technologies – different technologies and benefits

Active Directory Integration – operational improvement and improved security

ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Diane Wesolowski is responsible for Business Development for Kastle in the Midwest Region, and has been with Kastle since January of 2015.

Diane has over 20+ years of experience in Technology/Managed Services, and has focused on working with clients to understand their current environments, challenges and opportunities for improvement, areas for cost control and/or reduction, all why increasing technology and service.

June 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Schedule of Events

- June 6—Kinfork Restaurant in Woodfield Mall
- June 27—Networking event on the Chain 'o Lakes
- July 11—Elmhurst College in Elmhurst
- July 27—Networking event with IFMA Chicago—White Sox Game at US Cellular Field. 7:05 game
- August 8—Associate Showcase and IFMA Bucks Raffle
- September 5—Mazak
- October 10—Educational Meeting. Connect, Train, Plan, Report: Active Shooter in the Workplace

Directions to Kinfork Restaurant/Woodfield Mall

From Milwaukee and North:

Head south on Interstate 94 to Interstate 294. Remain on Interstate 294 southbound to Interstate 90. Then head west on Interstate 90 to Illinois Route 53 southbound to Woodfield Road.

From Joliet and South:

Head north on Interstate 355 to Interstate 290. Continue west on Interstate 290 and exit at Illinois Route 72/Higgins Road. Remain on Frontage Road to Woodfield Road and then turn left.

From Rockford and East:

Take Interstate 90 west to Illinois Route 53. Head south on Illinois 53 and exit at Woodfield Road.

From Southwest Suburbs:

Head north on Interstate 294 to Interstate 290. Then head west on Interstate 290 and exit at Illinois Route 72/Higgins Road. Remain on Frontage Road to Woodfield Road and then turn left.



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