



INN AT LORETTO • SANTA FE, NM • NOVEMBER 5-7, 2015

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

Thursday, November 5	
2-6 p.m.	Registration
3-3:45 p.m.	Welcome & Introductions Remembrance of Utah House Speaker Becky Lockhart <i>Speaker:</i> Curt Bramble, NCSL President and Senate President Pro Tem, Utah
3:45-5 p.m.	Secrets of Great Women Leaders History is filled with strong and successful women leaders. No one is better suited to help women legislative leaders learn about some of the most admired leaders than Robin Gerber, a scholar, author, attorney, journalist and frequent commentator for major media outlets. <i>Speaker:</i> Robin Gerber, author of <i>Leadership the Eleanor Roosevelt Way</i>
6-7 p.m.	Opening Reception
7 p.m.	Dinner

Friday, November 6	
7:30-11 a.m.	Registration
8-8:45 a.m.	Breakfast
9-10 a.m.	Achieving Balance A noted work-life balance expert will discuss the truths and myths of balancing a busy life. Learn tangible ways of dealing with stress and cultivating ways to make you a more effective leader. <i>Speaker:</i> Dr. Amy Freeman, Assistant Dean, College of Engineering, Pennsylvania State University
10:15-11:15 a.m.	Leadership Roundtable In this wide ranging and interactive discussion, you will learn from your peers at the meeting about what it takes to be a successful legislative leader in the fast-paced, and highly demanding, legislative environment.

Friday, November 6, continued	
11:15–11:30 a.m.	Break
11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.	<p>The Political Landscape</p> <p>Don Gonyea is an NPR National Political Correspondent based in Washington, D.C., who spends much of his time traveling throughout the United States covering campaigns, elections, and the political climate throughout the country. He will lead a discussion about the national political scene as the country prepares for the 2016 elections.</p> <p><i>Speaker:</i> Don Gonyea, National Public Radio</p>
12:30–1:30 p.m.	Lunch
1:30–4:15 p.m.	<p>How to Move Your Agenda Forward with Power, Authority and Authenticity</p> <p>This workshop will share the keys to powering up your communications and professional interactions to help you reach your leadership potential, and to share your messages, initiatives and visions in ways that engender excitement, engagement, and support. Kathy guides you through the important lessons she’s learned regarding the critical steps to take to uncover your “power gaps” in your communication style and interpersonal approach, and how to close those gaps to become more confident, authoritative and effective in your communications and interactions.</p> <p><i>Speaker:</i> Kathy Caprino, Ellia Communications</p>
6:30 p.m.	Reception and Dinner

Saturday, November 7	
8–9 a.m.	Breakfast
9–11:30 a.m.	<p>Promises, Promises</p> <p>A truly united team of teams delivers a competitive advantage. People often struggle to see past their own needs and miss their vital role within their organization's grand scheme. The symptoms are obvious: distrust, self-serving behavior and broken commitments. The results of that kind of environment are worse: compromised quality, minimal productivity and terrible service. This exercise will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maximize productivity through “we” versus “me” • Build an efficient and comfortable environment by fostering trust • Understand how individual roles impact overall success • Effective communication delivers exceptional service <p><i>Facilitator:</i> Lorraine McCrossan, Eagle’s Flight Creative Training Excellence Inc.</p>