

SEPTEMBER 2019



Message from the President

As we begin the next season of FEI, I want to welcome you back! I'm very much looking forward to this next year, and I know all of you are as well. The Programs Committee has been working tirelessly to put together a slate of meaningful events for the year -- please add these to your personal calendar so that you can join us for as many learning and connecting opportunities as your schedule permits. The Committee is providing even more programming options this year, so please do join us when you are able, and connect in person with this powerful network. [My favorite part of FEI is getting to know all of you, and that is what keeps me coming back meeting after meeting, and event after event.](#) My hope is that you find the programs/events that you attend worthwhile and helpful in your work life (or just plain fun!).

Membership Development has a goal to add 20 new faces to our group this year. We need each of you to help recruit these new members, and even more importantly, help retain them! More leaders make for a stronger Chapter and even more meaningful connections. We are all still basking in the glory of winning the "Membership Net Growth Award" in May. My goal is for our Chapter to repeat this accomplishment at the [Vision:2020 Annual Financial Leadership Summit](#) in Chicago! Mark your calendars!

Welcome back, and let's make this a great FEI year!



Judy Roy
President, Fort Wayne Chapter
EVP-Finance & Administration | Indiana Tech

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Our Chapter has transitioned our event marketing to FEI's National office.

As part of this change, Chapter communications will be sent via fortwayne@financialexecutives.org.

To ensure you receive future communications from this address please add it to the contact list of your preferred email clients.

UPCOMING EVENTS

View all events and register [here](#).

Career Management

All events are from 7:00 am – 8:00 am.

- Oct. 1, 2019
- Nov. 5, 2019
- Feb. 4, 2020
- Mar. 3, 2020
- Apr. 7, 2020

Unity in the Community

All events are from 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm.

- Sept. 26, 2019
- Oct. 24, 2019
- Jan. 23, 2020
- Feb. 27, 2020
- Mar. 26, 2020
- Apr. 23, 2020

Chapter Meetings / PD Sessions

Timing of events vary from month-to-month.

- Sept. 16, 2019
Sharpen Your Team & Strategy
- Oct. 8, 2019
Economic Outlook
- Nov. 18, 2019
Blackline
- Jan. 13, 2020
CEO Panel
- Feb. 18, 2020
Buy, Sell, Hold Panel
- Mar. 17, 2020
Tour / TBD
- Apr. 20, 2020
Student Night

Message from the Member Engagement Committee

Matt Fortney

This is the year for Member Engagement! We have had tremendous membership growth over the recent years, and we are focused on providing value for your time and your membership dues. You will hear this engagement focus from our FEI Chapter as well as from FEI National.

All of our roles, both personal and professional, are fast paced and high stress. Engaging with peers who are experiencing similar highlights and struggles make our lives a little easier. In fact, neuroscientist, Moran Cerf says “The more we study engagement, we see time and again that just being next to certain people actually aligns your brain with them ... This means the people you hang out with actually have an impact on your engagement with reality beyond what you can explain. And one of the effects is you become alike.” Motivational speaker, Jim Rohn says “we are the average of the five people we spend the most time with.”

All of this points to engaging, both personally and professionally, with meaningful people in your life on a constant mission to become a BETTER YOU. As we kick off the new FEI season, we are excited to see everyone again. We are excited to learn together and have fun together. And we are excited to experience the Better You!



MEMBER • GET • A • MEMBER

NEW MEMBER ACQUISITION CHALLENGE

INVITE

Encourage colleagues & professional peers to join.



SHARE

Share FEI's unique value, benefits and services.



REWARD

The more you recruit, the more rewards you earn!



INTERACTION

Local, national and virtual forums to connect with your peers

INFORMATION

Insight to assist in informed business decisions

INFLUENCE

Authoritative representation for your interests

INTEGRITY

Tools to advance the profession through ethical leadership

SEPTEMBER 9, 2019 - JANUARY 31, 2020

Member-Get-A-Member (MGAM)
This membership acquisition challenge provides current members the opportunity to share personal insight into the unique value of FEI's membership, and inform prospects of benefits and services, and be rewarded for acquisition efforts.

BE REWARDED FOR YOUR EFFORTS!
Members who recruit qualified prospects by January 31 will receive:
\$50 American Express Gift Card
per new executive category member recruited

For more details, contact FEI's Member Services Department -

Congratulations to us!

MEMBERSHIP NET GROWTH AWARD

- and -

MOST OUTSTANDING CHAPTER AWARD

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IN-PERSON

WEBINARS

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