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Hello Dallas Chapter and Happy February! What a busy month February is. Among those events, this month includes Black History Month, National Heart Month, and of course, it is the month of love. February has always been one of my favorite months out of the year.

Thank you to everyone who participated in the first business meeting of the year—what a great meeting we had. We had the opportunity to hear about financial and retirement planning from the fabulous Lindsay Jones of Ameriprise Financial Services, Inc. It was so great to hear about these topics, and a special thank you to her for taking the time to speak with us and sharing her presentation and checklist. Our first business meeting of the year was both efficient and successful. Thank you again to the Board for working hard to plan for this meeting and for our membership for joining and ensuring we had a quorum. Additionally, a special thank you to Amelie Brewer and High Profile, Inc. for our door prize donations for the meeting.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone on February 16<sup>th</sup> for our monthly chapter meeting. As February is Heart Health Month, we are very excited to have Vicki Matava, RN speak with us. Vicki is currently in graduate school at UT Austin, pursuing an Advanced Practice Nursing degree, and will graduate in May as an Advanced Practice Nurse (APRN) specializing in adult cardiology. Additionally, she happens to be one of Amelie's oldest and closest friends. We very much look forward to hearing from Vicki! Please be sure and **wear red** to our zoom meeting in honor of heart health.

Deborah Tough, Interim Fundraising Director, and her committee are hard at work on our spring fundraiser. Stay tuned for more information in the coming weeks. We are very excited to launch this soon and hope to have participation from the entire chapter. Thank you all in advance for your support of our fundraising efforts!

Let's keep doing everything we can to LEAD our chapter, LEARN and grow both the chapter and within our personal and professional lives, and INSPIRE those around us in every way possible to do the same. Please reach out if you need anything at all! Be safe, be well.

Virtual hugs,

Lisa Tignor  
2020-2021 EWI of Dallas President



*New member  
spotlight!!*



BGSF



*Katie Summerfield,  
Executive Assistant*

Katie is excited to join EWI’s Dallas Chapter. She supports Beth Garvey, CEO of BGSF – an international workforce solutions provider headquartered in Plano, TX. Prior to joining BGSF in October of 2020, Katie enjoyed several years working as a fundraiser for nonprofit organizations like the Dallas Regional Chamber and John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. She is the lucky wife of husband Tighe and proud mother of two-year-old son Harrison.

Katie enjoys volunteering with her local chapter of the League of Women Voters and is an avid supporter of the arts. When she’s not working, volunteering, or chasing her toddler around the house, you can find Katie cozying up to a good book or cooking up a storm in her kitchen.



Beth Garvey began serving as President and Chief Executive Officer of BGSF in October 2018. Garvey previously served as Chief Operating Officer from August 2016 and joined BGSF through the company's acquisition of InStaff in 2013. Garvey started at InStaff in 1998 as Director of Human Resources, subsequently serving as Director of Operations, VP of Operations, Senior VP of Operations, COO and ultimately CEO prior to our acquisition.

The Staffing Industry Analysts has recognized her as one of North America Staffing 100 for the previous two years and included her in the Global Power 150 – Women in Staffing list for the past three years. In addition, D CEO has named her as one of the top Dallas 500 Business Leaders four times. In 2010, Garvey was a Dallas Business Journal ‘Women in Business’ honoree recognizing outstanding local women business leaders who not only make a difference in their industries but also in their communities.

Beth currently serves on the Board of Directors of the Dallas Regional Chamber. She is a past chair of the Executive Committee for the Dallas Executive Women’s Roundtable and is on the Board of Directors for The Family Place, non-profit supporting victims of family violence. As well, she is a founding member of Y Texas, as well as a Board Member of the Y Texas Foundation an initiative of Texas CEOs to help advance workforce development initiatives for students and veterans in the State of Texas. Recently, Garvey was named as a finalist in the EY Entrepreneur of the Year® 2020 Award for the Southwest region.

*Beth Garvey,  
President & CEO*



# REMEMBER, EDUCATE, CELEBRATE.

## BLACK HISTORY MONTH



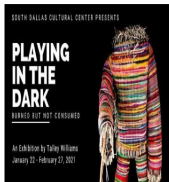
### WHAT'S GOING ON...

# ARTS & CULTURE IN DALLAS

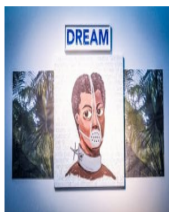
# Black History Month

## IN-PERSON PROGRAMS

- **Hair Story: Myths, Magic & Methods of Black Hair**
  - African American Museum
  - Through February 13th
  - Hair Story seeks to explore how Black hair is more than mere follicles: it's economic, political, and spiritual. The exhibit is curated by and features work from Dallas-based visual artists and seeks to celebrate Black hair and its complicated roots.
- **Moth to Cloth: Silk in Africa**
  - Dallas Museum of Art
  - Through October 24th
  - Silk was traded between African peoples across the continent and was also imported from Europe, India, China, and the Middle East. This installation of cloths drawn from the DMA permanent collection explores the production of silk and silk textiles in Ghana, Nigeria, and Madagascar.
- **Playing in the Dark: Burned but Not Consumed**
  - South Dallas Cultural Center (BY APPOINTMENT ONLY)
  - Exhibition: Friday, February 22nd
  - SOCC is pleased to present the work of Talley Williams. A self-taught artist, Williams' sculptural pieces are inspired by her dreams, visions, and premonitions. This exhibition is deeply conceptual, evoking both spirit and nature to encourage conversation and reflection.



- **The BLX Experience: A Black Lives Matter Instagramable Museum**
  - Urban Arts Center
  - Through February 28th
  - Step into an interactive experience by touring eight spaces highlighting profound Black experiences that will shine a light of the strengths and struggles of Black lives throughout history. Individuals can revel in the creativity of the spaces and honor the history of Black culture.
- **Carroll Harris Simms National Black Art Exhibition**
  - African American Museum
  - Through May 10th
  - This exhibition program was established in 1976 at the African American Museum. The program expands the Museum's distinguished fine art collection and provides Black artists a venue to display their work.
- **Vicki Meek: 3 Decades of Social Commentary**
  - African American Museum
  - Through March 1st
  - For 3 Decades Vicki Meek has created installations that critique, examine and comment on the African American experience in the United States, as well as her own reactions to social injustice, African American heroes and heroines and the African and African American aesthetic. Her work reflects the ideals developed during the Black Power Movement and the accompanying Black Arts Movement of the 1960s.



## VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

- **Music Lounge Studio Sessions featuring Art Inspired Healing Collective**
  - South Dallas Cultural Center
  - Premieres February 5th
  - Join SOCC for a special BHM edition of Music Lounge featuring Art Inspired Healing Collective based in Dallas. AIH presents a unique experience of music and meditation.
- **DBDT: Encore! Reminisce**
  - Dallas Black Dance Theatre
  - February 6th | 7 PM
  - The historical work Reminisce reflects on the civil rights era through the music of Andra Day, Aretha Franklin, and Gladys Knight & the Pips with the empowering words of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
- **A Virtual Chat with Nancy Churnin and Felicia Marshall**
  - Oak Cliff Cultural Center
  - February 10th | 12 PM
  - Celebrate the art of Laura Wheeler Waring by joining a chat about the book "Beautiful Shades of Brown: The Art of Laura Wheeler Waring" joining us will be author, Nancy Churnin, and illustrator, Felicia Marshall. Chat will be moderated by John Spriggins, manager of South Dallas Cultural Center.
- **Duet #2 Performance by Beckles Dancing Company**
  - South Dallas Cultural Center
  - Premieres February 13th
- **Verse & Rhythm celebrating Laura Wheeler Waring**
  - Oak Cliff Cultural Center
  - Deadline: February 19th
  - Artists, Pre-K – 5th grade, are invited to submit a poem with the prompt "Beautiful Shades of Brown".
  - Submit to: monica.luna@dalloscultural.com
  - Final Judge: B. Randall
  - Winners announced on February 26th
- **Arts & Letters Live: Selected Shorts presents Toni Morrison Remembered**
  - Dallas Museum of Art and NEA
  - February 20th | 7 PM
  - Selected Shorts returns to Arts & Letters Live with a tribute to Toni Morrison, whose fierce, poetic visions articulate deep truths about the nature of racial injustice in America. Hosted by award-winning author Yoo Gyeon.
- **paintOVT with DPD and Tyra Goodley**
  - Oak Cliff Cultural Center and DPD
  - February 27th | 11 AM (Registration opens February 18 at 7 PM)
  - Join middle and high school students can join OCS for a creative time with DPD and artist Tyra Goodley. This virtual workshop will create an opportunity to share and create with DPD while honoring Black History Month.
- **Virtual Studio: Black Love All-Encompassing**
  - Dallas Museum of Art
  - Through February 27th
  - Virtual Studio: Black Love All-Encompassing focuses on the stories of Black people around the world in order to sit with what it means to think about Black love in a variety of ways.
- **Virtual Gallery: Idet by Imyang Esien**
  - Dallas Public Library
  - Idet translates to "hair" in Ibibio — a dialect spoken primarily in the Southeastern region of Nigeria. This virtual gallery is of portraits of threaded hairstyles. Capitalizing on the flexibility and strength of Black hair, hair thread is used to manipulate the hair into unique styles.
- **Lunch & Learn Talkback on Children and Racism**
  - Dallas Children's Theater
  - For families looking for meaningful ways to talk with children about race and racism, but are uncertain on where to begin, this recorded virtual event provides guidance and suggestions, as well as a reading list for further engagement. Created on the heels of the world premiere of a new virtual production entitled, A KIDS PLAY ABOUT RACISM.
  - This talkback was originally hosted on August 7th, but is available in its entirety as a resource for families at [dct.org/kidsplay](https://dct.org/kidsplay).

## EXECUTIVE WOMEN INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM (EWISP) DESCRIPTION & REQUIREMENTS

**2021 EWISP APPLICATIONS ARE NOW OPEN!!**

Scholarship applications must be submitted electronically by  
**Friday, March 26, 2021, at 11:59pm CDT**

The Executive Women International Scholarship Program (EWISP) has been helping high school seniors/12<sup>th</sup> graders achieve their academic goals for over 35 years. The EWISP program is an annual, competition-based program which awards college scholarship money each year to qualifying high school seniors. The applicants will be judged on several factors with special emphasis on their financial need, leadership qualities, extracurricular activities, scholastic records, oral and written communication skills, creativity, awards and honors, attitude, and career goals. **Only one senior per high school may be nominated by their counselor or school administrator.** Up to \$10,000 will be awarded at the EWI of Dallas Scholarship Awards Dinner in May 2021.

### Applicants must meet the following eligibility requirements:

- Currently a high school senior and 18 years of age by September 1, 2021
- Nominated by his/her school counselor or school administrator
- Enrolled in a public, private, parochial school or homeschooled
- Legally reside in the USA and live within boundaries of Dallas, Collin, or Tarrant counties
- Plan to pursue a degree at an accredited post-secondary institution
- Have a demonstrated financial need
- Have a minimum 3.00 GPA on a 4.0 scale
- Have contributed to their community as demonstrated by their involvement in extracurricular activities, work, religious, civic, or volunteer activities

### Please note – students are required to upload the following documents:

- FAFSA/TAFSA Student Aid Report
- Prior Year Income Tax Return for parents or legal guardian
- Current Student Transcripts
- ACT/SAT Scores
- Two (2) Letters of Recommendation
- Personal Essay

### **\*\*School Counselors and Administrators\*\***

To nominate a high school senior and receive the link to the online application, please email [ewi.dallas.scholarships@gmail.com](mailto:ewi.dallas.scholarships@gmail.com) the following information about your nominee:

1. Student's full name
2. Name of high school they are attending
3. Student's email address

If you have any questions, please contact **EWI of Dallas - Scholarships**  
[ewi.dallas.scholarships@gmail.com](mailto:ewi.dallas.scholarships@gmail.com)

## ADULT STUDENTS IN SCHOLASTIC TRANSITION (ASIST) PROGRAM DESCRIPTION & REQUIREMENTS

**2021 ASIST APPLICATIONS ARE NOW OPEN!!**

Scholarship applications must be submitted electronically by  
**Friday, March 26, 2021, at 11:59pm CDT**

**[Click here to apply for the 2021 ASIST Scholarship!](#)**

The EWI Adult Students in Scholastic Transition (ASIST) Scholarship Program helps provide financial support to adult students in a variety of transitional situations. The ASIST Scholarship is a non-discriminatory, educational scholarship program for the benefit of non-traditional men and women pursuing an associate's, bachelor's or master's degree, or a technical/professional certificate. Selection criteria includes, but is not limited to financial need, social, physical and economic challenges, and individuals with children residing in the home. Up to \$10,000 will be awarded at the EWI of Dallas Scholarship Awards Dinner in May 2020.

### **ASIST applicants must meet the following eligibility requirements:**

- **Not** currently enrolled in high school
- 18 years of age or older by the application deadline
- Adult students entering a college, university, trade school and/or the workforce for the first time
- Non-traditional students already enrolled in a college, university, or trade school
- Persons in need of re-training due to changes in the workplace
- Legally reside in the USA and **live within boundaries of Dallas, Collin or Tarrant counties**

### **Applicants must be able to:**

- Clearly define career goals and objectives
- Specify the educational requirements needed to attain the above goals and objectives
- Demonstrate utilization of re-entry programs available through colleges/universities/technology centers, community agencies, service groups or career professionals

### **\*\*Please note – students are required to upload the following documents:**

- **Transcripts from schools attending (or most recent school attended)**
- **Prior year income tax return**
- **Two (2) Letters of Recommendation**
- **Personal Essay**
- **SAT/ACT scores (optional)**

If you have any questions please contact **EWI of Dallas - Scholarships**

**[ewi.dallas.scholarships@gmail.com](mailto:ewi.dallas.scholarships@gmail.com)**

# Email Etiquette to Boost Your Career This Year

With [working from home](#) as the new norm and office culture nearly nonexistent, [email etiquette](#) has become more important than ever. In a world gone remote, who you are as a professional is seen through your emails. Unlike Instagram DMs, you can't unsend an email — so be careful if you accidentally click reply all on a company-wide note. As many office workers communicating over email more than ever, the approach and language are even more impactful. I spoke to Global Human Resource Executive Maria Neve, who is also Founder & Transformation Coach at [Fearlesshe](#), to discuss ways to elevate your email game. “How many times have you read an email and shouted at the screen or rolled your eyes or ignored the email?” Neve asks. “Getting your email not only read, yet also ‘felt’ with a positive impact is a skill to practice.”

## **Stay away from using ‘unprecedented times’.**

If you think writing ‘unprecedented times’ will capture their attention, think again. “We all know. We don’t need reminding; in fact we want to get out of it as quickly as possible. This adds nothing but pain triggers to the receiver,” Neve adds. The first line of an email hooks someone in, so be original and make it personal.

## **Match their style.**

“If the sender is brief in their emails, be brief and to the point in yours. If they keep it direct and focused on business, keep it direct and business focused. If they ask about your family, ask about theirs too,” she explains. This tactic will be sure to help with your business needs in whatever task you’re looking to complete from new business or day-to-day action items.

## **The subject line should have a clear and meaningful purpose.**

Before you even get to the body of the message, the subject line should quickly state the purpose of the email. “It’s the first thing they see,” Neve says. “It can mean the difference between your email being read and being left in the mix of ‘forgotten/not responded’ emails.” Without even opening the email, the recipient should already know how to prioritize your message above others in their inbox.

## **Be conscious of your language.**

“Use neutral words to avoid tone being misread. Also avoid limiting words (But, should, try, don’t/can’t, why) and get conscious of words and phrases that have biased/gendered/racist/homophobic/and any discriminatory roots,” she cautions. Sometimes even the slightest words can change the entire message, so it’s important to be cognizant of vocabulary that will benefit you, not hurt you.

### Leave 'Best', 'Take Care' and 'Kind Regards' in 2020.

While these all have good intentions, they're bland and overdone words that can come off as impersonal. "Just as first impressions matter, so do last. Find a way to close that matches the email content, personalize it. If you're not sure, I always say end everything with gratitude. A simple thank you neurologically creates a more positive reaction in the brain of the sender and the receiver of the email."

### Keep it professional.

This isn't a group text with your besties. Whatever you're putting in writing on your professional email system, it's always safe to keep it professional. Refrain from using texting staples such as 'LOL, lmao, LMK, haha and xoxo'. Neve adds, "Even if you feel you have a personal connection, keep your written communication respectful, focused on the purpose of the email and matched to the style of your sender."

### Don't miss an opportunity with your email signature.

The email signature is one of the most important parts of your email, "your signature is a virtual representation of you," Neve states. "How do you want to be remembered? Even if you have a company style you are required to stick to, can you add in a quote or a hyperlink to your latest (professional) blog."

### Remember that your email is for headline communication and sharing information.

"It is not a place to tell stories, long essays and vent your frustrations. There are other groups and places for that. Good email practice can literally mean the difference between being 'virtually seen' and your message being moved to junk," she explains. Always keep in mind what you're trying to accomplish with your messages.

### Sarcasm and secrets do not belong in emails.

"Yes, really. Keep these for your friends or your journal," Neve says. "It's not worth including a potential chuckle that could be seen in the wrong light and create an unnecessary issue for yourself. And it doesn't matter who you're emailing, secrets do not belong in emails. Don't send anything that you wouldn't want the entire office knowing because mistakes happen and you never know."

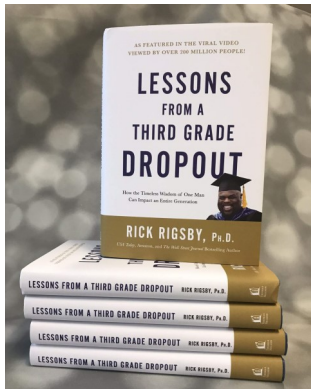
No matter what you do for a living, if you're a junior team member or an executive, these tips can help you succeed in your field. It's all about clear communication.



Do you have a book that you just absolutely LOVE? Or a book that stirred something deep in your soul? A book that your mind keeps coming back to even after you've finished it? If so, we want to know!! Submit your recommendation to [katie@vaultjet.com](mailto:katie@vaultjet.com) so we can expand our minds together!

# The Book Nook

## Lessons from a Third Grade DROPOUT by Dr. Rick Rigsby



Submitted by Jeannette Davis

**Lessons from a Third Grade DROPOUT** by [Dr. Rick Rigsby](#) was a book recommended by a dear friend last year in the midst of racial inequality and unrest in America. My friend asked had I read the book or seen the video of Dr. Rick Rigsby and I indicated that I had not. After hearing my friend describe the book and video...I immediately knew that I wanted to read it...my interest increased after viewing the video which has been viewed by over 200 million people.

I could personally relate to learning life lessons from my father who was a skilled carpenter but also dropped out of school in the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade...but there was nothing he could not build...and the wisdom he poured into me and my siblings I still value today. Dr. Rigsby sharing his life

lessons in his book is greatly appreciated and thus my reason for recommending this book to you my EWI sisters. I have since had the opportunity to meet Dr. Rigsby as he lives in the DFW Metroplex in Prosper, TX.



**PURCHASE NOW**





## 10 Tips to Help Beat the Winter Blues

By [Sara Lindberg, M.Ed](#)

The winter blues can take a toll on your physical and mental health. And while you can't change the season, you can make choices to help minimize the effects of feeling down.

1. Take a Break From the News
2. Boost Your Mood with Food
3. Keep Up Your Sleep Routine
4. Do Some Physical Activity
5. Try the 10x10x10 Rule
6. Call On Your Support System
7. Seek Out the Sun
8. Light Therapy
9. Seek Professional Help
10. Consider Medication

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### MINDFUL HABITS TO FIGHT BIAS DAILY

## DECENTERING FROM NEGATIVE THOUGHT PATTERNS

A powerful intention in mindfulness practice is to be able to take a step back from our passing thoughts and emotions, instead of assuming that they are true or that they define us. Research on rumination in depression patients reveals that decentering can be highly effective for combating negative self-referencing thoughts. This illustrates the principle that recognizing thoughts and feelings do not always reflect reality, but strips them of some of their power. When it comes to biased thoughts, self-reflection is much easier when we embrace the idea that our thoughts about ourselves and others are temporary and open to re-examination.



Source: [mindful.org](#)

## Happiness Chemicals and how to hack them

### DOPAMINE THE REWARD CHEMICAL

- Completing a task
- Doing self-care activities
- Eating food
- Celebrating little wins



### OXYTOCIN THE LOVE HORMONE

- Playing with a dog
- Playing with a baby
- Holding hand
- Hugging your family
- Give compliment



### SEROTONIN THE MOOD STABILIZER

- Meditating
- Running
- Sun exposure
- Walk in nature
- Swimming
- Cycling



### ENDORPHIN THE PAIN KILLER

- Laughter exercise
- Essential oils
- Watch a comedy
- Dark chocolate
- Exercising



# MARCH PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WEBINAR

## Your Energy is Your Power!

Register Here

Presenter: Lisa M. Liszcz Ph.D.

Founder and President,  
Liszcz Consulting, LLC

Tuesday, March 2, 2021  
3:00 PM ET / 12:00 PM PT



Are you exhausted? Drained? Wiped out? Do you wonder to yourself, “How did my life get here?” In this one-hour virtual presentation, you will learn how to discover and leverage your special talents so that you rejuvenate yourself, gain more energy, and energize your life. Lisa M. Liszcz, Ph.D. found through her coaching and research that many professional women have lost the enthusiasm they once had for their careers. Many feel irrelevant and like they are “token” leaders. They don’t feel valued by their peers and upper management. Many women feel exhausted. They want to be more creative and autonomous. They want to help others, but they don’t have the time or energy to do so. This presentation is based on Dr. Liszcz’s best-selling book, *Feminine Emergence*. She will share how you can balance your energy for success and joy in your career and your life. Dr. Liszcz will outline what is missing from a life, team or organization that is out of balance.

You will learn her three secrets for success:

1. The Most effective way to have unencumbered and unlimited success in your career is to learn one thing that does not require you to take another course or get another degree. It's simple and will help you be more of who YOU are.
2. By eliminating 50% of what you're currently doing, you can live out the career and life of your dreams. You will at least double your confidence, energy, and sense of peace; and you will become a more authentic leader.
3. The key to creating the career and life you desire is to spend 10 minutes a day on one simple strategy that no one is talking about. It's easy, painless, and you can do it anywhere.

There is so much beauty in the delicate. Butterflies, snowflakes, the little dandelion seeds that float along in the summer breeze. Spend a few hours intentionally moving through the day with that same delicacy, engaging fully with the reality of the world around you, with an attitude that is more like a feather than a brick. Notice how it feels to approach the world with such lightness.

**Step lightly**

**Look even closer**

Take the time to pay closer attention to things that you would normally ignore. Learning to look at things in fine detail allows your mindfulness practice to become more refined with greater levels of subtlety. Try zooming in on a few objects in this way - a piece of paper, a lamp, a leaf, or even a sensation in your body. Explore it in new detail, giving it attention as you never had before.

# Happy Birthday

**FEBRUARY 20TH**  
**Kathy Dodson,**  
**Sustaining Member**  
**EY**

**February 25th**  
**Carolyn Trechter,**  
**Sustaining Member**  
**First Republic Bank Dallas**

**FEBRUARY 28TH**  
**Lisa Carter,**  
**Four Seasons Resort and Club**



**NO FEBRUARY**  
**ANNIVERSARY'S**

## Upcoming

**March 1st**  
**Lindsay Jones,**  
**Ameriprise Financial Services**

**March 3rd**  
**Jessica Vitela,**  
**State Fair of Texas**

**March 26th**  
**Kathy Broll,**  
**Stream Realty Partners, LP**

**March 30th**  
**Janie Sandoval,**  
**Chapter Life Member**  
**The Dallas Breakfast Group**

**2021 February Meeting Information  
EWI® of Dallas**

**CHAPTER MEETING**

**Date:** February 16, 2021

**Location:** Your Home Office, Kitchen or Patio  
221 Your House  
Somewhere, Texas

**Zoom info:** [CLICK HERE TO JOIN THE ZOOM!](#)  
Passcode: 375806

**Networking:** 6:00p.m.

**Program:** 6:15 p.m.

**Door Prizes:** 7:00 p.m.

**Price:** \$25.00



*If you are unable to make your payment due to COVID19 budget restrictions, we completely understand. Please contact Lisa Tignor to make arrangements as we would love for you to participate in the call.*

**BOARD MEETING**

**Date:** February 24, 2021

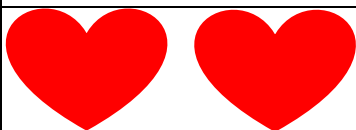
**Location:** Your Living Room via Zoom

**Host:** Millie Marsac  
Bank of America Merrill Lynch

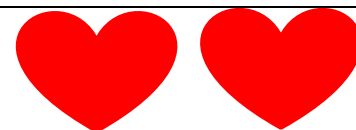
**Meeting:** 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

**RSVP:** To attend the Board Meeting, contact **Jeannette Davis, JLL**  
2020-2021 Secretary, no later than  
12:00 pm, Friday, February 19, 2021

Email: [Jeannette.Davis@am.jll.com](mailto:Jeannette.Davis@am.jll.com)  
Office: 214-438-6122



**Health Month Speaker:  
Vicki Matava, RN at UT Austin**



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**RSVP** to Reservation Hotline:

**Millie Marsac**  
Bank of America Merrill Lynch  
2020-2021 Sergeant-At-Arms Committee  
**by 12 noon Friday, February 19, 2021**  
cell: (469) 951-6149  
email: [millie.marsac@bofa.com](mailto:millie.marsac@bofa.com)

Total number of Reservations @ \$25.00/pp: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Remitted: \$\_\_\_\_\_

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All special dietary requests, please contact your in-home meal coordinator.

**NOTE: All Representatives have automatic standing reservations.** Representatives **DO NOT** need to return this form unless canceling or responding with guest(s). **Cancellations must be received by the deadline or your firm will be billed.** It is helpful to receive payment prior to the meeting. If you require a receipt for your payment, you may check the appropriate space on this form and your receipt will be mailed to you upon receipt of your check. Checks are not processed until after the meeting date; therefore, if you mail your check ahead and a change of plans requires you to cancel your reservation, as long as you cancel prior to the deadline, your original check will be returned to you.



**2020-2021  
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## Mission

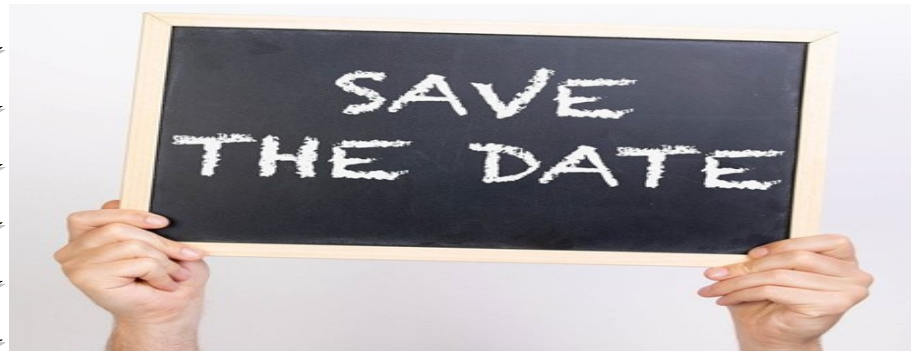
Executive Women International (EWI) brings together key individuals from diverse businesses for the purpose of promoting member firms, enhancing personal and professional development, and encouraging community involvement.

## Vision

To enhance professional growth and development within a diverse group of women while empowering them to make a difference as they inspire others.

## Values

Integrity | Excellence | Respect | Collaboration



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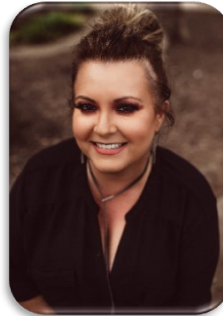
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# Member Firms

