



Breaking barriers and building foundations

2018 CONFERENCE AGENDA

April 26, 2018

12:00 – 1:00p.m.: Registration

1:00 – 1:10 p.m.: Welcome & Opening Remarks – Herberger Ballroom

- Holly Davies, Lorber, Greenfield & Polito, LLP
- Jim Roberts, CEO Granite Construction Inc. – Presenting Sponsor

1:10 – 2:00 p.m.: Personal Branding

- Bess Cadwell, Govig & Associates
- Dr. Patricia Galloway, Pegasus-Global

2:00 – 2:30 p.m.: Studying Engagement & Equity in Structural Engineering

- Angie Sommer, SE, ZFA Structural Engineers

2:30 – 2:45 p.m.: Break

2:45 – 3:30 p.m.: Rise of Use of Modular Components & Prefabricated Modules

Moderator: Danette Beck, Marsh USA Inc.

- Bridget Proulx, The Kapture Group
- Karen Rice, XL Catlin

3:30 – 4:20 p.m.: Owner-Designer-Contractor: How to Have an Effective Team

Moderator: Jennifer Crawford, tk1sc

- Bonnie Khang-Keating, SmithGroup
- Alicia Wachtel, Cedars Sinai
- Barbara Wagner, Clark Construction Group

4:20 – 5:40 p.m.: Keynote Speaker – Stacy Allison

Businesswoman, Adventurer, Author, & the 1st American Woman to Summit Mt. Everest

5:45 – 7:45 p.m.: Cocktail & Food Reception – Marshalls Outpost & Lawn

2018 CONFERENCE AGENDA – Day 2

April 27, 2018

7:30 – 8:45 a.m.: Networking Sit Down Breakfast

8:00 – 9:00 a.m.: Innovative Projects –

Chase Center Arena:

- Molly Hayes, Clark Construction Group
- Ashley Kruger, Mortenson

University of Arizona Heath Science Innovation Building:

- Julie Garcia, Kitchell Contractors
- Laura Vertes, Swaim Associates, Ltd.

9:00 – 9:10 a.m.: Break

9:10 – 10:10 a.m.: 5 Generations in the Workplace: Maximizing Generational Strengths

Moderator: Sophia Cavalli, Balfour Beatty Construction

- Sarah Carr, McCarthy Building Companies, Inc.
- Cecilia Kucharski, Balfour Beatty Construction
- Claudette Moody, WSP
- Kimberly Slaughter, HNTB Corporation
- Veronica Soto, Emerald Cities Los Angeles

10:10 – 10:55 a.m.: Guest Speaker – Cary Pfeffer

There's Not an App for That: Networking, Talking & Telling Your Story

10:55 – 11:10 a.m.: Break

11:10 – 12:10 p.m.: Impact of Women in Construction – A Man's View

Moderator: Antonya Williams, McCarthy Building Companies, Inc.

- Justin Kelton, McCarthy Building Companies, Inc.
- Trenton Manasse, GGG Demolition, Inc.
- Bill McGowan, Granite Construction
- Brad Schoenberg, Taylor Morrison

12:10 p.m.: Closing Remarks

- Barbara Wagner, Clark Construction Group

Conference Adjourns