



15th Annual

WEWIN 2019

Women Empowering Women for Indigenous Nations

Conference Agenda

"Leading with Values: Making it Count"

Subject to Change - as of 07-05-19

Sunday, July 28, 2019

7:30am - 4:00pm	Conference Set Up
5:00pm	WEWIN Welcome Reception

Monday, July 29, 2019

(Wear Red or Traditional Dress for opening session)

7:30am - 4:00pm	Conference Registration		
7:00am	Continental Breakfast		
8:00am - 5:00pm	WEWIN Marketplace		
8:30am - 10:00am	General Session I	Welcome to WEWIN Opening Session	Oak Ballroom
	<p>Posting of the Colors - Viejas Fire Department Color Guard Honoring Song - Viejas Tribal Member Blue Eagle Vigil Opening Prayer - Anita Uqualla, Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Tribal Welcome - John Christman, Chairman, Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Indians</p> <p>WEWIN Co-President's Opening Remarks Honorable Susan Masten, Former Chairwoman, Yurok Tribe, WEWIN Co-President/Founder, Former & Second Women NCAI President Honorable Veronica Homer, Former Vice Chairwoman, Colorado River Indian Tribe, Former & First Woman President of NCAI, WEWIN Co-President/Founder</p>		
10:00am - Noon	Workshop Sessions I		
	Creating Healing Spaces through Community Partnerships Skye Howell, Potawatomi & Nicole Prescott, Myaamia		Willow
	Good Health & Wellness in Indian Country Shawna Cooper, Rocky Mountain Tribal Leaders Council		Sycamore
	Embracing Your Personal Power Jacqueline Pata, Central Council of Tlingit & Haida Tribes of Alaska, WEWIN Boardmember		Oak Ballroom C

Noon - 12:10 pm	Break		
12:10pm - 1:45pm	General Session II	Luncheon	
	<p>Voices & Visions: Hot Topics affecting Indigenous Women Moderated by Margo Gray, President & CEO, Margo Gray & Associates Panel: Debbie Thundercloud, General Manager, Oneida Nation Danelle Smith, Partner, Big Fire Law & Policy Group Niagara Rockbridge, Miss Indian Arizona</p>		Oak Ballroom
2:00pm - 4:00pm	Workshop Sessions II		
	<p>Understanding Impacts of Historical Trauma Virginia Hedrick, Director of Policy and Planning at California Consortium for Urban Indian Health</p>		Willow
	<p>Violence Against Women Joanelle Romero, Founder, President at Red Nation Film Festival</p>		Sycamore
	<p>Identifying your Leadership Style as a Native Woman Debbie Thundercloud, General Manager, Oneida Nation of Wisconsin</p>		Oak Ballroom C
7:00pm	<p>WEWIN Night of Comedy, Karaoke & Women's Expo Reception Sponsored by the North Fork Rancheria Featuring Comedian, Teresa Choyguha, Tohono O'odham Nation Karaoke</p>		

Tuesday, July 30, 2019

7:00am - 9:00am	Continental Breakfast		
7:30am - 4:00pm	Conference Registration		
8:00am - 5:00pm	WEWIN Marketplace		
9:00am - 9:50am	General Session III	Keynote Speaker	Oak Ballroom
	Minnesota Lt. Governor Peggy Flanagan		
10:00am - Noon	Workshop Sessions III		
	Intuitive Wildness Delmar Uqualla, Viejas Band of Kumeyaay		Willow
	Leveraging Your Professional Power: Engaging in Productive Self-Reflection & Goal Setting Erika Hathaway, Human Resources & Diversity Director, National Outdoor Leadership School		Sycamore
	Run to Win 101, Candidates/Campaign Training Theresa Sheldon, Tulalip Tribes - Emily's List		Oak Ballroom C
Noon - 12:10 pm	Break		
12:10pm - 1:45pm	General Session IV		Oak Ballroom
	WEWIN Warrior Circle Recognition Luncheon Sponsored by Wells Fargo Bank "Honoring Native Women for their dedication, hard work and contributions to Tribal Communities" Honoring Prayer Supporter of WEWIN Recognition, TBD Honorees: Honorable Rosemary Morillo, Former Chairwoman, Soboba Band of Luiseño Indians Honorable Elaine Bethel-Fink, Chairwoman, North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians Honorable Susan Masten, Former Chairwoman, Yurok Tribe		
2:00pm - 4:00pm	Workshop Session IV		
	Best Practices to Exercise Sovereignty for the Advancement of Tribes and Future Generations Tanya Gibbs & Jennifer Saeckl, Rosette LLP		Willow
	Ethical Tribal Governments Elizabeth Homer, Homer Law		Sycamore
	Native Women in Law Danelle Smith, Partner, Big Fire Law & Policy Group		Oak Ballroom C
7:00pm	WEWIN Women's Healing Circle		
	Honorable Cecilia Firethunder, Former Chairwoman Oglala Nation, WEWIN Boardmember		

Wednesday, July 31, 2019

7:00am - 9:00pm	Continental Breakfast		
8:00am - 5:00pm	WEWIN Marketplace		
9:00am - 11:00am	Workshop Sessions V		
	<p>Healing From Our Past - Understanding the Strength and Resiliency of the Women we come from to move ahead into the future Honorable Cecilia Firethunder, Former Chairwoman Oglala Nation, WEWIN Boardmember</p>		Willow
	<p>Igniting Community Change through your Local WEWIN Chapter Valarie Harrington, Shannon Porter, Tammy Smith & Leanne Benjamin, Mille Lacs Band</p>		Sycamore
	<p>Briding the Generational Gap at the Workplace and Beyond Ginger Martin, Gila River Indian Community</p>		Oak Ballroom C
11:00am - 11:15am	Break		
11:15am - 1:00pm	General Session V	WEWIN Luncheon Panel - Guest Speaker	
	<p>“Surviving the Perfect Storm” My Path to Healing from a Toxic Relationship Kassidy Dennison, 8 time Indian National Finals Rodeo World Champion & Wrangler National Finals Rodeo Qualifier</p>		Oak Ballroom
1:00pm - 3:00pm	Workshop Sessions VI		
	<p>Empathy Sparked Transformation- Listening as a Leadership tool Geneva Wiki, The California Endowment</p>		Willow
	<p>10th Generation Planning Celene Elm, Oneida Nation of Wisconsin Member</p>		Sycamore
	<p>How Do I Get Out? The impacts of Domestic Violence, Gas lighting and Survival Margo Gray, President & CEO, Margo Gray & Associates, WEWIN Boardmember</p>		Oak Ballroom C
3:00pm - 5:00pm	General Session V	Closing Session - Enhance Your Professional Image Session	Oak Ballroom
	<p>Professional Image Fashion Show</p> <p>Closing Prayer Circle</p>		