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Everything You Need to Know to Optimize your #NIRI19 Experience

Webinar – April 18, 2019, 2:00pm ET



Speakers



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Agenda

- Annual Conference Committee
- Agenda Overview & Programming
- What's New in 2019
- IR Showcase

- Conference Technology
- JW Marriott Desert Ridge
- What to Do Next...
- Q&A



2019 Annual Conference Committee

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- Melissa Plaisance, GVP Treasury & IR, Albertsons, NIRI Board Chair-Elect (2019)
- Ron Parham, NIRI Board Chair (2019) ex officio



Programming

- More than 50 educational sessions
- 23 concurrent, 11 general, 6 Career Development Hub, 4 Lunch and Learn sponsored sessions, 2 Finance Talking seminars, 2 Sunday sponsored sessions
- 5 new Express Talk sponsored sessions in IR Showcase
- More than 100 speakers





Programming – Agenda at a Glance

Saturday, June 1, 2019

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Pre-Conference Seminar: Finance and Capita Markets 101 (Separate reg.)
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM	NIRI Volunteer Appreciation Dinner (by invitation only)

Sunday, June 2, 2019

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Pre-Conference Seminar: Telling a Great Investment Story (Separate reg.)
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Sunday Session: Executing an Integrated Communications Plan
4:30 PM - 5:00 PM	New to NIRI Conference Orientation
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	IRC Reception (by invitation only)
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM	IR Showcase Opening Reception

Monday, June 3, 2019

6:30 AM - 7:30 AM	Yoga
7:00 AM - 5:00 PM	IR Showcase Open
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM	Breakfast in the IR Showcase
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM	General Sessions
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM a	IR Showcase: Express Talks, Exhibits nd Lunch
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Senior Roundtable Luncheon (SRT members only)
1:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Concurrent Sessions
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Industry Breakouts and Networking
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	The IR Family Feud
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	50 th Anniversary Reception

Tuesday, June 4, 2019

7:00 AM - 6:30 PM IR Showcase Open
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM Breakfast in the IR Showcase
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM 50 th Anniversary Breakfast (by invitation only)
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM NIRI NextGen Breakfast
8:30 AM - 11:15 AM General Sessions
11:15 AM - 12:00 PM IR Showcase: Express Talks, Exhi
12:15 PM - 1:15 PM Lunch & Learn Sessions
1:30 PM - 5:30 PM Concurrent Sessions
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM Closing Reception in the IR Shows

Wednesday, June 5, 2019

8:00 AM - 8:45 AM	Breakfast
8:45 AM - 9:45 AM	Concurrent Sessions
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	General Sessions





Programming – General Sessions



Director, Division of Trading and Markets U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission

50 Years of Ups and Downs: The State of the Stock Market

Leon CoopermanChairman & CEO, Omega Family Office

Joseph Saluzzi
Partner and Co-Founder,
Themis Trading

Tim Quast President, ModernIR



MALCOLM FRANK
Executive Vice President,
Strategy & Marketing
Cognizant

The Growing Influence of Artificial Intelligence

Evan Schnidman Founder & CEO, Prattle

Jonathan Neitzell
Former Chief Data Officer, FE
Goldman Sachs Asset Management

Samuel Levenson CEO, Arbor Advisory Group





Programming – General Sessions

The Future of IR – Trusted Strategic Advisor



LYNN TYSONExecutive Director, IR
Ford Motor Company



SMOOCH REYNOLDS

Managing Partner, Global IRO & CCO Practice
Leader, ZRG Partners

Creating a Positive Corporate Culture – Why it Matters to Employees, Customers and Investors

Michelle Edkins Managing Director, Global Head of Investment Stewardship, BlackRock

John Heinbockel
Managing Director, Analyst
Guggenheim Partners

Melissa Plaisance
Group Vice President, Treasury & IR
Albertsons Companies



JIM DONALD

Co-Chairman

Albertsons Companies



Programming – General Sessions



BOB DICKEYManaging Director, Technical Strategist
RBC Wealth Management

The Stock Market Today: Better
Than You Think



HOLLY DUCKWORTH

Mindful Leadership Guide,
Leadership Solutions International

Overcoming Leadership Stress with Mindfulness



GINA MARTIN ADAMS

Chief Equity Strategist

Bloomberg Intelligence

From Macro to Micro, What Stock Prices Tell Us Investors Want Now





Programming – Sessions

PRE-CONFERENCE SEMINARS (separate registration)

- Finance & Capital Markets 101 (Saturday)
- Telling a Great Investment Story (Sunday)

SUNDAY SESSIONS (included in registration)

- New to NIRI Conference Orientation Session
- Executing an Integrated Communications Plan

IR STRATEGY & PLANNING

- Get Shorty!: How IROs Manage Short-Selling to Achieve Fair Valuation
- Starting an IR Program from Scratch
- Hone Your Messaging to Most Effectively Tell Your Company Story
- Uncovering the Value of ESG in Business
- Evolving an IR Program to Include ESG Communications
- Your Crisis Plan is on the Shelf, but Now What?

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE, BOARD RELATIONS, AND STRATEGIC COLLABORATION

- The IRO's Role and Opportunity with investor engagement and proxy messaging
- IR Soft Skills for Success Practical tools to increase your impact
- The Great Debate: Does Activism Create Shareholder Value?

MARKETING OUTREACH & STAKEHOLDER COMMUNICATIONS

- Holding an Investor Day that Transforms Perceptions
- Going on the Road Best Practices for Investor Conferences and Roadshows
- Coming to America: A Foreign Company's Guide to the US and Global Markets
- Disclosure: Putting the Pieces of the Puzzle Together
- Click Here: Enhancing Shareholder Engagement with Digital Tools
- Deals A Multi-Stakeholder View

BUSINESS INSIGHTS & CAPITAL MARKETS

- IRO as CIO (Chief Intelligence Officer) The Essential Link Between the Street and Senior Management
- Big Data and the Future Value of Sell-Side Research
- You Mean Markets Don't Always Go Up? IR
 Insights and Best Practices for Navigating a Downturn
- On the Stage and Off the Record: Meet the Hedge Funds
- What Every IR Professional Should Know about ETFs: This Era's Investment Phenomenon

FINANCIAL REPORTING & REGULATORY COMPLIANCE

- Hot Topics in Financial Reporting
- What's Next in Washington? A Discussion of Key Regulatory Issues for Public Companies

OTHER

- Lunch & Learn Sessions
- Industry Breakouts
- Let's Play Twenty Questions!



Programming – Engaging Experiences



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Silent Auction





NIRI 50th Anniversary Celebration





The IR Showcase

- 50+ Exhibitors and Sponsors
- Extended Showcase Hours
- Demo Rooms
- Headshot Lounge
- New! Express Talks

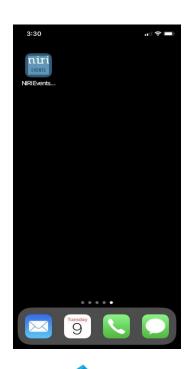




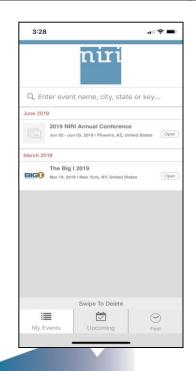


Technology

NIRI Events App



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Investor Relations Charter - PDUs

IRC® credential holders can earn up to 4 PDUs per day for attending.

Use the NIRI Conference App to scan session QR codes for proof of session attendance.







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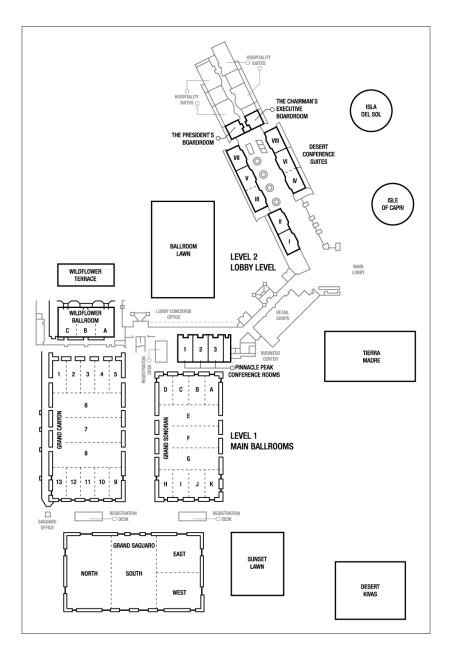
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JW Marriott – Conference Space



What Next...?

- Register! (www.niri.org/conference)
- Book your hotel before May 15 use the link in your confirmation email
- Familiarize yourself with the sessions and speakers, and start planning your own schedule
- Check out the exhibitors
- Download the app on May 28 ("NIRI Events")
- Pack your bags for Phoenix!



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Questions?

