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Integrating Women Leaders (IWL) Foundation Announces Kim Graham Lee as CEO

Organization behind acclaimed annual women's conference establishes new leadership; expands commitment to advancing women in the workplace

(INDIANAPOLIS — July 19, 2018) — [Integrating Women Leaders \(IWL\) Foundation](#), a leader in the advancement of women in the workplace, announced the appointment of Kim Graham Lee as CEO. The announcement comes ahead of the organization's ninth annual [IWL Women's Leadership Conference](#) taking place August 28.

As a key contributor to the growth of IWL since 2011, Graham Lee is transitioning from long-standing IWL Board member to the role of CEO. In addition to time spent as a board member, she has also served as a conference chair and conference emcee for events in both Indianapolis and Louisville. Prior to accepting the role of CEO, Graham Lee served in c-level leadership roles for a number of start-up and growth companies, including Walker, Vontoo, OneBridge, Hufford Financial Advisors, Bluelock, NPower Indiana and trueU. She also helped co-found and was named president of the newly-formed Indianapolis chapter of Conscious Capitalism.

In her role as CEO of IWL, Graham Lee will oversee the strategic expansion of the organization, including the development of conferences, workshops and other initiatives focused on advancing women in the workplace, starting with the organization's ninth annual Indianapolis conference: [IWL Women's Leadership Conference: Now is the Time](#). Having reached over 4,000 women and men throughout the last eight years, this year's event is expected to bring over 1,000 attendees. The event will include a main stage multi-generational panel of women leaders, sixteen breakout sessions facilitated by local speakers and leadership experts, an exhibit hall and dedicated networking time. Featured keynote speakers include:

- James Loduca, Director of Equality Programs for Salesforce
- Madeline Di Nonno, CEO of Geena Davis Institute on Gender in Media
- Jennifer Magley, owner of Open Gym Indy, entrepreneur and former pro-athlete and Division I head coach

“This year’s theme, ‘Now is the Time,’ really reflects the current climate and the urgency organizations are feeling to prioritize their diversity and inclusion initiatives,” said Graham Lee. “Our keynote speakers each have their own message to share about why now is the time, be it to speak, act or lead.”

“This will be the most impactful IWL Conference yet,” said Tracy Betz, Partner at Taft Stettinius & Hollister LLP, who will emcee the event along with Anthony Buffum, VP HR at STANLEY Security. “Between the main stage content, the learning in the breakout sessions, and the opportunities for networking, this is an event you don’t want to miss.”

Fewer than 200 tickets remain for the [Indianapolis Women’s Leadership Conference](#) taking place August 28 at the JW Marriott. To learn more about the conference and to reserve your ticket, visit www.IWLConference.com.

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About Integrating Women Leaders (IWL) Foundation

Integrating Women Leaders (IWL) Foundation is a 501c3 nonprofit organization accelerating the advancement of women to drive individual and organizational growth and impact. IWL is a resource for individuals who want to invest in themselves and organizations who want to invest in women’s leadership, tackling real gender issues with optimism and proven strategies that work. As partners in talent development, IWL unleashes the highest level of performance for both women and men and their organizations. They do this through perspective-changing experiences, including conferences, workshops, consulting, and individualized programs. Founded in 2010, IWL is headquartered in Indianapolis, IN and hosts its highly-acclaimed annual women’s leadership conferences in both Indianapolis, IN and Louisville, KY.

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