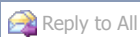


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WIE Wednesday Update

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WIE UPDATE



The Neiman Marcus event was very nice last Thursday. We had over 50 guests enjoy the fashion show for men and women, wine, "little bites" and lots of re-engagement and meeting new people. Thanks to all who helped make this happen and those of you who attended. Huge thanks to Neiman Marcus!



10th Anniversary Celebration Gala

October 7, 2016 @ 6PM

"...to build Trust and bridge social capital and race relations among women of diverse cultures"

The RITZ CARLTON
200 East Trade St.
Charlotte NC 28202

Celebrating our WIE Trailblazers



Venessa Harrison
President, AT&T, NC



Sally Robinson
Community Leader



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DISIduke interdisciplinary
social innovators.

Remember DISI? They now have a Facebook page. Please see below for their latest news. They did wonderful work for us as we were preparing for the 10th anniversary.

[Check it out here](#) and, please, like or share!

Women + Girls Research Alliance 2016 Summit



The Women + Girls Research Alliance 2016 SUMMIT - Economic Mobility For Women + Girls: From Research to Practice + Policy was a rich two days to learn more about research on wages, education, entrepreneurship (to name just a few) and participate in dialogues about how best to support the economic mobility of women + girls in our community.

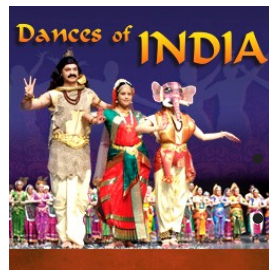
Bert Harper had the honor of speaking on one of the Conversation panels entitled **"Removing (In)Visible Barriers Through Empathy"** with Dr. Heather Brown, Executive Director, UNC Charlotte W+GRA and Hyong Yi, Asst. City Manager, City of Charlotte. Also, **Stephanie Counts, Barbara Ellis** and **Bert** had an opportunity during the lunch breakout session to talk to over 20 people about **"Partnering to Develop Social Capital"**. We now have most of the attendees interested in beginning collaboration discussions.

Most importantly, **More people are now aware of WIE!** WIE Board Member, **Monica Allen** and WIE Advisory Member, **Renee Sherrod** are also on the W+GRA Advisory Council.

Upcoming Events

CPCC Presents Dances of India

CPCC - Dale F. Halton Theater, Overcash Center
April 23, 2016, 4:00 pm



CPCC presents the 14th anniversary of **Dances of India**. Featuring internationally acclaimed performer and choreographer, Dr. Maha Gingrich and group. Don't miss this opportunity to celebrate the history and culture of India. Join us to see:

a large ensemble of dancers present 3,000-year-old classical and folk dances of India
India's rich classical dances brought to life through dance dramas, costumes and masks

- the show's signature dance, "Unity in Diversity," featuring international dance styles set to musical instruments from around the world

[Purchase Tickets](#) or purchase your tickets now by calling the box office at 704-330-6534.

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Asian Festival
Saturday, May 14, 2016
11AM to 5PM.

Dragon Boat races begin at 8AM. WIE has a booth to share WIE information with festival participants.

Can any of you give us a couple of hours of your time and then spend time to enjoy and better understand our Asian friends. It is all about celebration, food, dance, art, etc.

See more at charlottedragonboat.com.

Women Worth More
Triumphant Women
Spring Conference

Women Worth More - Triumphant Women on May 25, 2016 from 9 to 11AM @ Harris Conference Center. WIE as Co-Sponsors. Thank you Worth Financial! Hostess of Ceremony - Michelle Horton, Speakers - Sara White, Jennifer Davis and Molly Barker will be sharing their stories. It is going to be great!

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