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**Q1 CHAMPION MEETING
FEBRUARY 11, 2026**

Agenda

- Welcome New Benefactors
- Conference Content with Linda Dolceamore
- Conference Voting Committee
- Conference Timelines
- Event Planning Updates
- Microlearning Workshops
- Upcoming Events

Welcome New Benefactors!

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2026 ANNUAL
CONFERENCE

Save the Date

November 4–6 · Denver, CO

Conference Content Call

We rely on feedback from our community to shape the content of our Annual Conference. Join us for our next Content Call, February 18th from 10-11am ET.

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Join the 2026 Annual Conference Content Call #2

Feb. 18
10:00 - 11:00 am

EWFGLOBAL.COM

Click [here](#) to register.

Voting Committee

The Content Voting Committee votes on speaker submissions for inclusion in the 2026 Conference.

Each benefactor company can **select two women** to join the Committee!

- Voting Committee members do not need to hold an active EWF Membership seat, but they do need to be employed by your company.
- Voting Committee members do not have to attend the 2026 Annual Conference. In fact, this is a great way to have them be involved in the Conference even if they are not attending!
- The women selected to participate will be given further instructions on how they will view the submissions and share their votes.
- On average, Committee members dedicate 60-90 minutes to review submissions during a two-week review window.

Conference Timeline

Call for Speakers	
Content Call	February 18
Voting Committee Nominations	March 11 - April 1
Call for Speakers Submissions	March 11 - April 1
Call for Speakers Voting	April 13 - May 4
Speaker Notifications	June 1-12

EWF Awards	
Nominations Open	April
Announcement of Finalists	August

NEW! 2026 Benefactor Events Guide

Your roadmap for hosting a successful event with the EWF!

- A new, centralized guide designed to make planning a benefactor-led event with EWF simple and straightforward
- Brings all event options, timelines, and expectations into one place
- Helps you plan confidently while staying aligned with the EWF's mission and audience
- Built to support meaningful engagement and high-quality experiences

What the Event Guide Includes

- Approved event formats and hosting options
- Clear planning timelines and content deadlines
- Defined roles for you and the EWF team
- Promotion, registration, and CPE support
- Curated topic ideas – or space to bring your own concept

Event Processes & Guidelines

- 1 Only members of benefactor companies can host EWF events.**
 - Events can be hosted by one or multiple benefactors
 - [Click here for the list of benefactors](#)
- 2 Speakers are to be invited and confirmed by the Benefactor**
 - Men are permitted (and encouraged!) to be speakers
- 3 Event requests require a minimum lead time of 8 weeks for proper planning and promotion.**
- 4 EWF event types:**
 - In-Person Events
 - Education & Networking Event (rec. timing: 3-4 hours)
 - Community Building Event (rec. timing 1-2 hours)
 - Virtual Events
 - Educational Webinar/Workshop (rec. timing: 1 hour)
 - LinkedIn Live Session (rec. timing: 45 minutes)
- 5 EWF events are open to members and non-members of any gender**
- 6 EWF events are intended to be educational and/or community networking in nature**
 - Solicitation or a product/service sales pitch of any kind is not permitted

SUBMIT AN EVENT REQUEST TODAY

Benefactor/ Host Responsibilities

An event will be published once the following details are submitted:

- Title, Abstract, Moderator, Speaker(s)

Virtual Events:

- Host(s) and Speaker(s) need to be available:
 - For one (1) 30-minute dry run approximately 10 days prior
 - 15 minutes prior to the start of the event

In-Person Events:

- The host will supply the venue for the event, either at a company facility or a paid venue
 - All costs incurred will be the responsibility of the host
- Food and beverage is highly recommended
 - All costs incurred will be the responsibility of the host
- Welcome (but not obligated or expected) to provide a giveaway to attendees.
- Provide name tags for attendees:
 - Pre-printed from the registration list provided; OR
 - Blank for attendees to write on
- Provide a "check-in" area and process
- Submit a final list of everyone who attended

Benefactor Checklist

- Define event goal, date, time, format, and audience
- Confirm agenda and speakers
- Secure venue (in-person only)
- Submit event details to EWF for publishing
- Prepare materials (slides, handouts, tech)
- Schedule practice run with the EWF (virtual events only)
- Capture attendance at registration (in-person only)
- Post-event (in-person only): send attendee list to EWF with names of those who attended in person

2026 Event Planning

Why host an event with EWF?

Engage a highly connected community while highlighting your expertise through education-focused programming.

Choose the event type that fits your goals

- Education & Networking Events (in-person)
- Community Building Events (in-person)
- Educational Webinars & Workshops (virtual)
- LinkedIn Live Sessions (virtual)

How we partner with you

- You shape the content, speakers, and goals of the event
- EWF supports promotion, registration, and platform logistics
- EWF can facilitate connections with benefactors interested in co-hosting in similar locations
- EWF can support sourcing speakers and panelists through EWF CONNECT
- Together, we create an experience that's impactful for attendees and valuable for your organization



76
EVENTS

4000
ATTENDEES

USA
AND BEYOND!

15,000+
SOCIAL FOLLOWERS

1,000,000+
YEARLY SOCIAL IMPRESSIONS

9000+
DATABASE

70+
BENEFACTOR COMPANIES

NEW! Champion Support

Champion Group Webpage

- We are excited to introduce a new all in one access portal for Champions. This webpage will highlight resources, reminders, the event request form and more!



The screenshot shows the EWF Champion Group Webpage. At the top left is the EWF logo. The navigation menu includes: Who We Are, What We Do, Leadership Academy, For Companies, For Individuals, Events, and a 'Create an Account' button. The main heading is 'Welcome to the EWF Champions Group!' followed by a paragraph: 'This is a dedicated space where you find resources to assist you (and your members) as you explore all the benefits of taking part in the EWF Community.' Below this is a call to action: 'If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out for support!' and a button that says 'We're Here to Help →'. A section titled 'General Supporting Resources' lists various links: EWF Membership Benefits Flyer, EWF Membership Invitation Email Template, Choosing Your Members, Member Checklist, Member Engagement: Monthly Ideas & Timeline, Quick Wins, Champion Role Description, Champion Checklist, 2026 Benefactor Events Guide, Ambassador Role Description, and Champion FAQs. On the right side of the page, there is a photograph of two women, one in a grey top and one in a tan jacket, looking at a tablet together.

Microlearning Workshops

New in 2026! As a Benefactor Partner, your organization will receive complimentary enrollments to quarterly workshops, expanding leadership development access across your team

- Diamond Benefactors – 40 enrollments
- Platinum Benefactors – 30 enrollments
- Corporate Benefactors – 20 enrollments

2026 Workshop Topics:

- *Managing Your Biggest Insider Threat: The Confidence Game* (March)
- *Conscious Leadership* (May)
- *Transforming Your Workplace & Your Life from the Core* (September)
- *Powerful Conversations & Questions* (November)

These enrollments can be used by current members—or to expand your impact by engaging up to additional participants, effectively doubling the reach of your benefactor benefits.

Upcoming Events

February

- February 18, 10-11am ET - [2026 Annual Conference Content Call #2](#)
- February 18, 2-3pm ET - [EWF Community Onboarding Session](#)

March

- March 10, 10-11am ET - [2026 Annual Conference Call for Speakers Info Session](#)
- March 11, 5:30-7pm ET - [Louisville, KY Networking Event](#)
- March 18, 10-11:30am ET - [Microlearning Workshop – Managing Your Biggest Insider Threat: The Confidence Game](#)
- March 19, 3-4pm ET - [EWF Community Onboarding Session](#)
- March 24, 4:30-6pm PT - [Elevate & Unwind: Connections, Conversations and Champagne at RSAC™ hosted by EY](#)
- March 25, 12-1:30pm PT - [2026 Leadership Exchange Luncheon at RSAC™ sponsored by PwC](#)

Be sure to visit the [EWF Event Calendar](#) regularly, as new events are added often!

Final Updates & Reminders

- Today's meeting recording and deck will be sent out through email as well as uploaded to the CONNECT Champions Group.
- Keep an eye out for the Q2 Call invitation!

Thank You!
Any Questions?