



MARCH MEMBER MEETING

Mental Health Starts at the Top:
The Critical Role of Mental Health in Effective Leadership

Brandi Smith, HFW Companies

March 12, 2024

AGENDA

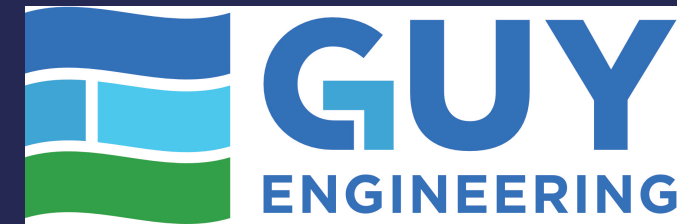


- Welcome
- Post Sponsor Highlight – Dan Young, Guy Engineering
- Tulsa Post Leader Development Program Updates – Anna Childers, Haskell
- March Keynote Speaker – Brandi Smith, HFW Companies
 - Leader Development COI overview
 - Mental Health Starts at the Top:
The Critical Role of Mental Health in Effective Leadership
- Reminders

MARCH POST SPONSOR HIGHLIGHT



- Dan Young, PE, PMP is a retired US Army Engineer Officer with 23 years of experience including multiple overseas assignments and deployments. Since leaving the military, he has worked in in the AEC industry for two years and is currently the Vice President for Business Development at Guy Engineering in Tulsa. He is a Professional Engineer (PE) licensed in Missouri since 2003 and a Project Management Professional (PMP) since 2017.





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TULSA LDP UPDATES



- Anna Childers, The Haskell Company
 - Tulsa Post Leader Development Chair
- Tulsa LDP 2024
 - Collaborative effort with OKC Post
 - Theme: Organizational Leadership
 - 1 in-person meeting per quarter
 - Beginning May 2024
- Looking for 5-8 young- to mid-career professionals
- Nominate your best candidates!
- Send questions and nominations to anna.childers@haskell.com

MARCH KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Brandi Smith is the Director of Business Development for St. Louis based The HFW Companies where she has the pleasure of leading a team of Marketing, Proposal and Business Development professionals from the 8 individual firms that make up the HFW Companies. Brandi brings more than 17 years of industry experience to her role where she is responsible for organizational strategic growth and development.

Brandi has been a SAME member for more than 15 years and is currently the Kentuckiana Post President, the Deputy Regional Vice President for the Tennessee/Kentucky Region and is the Co-Chair for the Leader Development Program. She belongs to the Leader Development and Membership COIs and is a 2023 graduate of the SAME Leader Development Program. To date, her biggest leadership challenge is being the mother of a ridiculously smart and sarcastic 7-year-old boy. She is a lifelong soccer fan (although not a player anymore) and a true crime podcast addict.

REMINDERS!



- April Member Meeting
 - 16 April 2024, 1130 – 1300
 - Jack C. Montgomery VA Medical Center Site Visit, Muskogee, OK
 - More info to come!
- SAME Engineering STEM Camp
 - Applications due 15 March 2024!
- Tulsa Post Scholarship Opportunity for High School Seniors
 - Applications opening end of March!
 - Deadline 31 May 2024
- JETC Registration is open now!