

# Our Keynote Speaker



James T. Harris

### Around the World and Into the Workplace 9:45–11:15 a.m.

Creating Team Success through Cultural Awareness and Understanding

James T. Harris is a subject expert and thought influencer in contemporary issues and societal trends. He serves as a keynote speaker, educator, and consultant to deliver awareness and solutions to individuals and their organizations. His compelling messages often reflect the importance of bridging generational and cultural differences in our society, for the betterment of personal growth, workforce enhancement, stronger communities, and our nation. His menu of services has one mission – illumination - to shed light on our understanding of the past and present so we are equipped to embrace the future in a constantly changing world.

James T. is in the "recalibration" business to inspire men and women to live to their highest and best use - enjoying a more purposeful and fulfilling life. He also works directly with organizations to provide substantive benefits in the areas of leadership development, workforce enhancement, strategic visioning, and organizational longevity. His work has been particularly well received in the health care and financial services industries, higher education, and across all industry lines with human resource professionals.

Through his high-energy presentations, he is uniquely able to "connect" with his audience due to his warmth, humor, value-added strategies, and tools. James T. also shares his expertise through appearances on radio, television, and in the print media. His book on the rise of America's next generation of leaders is scheduled for release in 2005.

Drawing on his vast travel experiences across the globe, James T. tells stories and provides insights on race and culture. His awareness and understanding challenges people -- management, employees and students – to think about themselves and transform their world and workplace! Be prepared to think and live outside the box!



Spring Drive-In Conference May 17, 2005



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Tuesday, May 17th, 2005

Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:45–9:30 a.m. Grand Ballroom South

**New Member Orientation** 

8:45-9:30 a.m. Woodfield B

President's Welcome

9:30-9:45 a.m.

Rich Marshall, Schenck Business Solutions Grand Ballroom South

Keynote Speaker

9:45-11:15 a.m. Grand Ballroom South

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Around the World and Into the Workplace

Creating Team Success through Cultural Awareness and Understanding (More information on back panel)

Lunch and Tech Connect Demo 11:30–12:30 p.m.

Grand Ballroom South

Entrée: Grilled Chicken Breast or Vegetarian Lasagna

Tech Connect Demo by Bruce Weiland
Members will have the opportunity to see the Wisconsin
College's online recruitment and job posting system.



12:30-1:45 p.m. Grand Ballroom South

Learn more about the three systems currently being used by educational institutions throughout the state.

- Wisconsin Jobs for Wisconsin Grads, Linda Peacock-Landrum and LaMont Meinen
- Tech Connect, Bruce Weiland
- Wisconsin Private College Career Consortium, Duane Seidensticker

Babcock Ice Cream Break

1:45-2:15 p.m. Grand Ballroom South



Concurrent Sessions 2:15-3:30 p.m.

#### Off the Wall Career Activities

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Presented by Sheri Stover, UW-River Falls

Do your career related activities need a spring cleaning? Looking for new and exciting ways to reach students? Come learn about some of the fun and zany ways you can market your office and engage students in career development WARNING: Be prepared for candy, costumes, interaction, and fun! Everyone is welcome, but this workshop may not be suitable for curmudgeons or bellyachers.

## Get Connected: Developing Engaging Employer and Career Services Relationships Woodfield C

Presented by Ryan Brechbill, Denison University

How can career centers develop more engaging relationships with employers? How can employers develop reationships with career centers that go beyond recruiting? This program will provide insight on the development and quick evolution of Denison University's Employer Relations Committee and its impact on both groups.



## Milwaukee Area College Internship Consortim

Presented by Sue Liester and Juli Pickering

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Looking to develop or expand your internship program? Need ideas how to be more effective and connect with students? Formed in Spring 2001, the group meets quarterly to collaborate on internship issues. Learn more about promoting internships, partnering with employers and career services, and providing mentoring to professionals new to the internship field.

Closing Remarks and Door Prizes

3:30 p.m. Grand Ballroom South



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