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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Dear NARBW Members:

The 73rd National Convention in Cincinnati was a fabulous time. It began with the pre-convention tour that included a tour of various breweries including the famous Taft's Ale House. Beautiful architecture and intriguing history made the tour a very memorable one. The convention officially began with the formal opening.

We also had a Presidents' Brunch recognizing our leaders, a Candidates' Reception and Fun Night where we donned dirndls and lederhosen at the Hofbrauhaus, a touching memorial service, a Membership Luncheon focusing on growing and cultivating our membership, and concluded with a formal banquet that included the announcement of our scholarship winners. I am also happy to report that we have already signed up chapters to host the 2019 and 2020 conventions. Philadelphia will do the honors for 2019. Jacksonville originally signed up for the 2020 convention. However, as part of the business conducted at the Summer Board Meeting in July, Jacksonville changed their bid to 2021 to allow Chicago to fulfill their desire to host the 2020 convention in conjunction with their 95th anniversary as a chapter.

As mentioned, the National Board gathered for our Summer Board Meeting in St. Louis, Missouri to plan for and to review the goals and accomplishments of our association. In conjunction with the Board Meeting, we hosted meet and greet events to help recruit new members. We even conducted our first Facebook Live event as part of the recruiting. Please check it out on our Facebook page. The Plans of Work were distributed in

August. I trust that each of our chapters will be planning for a great year with a focus on our goals: welfare, scholarship, and membership. Listed below are the 2017/2018 Board and Committee Chairs.

Diane Huntington – First VP

Joan Waite – Second VP

Ida Carmouche – Third VP

Julie Lane – Treasurer

Joyce Peak – Secretary

Chrystal Tonkin – Convention

Theresa Harper – Nominations

Rhonda Gomez – Publication

Rae Huebner – Scholarship

Monica Rodan – Revisions/Jewelry

Melanie McKim – Welfare

Joyce Higgs – Emeritus Council

What makes NARBW great are the outstanding women that we count among our members. We are blessed to have this organization as part of our lives that has enabled us to build this network. Eligible women who are not members simply do not know what they are missing! It is up to us to share it with them and build our membership! Keep sharing and they will come!

I continue to be so humbly honored and excited to be able to serve you as your National President. Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

Laura Gutteridge Años
National President

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NATIONAL BOARD NEWS



RESUME OF THE NATIONAL CONVENTION

May 19-20, 2017

The 73rd NARBW Convention was opened on Friday, May 19, 2017, at the Hyatt Regency Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH by President Laura Gutteridge Años. Invocation was given by Ida Carmouche of the Houston Chapter. Presentation of Colors was performed by the CSXT Color Guard and the National Anthem was sung by Eabha Delaney. Welcomes were received from Emily Zetterberg of the Hyatt Regency Cincinnati and Jeanne Young, President of the Cincinnati Chapter.

First Vice President Diane Huntington presented the thirteen outstanding Chapter Women of the Year.

Second Vice President Sylvia Long introduced Chapter and Past National Presidents at the Presidents' Brunch. Diane Huntington announced Debbye Converse of the Houston Chapter as the National Woman of the Year. Welfare Chairman Ida Carmouche announced the nine chapters that donated \$300 or 300 hours to welfare/charity projects and the twenty Good Samaritans who volunteered 300 or more hours towards welfare projects in their communities. Joan Waite announced the total for scholarship donations and thanked all of the chapters and members for their generous support of the scholarship program.

The business meeting began with a quorum of 63 and represented 16 of our 19 chapters. President Gutteridge Años announced that the Twin Cities Chapter was going to turn in its charter. Even though we lost another chapter, we gained 100 new members this past year. There were ten first time attendees to the Convention.

The budget for 2017-2018 was approved with one amendment. There were no revisions to the By-Laws.

Saturday, May 14, began with a beautiful tribute to our deceased members at the Memorial Service conducted by Membership Chairman Melanie McKim. Melanie also led the Membership Luncheon with a presentation by Amy Tuttle, who had us thinking about what we really want to do with NARBW and where we'd like to see it go.

The newly elected officers for 2017-2019 were installed by Past National Presidents Joyce Higgs and Doris Stromberg. They are:

National Second Vice President	Joan Waite, Philadelphia
National Third Vice President	Ida Carmouche, Houston
National Secretary	Joyce Peak, Atlanta

Kate Wood Hall, from Commonwealth Alliances, gave the public affairs presentation. She is a lobbyist for the railroads and promised to work hard to keep the railroads safe. Our Parliamentarian, Mary Remson, gave us wonderful insight into parliamentary procedures.

The 2018 convention will be held in Kansas City, MO and hosted by the Kansas City Chapter. A bid was put in by the Philadelphia Chapter for the 2019 convention and by Jacksonville for the 2020 convention.

During the annual Banquet, Joan Waite announced the eight scholarship winners.

Laura Gutteridge Años
National President

Joan Waite
National Second Vice President

Mark your calendar now to save the dates for the
National Association of Railway Business Women

74th Annual National Convention—May 18-19, 2018

At the Westin Crown Center

hosted by The Kansas City Chapter

A pre-convention tour is being planned to include touring Union Station, Steamboat Arabia, and a ride on the KC Streetcar to have lunch at The Webster House on Thursday, May 17th

Additional details will be shared soon.



NARBW Convention Registration Form

74th Annual Convention in Kansas City, MO. May 18 - 19, 2018

The Westin Kansas City at Crown Center, One East Pershing Road

Kansas City, Missouri 64108, (816) 474-4400

All registrations must be postmarked by April 1st. No refunds after May 5th.



Use a separate form for each attendee. There are three sections to this form, please be sure to complete them all. This Registration Form may be photocopied or it can be printed from the NARBW website (www.narbw.org).

SECTION ONE: Personal Information

Please type or print clearly.

Name: _____	Please check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Delegate <input type="checkbox"/> Alternate <input type="checkbox"/> National Board <input type="checkbox"/> Emeritus Council <input type="checkbox"/> Member <input type="checkbox"/> Guest
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City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____	
Telephone: _____	
E-mail: _____	
Chapter _____ : Railroad Affiliation: _____	
Emergency Contact	
Name: _____	
Phone: _____	

SECTION TWO: Registration Fees and Meals

Please enter the dollar amount(s).

Members:

_____ \$285 by April 1st
 _____ \$300 after April 1st

Covers registration and four convention meals.

Emeritus Council:

_____ \$207

Emeritus Council pays for
 Membership Luncheon, Fun
 Night and Banquet

Non-Members (Guests):

Guest

Name: _____

Convention Meals only (enter all that apply)

_____ \$43 President's Brunch
 _____ \$74 Fun Night
 _____ \$44 Membership Lunch
 _____ \$89 Reception and Banquet

Host Chapter Members:

_____ \$255

 \$0.00 **Registration Total (check should be made payable to NARBW)**

SECTION THREE: Survey

Please check all that apply to you.

_____ This is my first NARBW Convention.
 _____ I require vegetarian meals.

_____ Request Marketplace Table for _____ Chapter.
 _____ Interested in a roommate.
 _____ Special Needs/Requests _____

If you have any questions, please call Chrystal Tonkin (816) 474-4400 or email convention@narbw.org

Mail your check and this completed form to:

2018 NARBW Convention Registration

Julie Lane

129 Oakmont Drive

Papillion, NE 68133

Mail or email copy of form to Convention Chairman:

NARBW National Convention Chairman

Chrystal Tonkin

4515 Kansas Avenue

Kansas City, KS 66106

Complete Sections 1-3. Keep a copy of this form for your record. Your check amount should match the registration total in Section 2.

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Available at www.narbw.org

CHAPTER WOMEN OF THE YEAR



Albany Chapter – Diana Ham

Diana has been employed by Conrail for twenty-one years. She has been a member of NARBW for eighteen years and has served as Vice President, Secretary and Welfare Chairman. For the past five years, she visited Albany's former Treasurer on a weekly basis delivering mail and prescriptions and playing Scrabble. Diana feels that NARBW girls should keep in touch with those no longer able to attend meetings and believes that the bonds and shared goals of NARBW in the Albany chapter have strengthened over the years. She also believes in sharing her respect and knowledge of the rail traffic and goods they carry by writing articles for the Albany Times-Union. As Welfare Chairman Diana led a campaign that donated 18 backpacks/totes filled with socks, hats, gloves, lotions and health care items for the Capital City Rescue Mission.



Atlanta Chapter – Jo Ann Johnson

Jo Ann worked for Norfolk Southern for 34 years as supervisor of computer operations and was a valued employee. She is now retired. She has been a member of NARBW for six years and is very active in all chapter events. During her six-year membership, she was Secretary for 4 years, Welfare Chairman for 5 years, Nominating Chairman for 5 years, and worked countless hours on the 2015 convention preparations. Jo Ann volunteers at A Friend's House (residential shelter for battered women and children) every week, she does office work as well as manages the Christmas gift operations and birthday presents for the children. The House relies on her for the challenging operations during the holidays. She also volunteers at the food pantry conducting interviews, evaluating eligibility and reviewing patrons needs as well as organizing the food donations. For four months daily, Jo Ann cared for her mother-in-law and helped her with her physical therapy. The Atlanta Chapter of NARBW says Jo Ann has a great spirit and is a great asset to their chapter; she is a hard worker and makes a huge contribution at every chapter event



Jacksonville Chapter – Kathleen Gallavan

Kathleen joined NARBW in 2014, and took on the responsibility of Secretary just one year after joining. Despite the demands of full-time Senior Project Manager in CSX Technology and the fact that she is hearing challenged, Kathleen consistently and accurately captures, records and files monthly board and chapter meeting minutes. She provides donations for the Chapter's Virtual Yard Sale/Scholarship fundraiser, works the tables for their gourmet nut sales, and hosted a social/cookout at her home so members and families could get to know each other. Kathleen's dedication to NARBW is most evident with her initiative of heading up the first time ever NARBW Jacksonville Steering Committee to pin-point the chapter's strengths and weaknesses and identify needs to thrive and build up membership. Kathleen is actively involved in the Katie Ride, MS Society and Tour de Cure bicycle marathons. She has been married for over 30 years and has one daughter and one granddaughter. She is a frequent world traveler of over One Million miles with family and friends across the globe. Kathleen truly cares about the future of our organization; her proven gift of leadership exemplifies what NARBW is all about.

CHAPTER WOMEN OF THE YEAR



Central Florida Chapter – Melanie McKim

Melanie began her Amtrak career in 1990 as a Statistical clerk. After working several clerical positions, she was promoted to management. In 2006, she won the President Service and Safety award for the work she did with WMS at the Beech Grove Shops. Melanie has been a member of NARBW for 17 years. She started with NARBW in early 2000 with the Indianapolis Circle City Chapter. She was Chapter President in 2004-2005, attended her first convention in 2004 and was Convention Chairman in 2006. Central Florida chose Melanie because of her vibrant involvement in all areas of their chapter and say she was the catalyst that helped them begin. As Chairman of the Membership Committee she does not miss a beat in extolling the merits of NARBW. She is active in all fund-raising events, she started the chapter's Facebook page and as a new chapter, she was instrumental in establishing their Bylaws. On the National level, Melanie was Convention Chairman, District II Director, Scholarship Chairman, Welfare Chairman, 2nd Vice President and currently holds the position of 3rd Vice President. As National Membership Chairman, she started the Central Florida Chapter in 2015 and was instrumental in reviving the Chicago Chapter from three active members to over sixty. Melanie received her Bachelor's degree from Phoenix University in 2013. In her resume, Melanie says her mentors with Amtrak were both women and NARBW members; without them she would not be where she is today.



Chicago Chapter – Linda Hock

Linda retired in October 2016 after twenty-one years of service to the Chicago Southshore and South Bend Railroad. She holds a Bachelor's degree in Accounting and holds an Executive Management Certificate from the University of Notre Dame. Linda joined NARBW in June 2006. She has served as Scholarship Chairman, Secretary and Vice President and is currently President of the Chicago Chapter. She was instrumental in reviving the Chicago Chapter; increasing their membership to 62. Linda volunteers at the University of Notre Dame Women's Basketball games and summer camps. Proceeds from merchandise sells are donated to the Foundation of Saint Joseph Regional Medical Center for Secret Sisters Society. She also volunteers at the Women's Basketball Hall of Fame in Knoxville, TN and she helps her church with donations to the Share Foundation of Handicapped Individuals. In her spare time, Linda belongs to a jazz group that plays for benefits and assisted living centers and nursing homes for the elderly.



Indianapolis Charter Chapter – Barbara Hartwell

Barbara began her railroad career with the New York Central Railroad in 1965 and retired with the CSX Railroad in 2006 with a combined total of 41 years of service. At the time of her retirement she was Chief Clerk at the Diesel Shop in Avon. She joined NARBW in 1968 and served as Corresponding Secretary for several of those forty-nine years. She has also held the positions of Secretary and Fellowship Chair and is currently the Secretary for the Indianapolis Charter Chapter. Barb is the chapter's longest serving member and one you can always count on. She volunteers at every opportunity and faithfully rings the Salvation Army bell each season. Barbara is a patriotic citizen of her community and an active member in her church having taught Sunday School for over 20 years. She is a dedicated wife, mother and grandmother who enjoys being with her family, often traveling out of state to be a part of her grandchildren's activities.

CHAPTER WOMEN OF THE YEAR



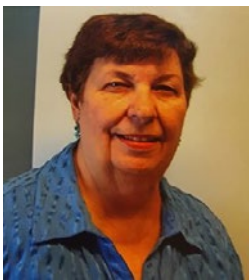
Kansas City Chapter – Kelly Jones

Kelly joined NARBW in 2016, and has made a great impact within the chapter's volunteer services and initiatives. She is the incoming First Vice President. Kelly earned a Bachelor degree in Psychology with a minor in Women's Studies, and a Master's in Human Resources. She has been employed with BNSF Railway for eleven years and lives in Kansas City, KS with her husband and two-year-old son. Kelly is a 2nd generation rail-roader who started her career with BNSF in 2006. She has worked in St. Louis, Texas, and New Mexico. In 2016, Kelly became the first frontline supervisor to receive a unanimous vote for the Argentine Site Safety Team Appreciation/Recognition for her involvement with safety initiatives. In 2016, she was the United Way Campaign Co-chair where she held fundraisers and gave cross-departmental presentations. She was appointed to serve on the Transportation Frontline Supervisor Council representing the Transportation Department on the Kansas Division. Kelly attends Temple with her family, volunteers at Loving Arms Daycare, serves on Kansas State University's Multicultural Alumni Council, and participates in various community service activities. She credits her membership in Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. with igniting her spirit of service.



Omaha Chapter – Casey Zahner

Casey began her career with Union Pacific Railroad in June 2013, and one year later was promoted to Manager of Data Integrity. She joined NARBW on July 17, 2014 just one month after arriving in Omaha. Casey initiated/helped with many new projects, such as organizing the 60th anniversary/membership party, holding a fundraiser at a local restaurant to inform people about NARBW during Community Impact Night, she helps with the chapter's annual golf tournament and raffle, Pass the Purse, Warm the Night, ENCAP, and Ronald McDonald House. Outside of NARBW, Casey fundraised for and joined in the Susan G Komen run/walk, chaired a slipper drive, and co-chaired the JDRF fundraiser at Union Pacific. Casey served as Vice President and Scholarship Chairman and is President-elect for the Omaha Chapter of NARBW. She is very close to her family and colleagues who say she is always available and helpful, extremely knowledgeable, always willing to lend a helping hand, impressed with her ability to articulate customer's concerns, she has been indispensable to NARBW and to the railroad. Casey is always there to share the work, whether it was her idea or someone else's; she continually searches for places to promote NARBW and railroads in general. The Omaha chapter says they are lucky to have her; she has a good heart.



Twin Cities Chapter – Susan Clancy

Susan joined the Twin Cities Chapter of NARBW in 1966 and has been a member for over 50 years! She has served on every office of their Board, has been their newsletter editor for the past seven years, and their Secretary forever. Sue served at the District level and was on the National Board for three years. In the Summer of 2016, she coordinated a luncheon with the former Twin Ports Chapter with the hopes of gaining new members. In the community, Sue volunteers at the Como Carousel in St. Paul selling tickets and working in the gift shop. For her Church, she sets up their Book Club and invites Authors, coordinates tours, and assists in financial reviews as well as compiling and cataloging church history. After working over 41 years at the BNSF Railroad, Susan is enjoying retirement and attending social functions with their employee's club. She is a member of the Minnesota State Council of Retirees for the IAM Union.

CHAPTER WOMEN OF THE YEAR



Philadelphia Chapter – Kathryn “Kay” Braun Bolich

Kay has been a member of NARBW for over thirty years and has served the chapter in almost every office and chairman position. For ten years, she has been Ways and Means Chairman for the Philadelphia Chapter. All year-round, Kay handles the sales of Marion Kay spices, Fuller Brush products, and Bergin's Candy and she is the go-to person for organizing group outings. She will become Philadelphia's President in June. Kay generously gives of her time and money to Ronald McDonald House, the Eliza Shirley Salvation Army Shelter for Abused Women and Children, and any other charitable effort the chapter takes on. She was hired by the Pennsylvania Railroad in 1956 to the mailroom and retired in 1999 as Secretary to the AVP Finance. To say Kay has enjoyed a well-traveled life is understated: when she was 22 she took a 7,000 mile, five-week cross country trip with girlfriends; her and her husband have traveled to Bermuda, France, Spain, Germany, Switzerland, Brussels, Holland, the Bahamas, US Virgin Islands, Jamaica, Mexico and Canada. Kay was widowed when she lost the love of her life, Bob, in 2006. The Philadelphia chapter says Kay is an outstanding member of their group and a champion of the organization.



Roanoke Chapter - Elaine Parks

Elaine has been a member of the Roanoke Chapter since April 2010. She has served as 1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President, Scholarship Chairman, and served on the Welfare the Audit Committees. She is currently the chapter President. Elaine is an active member of the “Busy Bees” quilting group who donate their work to the Rescue Mission and fire/flood victims. She is “Queen Mum” to another charity/social group. Elaine volunteers at the Rescue Mission and the Veterans Administration hospital as well as donating time and money to the Roanoke Chapter's activities. The American Cancer Society's Relay for Life team is her favorite charity. Elaine was employed by Norfolk Southern Corporation for 31 years. She began her railroad career in 1969 in the Engineering Maintenance of Way Department and held numerous positions including a 3-year stint in Norfolk, Virginia where she retired in 2000. Elaine has been married to David for 35 years, they have two daughters and two granddaughters who reside in Australia. She has always had a keen interest in the education of her family, herself, and anyone else she could influence. In fact, she graduated College and worked toward her Master's degree while working full time for Norfolk Southern.



St. Louis Chapter – Margaret E. Ruffin

Margaret has been a member of the St. Louis Chapter of NARBW since 1982 where she got involved with membership drives and fundraisers in the Missouri Pacific/Union Pacific Railroad building. She has served the St. Louis chapter as President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer (many of these offices more than once), she has been Chairman of almost every committee and is currently serving as Secretary. Margaret is the chapter newsletter “Rail Ties” publisher, helps with fundraisers and raffles, and annually shops for the chapter's Adopt-A-Family. She began her career with the Missouri Pacific Railroad in 1980, was on the Welcome Committee with the Union Pacific Railroad merge, and was a coordinator for the United Way campaign and the annual Health Fairs. Margaret took a buyout offer in 2001 and retired in April 2005. In addition to NARBW, she is active in the American Legion Auxiliary where she has been Secretary and Treasurer. She sells poppies for the Veterans on Poppy Day each year and organizes singing at the nursing home. In other volunteer activities, she sings in a group called “The Twilight Singers”, who sing old time songs and show tunes at nursing homes, retirement homes, Day Care Centers and Senior Groups. She is with the church choir and is Secretary to their 50 Plus Senior Club. Margaret also volunteers with the St. Louis County Older Resident Program (CORP) driving elderly residents to doctor's appointments, cultural/social events and lunches. It is with pride that the St. Louis Chapter NARBW nominates Margaret as their Chapter Woman of the Year.

2017 NATIONAL WOMAN OF THE YEAR



Debbye Converse was born on October 23, 1952 in Dermott, Arkansas and moved to Houston with her family in 1956. She graduated from Ross Sterling High School in Baytown and attended Lee Junior College. Debbye was enticed by the money that the Railroad had to offer. Thanks to her best friend, Ginger Stanbery and her best friend's dad, the late JJ Reed, Debbye got her foot in the door at Missouri Pacific Railroad in Houston, Texas in 1974.

In 1982, her office moved to Spring Texas as Missouri Pacific merged with Union Pacific. In 1988, she was relocated to Omaha, Nebraska. Debbye's hard work and dedication earned her a series of promotions beginning in 1998 as Manager of Asset Utilization, Manager of Yard Operations in 1999, Corridor Manager (Rock) in 2003, and finally to Manager Train Operations in 2005. Her career has seen many cities and numerous promotions. She retired in 2012 with thirty years of service, but has not let the grass grow under her feet. She is truly dedicated to hard work and commitment in both her personal life and making the Houston Chapter of NARBW a success.

In the Houston Chapter of NARBW, she has held the positions of Secretary, Membership Chairman and numerous committees; and is currently their President.

Debbye is also a member of Altrusa International of Montgomery County and in addition has worked the following charities: MD Anderson Children's Art Project, Be the Match, Ronald McDonald House, National Autism Society, Toys for Tots Houston, Avon Breast Cancer, Willis Nursing Home and Rehabilitation Center, Angel Gowns by Diane, Spay and Neuter Assistance Program, and Houston Achievement Program.

On September 10, 2011 Debbye married the love of her life, Mark Converse. Collectively they have four wonderful children; two girls and two boys; ten granddaughters, and two grandsons. Debbye takes care of her mother, Martha Kilcrease, who is 85 and legally blind, her brother, Keith Kilcrease, 66, who is deaf and her nephew Clint Kilcrease, 33, who is paralyzed from the waist down because of a car accident in February 2017. There is never a dull moment in Debbye's life.

Debbye is an inspiration to the Houston Chapter and to NARBW as a whole. Her hard work, dedication and commitment to follow through on whatever is required of her is what sets her apart from the rest.



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2017 NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS



Alexandra Cardosi

Nominated by the Cincinnati Chapter and her mother, Suzi Hamby. Alexandra is currently a second-year student at Northern Kentucky University Chase College of Law in Kentucky. She is pursuing Juris Doctorate in order to practice law in Kentucky and Ohio. After a semester of Constitutional Law, Alexandra feels a passion for the rights of American citizens and plans a career in Criminal Defense and Family Law. She is currently the Felony Case Administrator for the Campbell County Commonwealth's Attorney Office in Newport, KY. Alexandra has been involved with NARBW since her teenage years and although she can't attend weekly meetings, helps out whenever she can, whether it is providing cupcakes for the Texas Hold 'EM fundraiser or by running a 5K with the chapter.



Hanna Saville

Nominated by the Twin Ports Chapter and her grandmother, Betty Goman. Hanna is also from Cedar Rapids, Iowa and will be attending Iowa State University in the fall. Hanna will be majoring in World Languages and Cultures Education and wants to become a high school Spanish teacher. Hanna currently works at a daycare and teaches children basic knowledge such as colors and the alphabet. She finds it very rewarding when she sees a child start to understand. According to Hanna, to watch a child learn and to be able to open their eyes to new ideas gives her an indescribable feeling.



Madeline Saville

Nominated by the Twin Ports Chapter and her grandmother, Betty Goman. This is Madeline's third time receiving an NARBW scholarship. Madeline is from Cedar Rapids, Iowa and is going to be a junior at Missouri State University, majoring in Elementary Education, with an emphasis on Literacy. Madeline is also going to start working towards her Masters Degree in Literacy thru the accelerated Masters program. Madeline feels that one of the biggest keys to success is support and she is part of a new program called Buddy Bears which connects student athletes from the university with middle school students at Reed Academy for mentoring.



Deanna Henry

Nominated by the Cincinnati Chapter and her mother, Linda Henry. Deanna will be attending Ohio State University majoring in Political Science. Deanna's long term career goal is to achieve a high level government position to be able to make peoples' lives better thru policy changes and just make the world a better place. Her mother feels that she is blessed to have Deanna in her life and that Deanna has helped her become a better person thru example and volunteering. Deanna is never too busy to help others. Her school counselor describes her as driven, passionate and reflective and also as a leader constantly challenging herself.

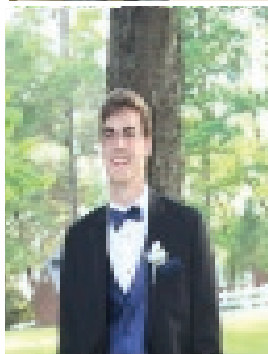


2017 NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS



Chad Stauton

Nominated by the Roanoke Chapter and his Grandmother, Sylvia Long. Chad is from Wake Forest, North Carolina and is currently a freshman at the University of North Carolina, working on a major in Chemistry. He is a pre-Med student, his ultimate goal is to become an anesthesiologist. Chad sets yearly goals and hopes to complete his MCAT prior to graduating with his undergraduate degree. His Social Studies Teacher claims that Chad has demonstrated that he is a lifetime learner, dedicated to excellence.



Cody Hawkins

Nominated by the Roanoke chapter and his Great Aunt, Linda G. French. Tyler is attending James Madison this fall, majoring in Political Science. Cody has a passion for government and law and his ultimate career goal is to work for the government in international affairs or to become a lawyer. When he graduates from high school, he will also be receiving an associates degree from the Governor's School of Southside Virginia. A dedicated and ambitious young man. Cody is an usher at the Arbor Baptist Church and volunteers in many of their activities.



Linda Connell

Nominated by the Cincinnati Chapter where she is a charter member and a train dispatcher for CSX. Linda is attending Northern Kentucky University pursuing her degree in Psychology. She took a 3m to 11pm job to be able to attend daytime classes at the University to connect with the 'upcoming generation'. She will concentrate her degree in Women and Gender Studies. Her degree will allow her the opportunity to possibly move into a management position with CSX. Linda feels that even if she never uses her degree to pursue a promotion, she will have valuable tools that she can use to volunteer in her community and help those needing help. She feels there is a great need for social services help and addiction counseling.



Noah Mills

Nominated by the Roanoke chapter and his grandmother, Joyce S. Mills. He will be attending the University of Virginia next fall and major in Computer Engineering. Noah tutors students after school in Math and has spent time during the holidays as a volunteer 'Bell Ringer' for the Salvation Army. In his letter of recommendation from his teacher at the Governor's school for Science, Math & Technology, which he is currently attending, Clelia LaMonica states Noah has a firm commitment to his tasks and dedication to his work which will take him far in the field he has chosen.



CHAPTER NEWS

ALBANY CHAPTER

We are all anxious for our beautiful summer weather that the Albany area is known for. Installation of Officers was held at our June meeting. We are looking forward to a very productive term.

Four members attended convention and came home saying they had a wonderful time. We are proud of our group of women. We take our charitable work very seriously, most of which is coordinated by our Chairman Diana Ham. We were proud of Diana, as the recipient of the Welfare Award and \$100 check for our Chapter, to continue supporting our endeavors.

Diana Ham was our Chapter Woman of the Year and was presented with a plaque at our June meeting.



Left to right: Mariana Maffeo, President Ellie Scanlon, Joan Mauro, Kathy Judge at Convention in Cincinnati



We are looking forward to upcoming summer events planned which include a day cruise on the Hudson River, followed by dinner at a floating restaurant in July, and a potluck picnic planning meeting at a local park in August.

Members make home visits to our Chapter member and Past National President, Alice McCabe. She does not get out much and is unable to attend meetings, but is still very interested in our plans and hearing about NARBW.

ATLANTA CHAPTER

The ladies have all been working on gaining new members for the upcoming year!



Derby day was hosted by member Joyce Peak. The ladies all donned their derby hats for this fun event!

CENTRAL FLORIDA CHAPTER

The June meeting was held at the Amtrak Auto Train station in Sanford, FL as well as installation of new members.

CENTRAL FLORIDA CHAPTER (continued)



Sherrie Cook was welcomed and presented her NARBW pin and bylaws book by Membership Chairman Melanie McKim

Get well wishes are being sent out to member Nancy Harmon who, after several surgeries, is now out of the hospital and recuperating in rehab. We're all wishing her a speedy recovery!

CHICAGO CHAPTER

In May, our members participated in the Homewood Rail Fest. We promoted the Chicago Chapter by passing out information along with delicious homemade NARBW cookies. We also raised money with a 50/50 raffle.



Pictured at left is former President Linda Hock and new President

Yolanda Barbosa



The Chicago chapter has been busy over the past few months. We held a special meeting with a delicious lunch for

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CHICAGO CHAPTER (continued)

all on June 21 to thank our outgoing president and the Chicago Chapter "Woman of the Year," Linda Hock. Over the past year, Linda has done a remarkable job in reestablishing our chapter, helping to build our membership and leading us to become an active, involved chapter of dedicated ladies.

Also in June, the Chicago chapter enjoyed a fun ladies night out for members, their friends and family. We participated in a "sip and paint" party where we had a blast learning to paint while enjoying great company and a variety of refreshments.



In May, several of Chicago Chapter members attended the National Convention in Cincinnati. They shared with us all how much fun they had and how much they enjoyed meeting their NARBW sisters. They also learned a lot from the presentations and speakers on how to build a strong organization. We're all looking forward to next year's convention.

The City of Homewood has an annual festival offering train rides for kids and adults, mini railroad displays, hotdogs and fun for all. We hope to have a blurb and photo on our chapter in the Homewood-Flossmoor Chronicle soon.

HOUSTON CHAPTER

We are proud to announce that our long-standing member Hazelle Wilson is now an honorary member of the Chicago Chapter. Hazelle had long been retired, and has not been active in chapter activities for many years. She has always continued to pay her membership dues. Hazelle recently contacted us and said she would not renew her membership because she could not participate in our meetings. In honor of her many years of service to our chapter, we have made her an honorary member. We hope to meet with her and hear her story.

Houston Chapter has lost another one of their long time members. Mary Knox passed away May 30 under the care of Hospice. Mary was the Treasurer of the Houston Chapter for many years.



Tamala Kubicek's new granddaughter is here!



Caroline Olivia Smith was born at 10 AM on Friday, June 16, 2017. She weighed 6 lbs 12.3 oz and 20" long. Mommy and baby are doing great. Daddy and big sister, Charlotte are very happy along with Nanna and Paw Paw.

HOUSTON CHAPTER (continued)



A few projects completed by Houston ladies include the Little Free Library promoting literacy and Angel Gowns by Diane.

INDIANAPOLIS CHAPTER CHAPTER

Our chapter is saddened after suffering the loss of four members since May with the passing of Helen Scaringe, Nina Goins, Jessica Elston and Betty Green, daughter of Chapter President Margaret Elston.

Our annual joint meeting with our sister Circle City Chapter hosting was held in May at Fireside Brew House. We celebrated Indiana Women in Transportation Week with a proclamation issued by Governor Holcomb. Our chapter always enjoys this opportunity to be together with these special ladies.



Ronald McDonald House Tab Drop Off

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INDIANAPOLIS CHARTER CHAPTER (continued)

Members met at Sisters Pancake House before delivering all our saved tabs to the 13th Annual Ronald McDonald House Tab Drop Off on the Circle in downtown Indianapolis. The proceeds from the recycling of donated tabs benefit approximately 5,000 families who have children being treated at local hospitals.

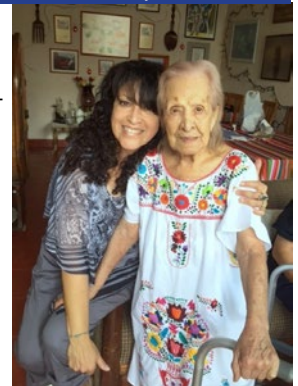
INDIANAPOLIS CHARTER CHAPTER (continued)

Ann Carrico (center) with daughter Tiffany and granddaughter Rilee also at Sisters



JACKSONVILLE CHAPTER (continued)

Mia Rogers and her 97-year old grandmother in San Miguel, Mexico pictured to the right.



Gloria and Jim Jackson celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on June 9.

JACKSONVILLE CHAPTER

What a great convention we had last month. It was wonderful to see everyone who was able to attend. Aside from the fellowship and fun, there were several learning opportunities such as Parliamentary Procedure, ways to increase membership, and ideas to increase our presence in the community. As we come back from the excitement of convention, we now celebrate the installations of the next term of officers. If you would like to share your strengths and ideas, please let us know so that we can include you on a committee.

We are sad to hear of the passing of Marion Puckett, a friend and former Jacksonville Chapter NARBW member. We will miss your smile.



Phyllis Breeden, Joanne Smith and Gloria Jackson loading tabs for Ronald McDonald House



Pat Hulett, her guest Gracie, Barb Hartwell, Joanne Smith, Gloria Jackson and Phyllis Breey - Lunch at Sisters

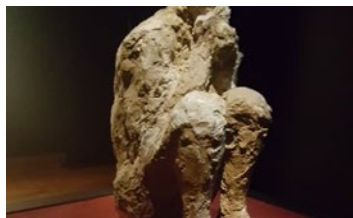


The Jacksonville Chapter installed their 2017-2019 slate of officers during a dinner at San Jose Country Club. From left to right above: Kathleen Gallavan (Secretary), Barbara Miller (Treasurer), Debbie Charpiat (President), and Dana Robles (First VP).

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KANSAS CITY CHAPTER

The ladies got together at Power and Light District located in downtown KC and had lunch at Bar Louie and then rode the street car to Union Station where we met up with a few others. We had a great turn out! 16 people showed to check out the Pompeii Exhibition. It was very enlightening. There were so many amazing artifacts and seeing the moldings of how the people died was very eye-opening. Below are some pictures from the exhibit



May's installation meeting was held at PepperJax for dinner, followed by installation on the patio.



Left to Right: Megan Cibulski, Kelly Jones and Sue Steffen. Not pictured: Bonnie Jameson

LOUISVILLE CHAPTER

Ladies of Louisville were unable to hold their meeting due to Ruth Ann Spears step-daughter's illness. She lost her battle with a brain tumor and, her celebration of life was held. Our condolences go out to Ruth Anne's family.

A couple of other members have also been ill and unable to participate at the meetings. Get well wishes go out to all the women and prayers for a speedy recovery!



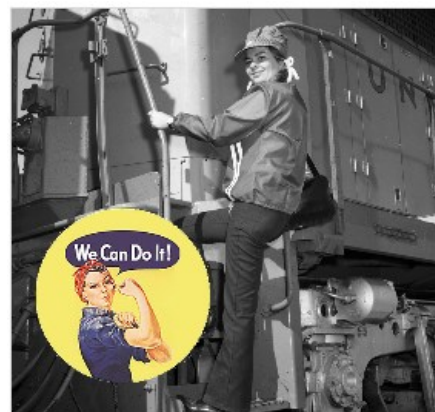
OMAHA CHAPTER

Everyone is involved in NARBW for a reason. Some like the social outings, some the community projects, some the dinners at different restaurants. Some want to do everything, some have lots of demands on their time and can only help by paying their dues.

You can be as involved as you want to be. The best way to learn more about NARBW is to jump in and volunteer to serve on or chair a committee. Let Casey Zahner know if you would help on or chair a committee.

OMAHA CHAPTER (continued)

Traditionally, we do not have a meeting in July and August, but we have gotten together for a fun, social activity. We have gone to the melodramas at Mahoney State Park as well as participating in a Paint Class.



Another event for this summer includes the Women in railroading exhibit at the UP Museum.

NARBW's 73rd National Convention was held May 19-20 in Cincinnati, OH. The Omaha Chapter had Julie Lane, National Treasurer, Kay Leslie, National Secretary, Cynthia Chandler, National Emeritus Council, and our four delegates Susan Hess, Anne Menichetti, Connie Prokupek and Casey Zahner, all in attendance. Omaha was well represented!

Friday, August 11, 2017 was the date for the golf tournament sponsored by our chapter of NARBW. It was our eighth annual tournament and the players had a great time! There were 'gimmicks' to put to use on the course, which made your score amazing!

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PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER

The Philadelphia women held their April 22nd meeting at the Harvest Grill in Moorestown, NJ. This relatively new restaurant chain pairs and serves locally produced foods and wines, grown in our rich and abundant farmlands in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland and Delaware. At our meeting, the women contributed items for Mother's Day gift bags for the temporary residents of a Salvation Army shelter in downtown Philadelphia, The Eliza Shirley House. Michele and Rae delivered the bags, toured the facility, and spoke to some of the moms and kids to gain some insight as to what could make their stay more comfortable. The chapter looks forward to providing some needed items!

In May, several members were slated to volunteer at the Ronald McDonald House Airplane Pull, however the day before, the event was called off because of bad weather. We hope to pull a plane in September! Also in May, six members of the chapter traveled to Cincinnati for the National Convention! It was such a joy to bring two members who had never been to a convention before. Rae, Renee, Michele, Faye, Monica and Joan came home enthusiastic about our trip and a lot of very valuable information the various chairs and the board shared with us. Several also came back as fans of German food and some interesting German brews!

We enjoyed Kansas City's presentation and are looking forward to next year's convention!

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER (continued)

At our business meeting we discussed upcoming events such as "Once Upon A Canvas", a painting lesson "with a twist" fundraiser on Sunday, July 23rd.

Several members enjoyed fabulous vacations this year. Joan and Walt Waite recently returned from river cruising with friends from Paris to Normandy, including being on Normandy Beach on D-Day. Several of the people in their group, including Walt, are veterans.

We wish all of the women (and their families) of NARBW a safe and happy summer!

ROANOKE CHAPTER (continued)

Carol Meador's mother, Joyce Jenins, had a heart cauterization

Roberta Roberts had a fall and hurt her back. She is under treatment for a sciatic nerve injury. On April 4, Roberta had another fall in the bathroom and suffered pain in her shoulder. Her family is giving her care.

Amy Meuhlendyck is recovering from knee surgery in April of this year.

Brenda Hale's daughter, Nicole Light, is undergoing radiation and chemotherapy for a rare brain cancer. I thank all my Narbie friends for their sincere concern and support.

ROANOKE CHAPTER

Our Relay for Life yard sale was held in June at President Elaine Parks house. We had 14 members attend. Thanks to our co-chairmen Tessa and Amy Muehlendyck.



Our prayers and get well wishes go out to the following ladies:

Sandy Williams is having shoulder issues.

Dorcas Lofland fell and broke her wrist. She is 91 years old and hope she is doing better.

At April's membership meeting, envelopes containing raffle tickets for the quilt pictured (3 or 4 each) were distributed to members. These tickets sold for \$10 each. The quilt is a Queen size with a log cabin design. This quilt's value is between \$550 to \$800, depending on the market. It is handmade and consisted of approximately 100 hours work in the quilt.



Our Summer Outing was August 5. We had lunch at Bellacino's in Daleville at noon and then attend a matinee at Attic Productions. "Kiss Me, Kate" with music and lyrics from Cole Porter, was playing.

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ROANOKE CHAPTER (continued)

Also, at our June meeting, Co-Chair Wanda Corbin will be collecting reading material for the V.A. Hospital once more.

ST. LOUIS CHAPTER

The ladies of St. Louis have been busily planning their meet and greets and happy hour.

Plans to meet with The Alton & Southern Railway Company and a meet and greet at the Lindenwood Conference Room off Wellington Avenue in St. Louis is planned.

TOPEKA CHAPTER

At our most recent meeting, we discussed maybe being able to help the Kansas City Chapter with decorations for the upcoming 2018 National NARBW convention in Kansas City, MO.

Nancy Lord attended this year's National Convention held in Cincinnati, OH.

Get well wishes to Dee Woodson from her recent surgery. We are hoping for a fast recovery and no further problems.

The ladies also met in June at Grandma Wongs to discuss the recent convention.

A Fall meeting in September is planned.

TWIN CITIES CHAPTER

Twin Cities chapter has decided to dissolve their chapter. A big thanks go out to all past and present who have helped with the chapter. This chapter was started in 1921 through 2017.

The article on Page 18 was submitted from Sue Clancy which she located in the records at the Minnesota History Center located at 345 W. Kellogg Blvd., St. Paul, MN. It is part of the museum, just ask to look at the National Association of Railway Business Women Twin Cities Chapter boxes. The organization at that time was known as the Railway Business Women Association. In 1941, we incorporated into a national organization and its name was changed to National Association of Railway Business Women. Did you know we also had a Riding Club (horseback) and a Bowling League? We had loads of coverage in the newspapers, both Minneapolis and St. Paul of our social events.

WEBSITE NEWS

This section will include the link to the NARBW website as well as the password to access members only information. The password for members only section is CORNELL, all caps. New stories or information on accessing key items will also be given. Items of interest will include short write ups on navigating through the website. Stay tuned for more to come!

As part of the Membership Plan of Work that was issued earlier this month, the National Membership Chair will be working with a team to update our national roster. Be on the lookout for emails regarding roster updates that will be needed from the members to make our database as accurate as possible!

FOR SALE NOW THROUGH NARBW

National is selling a watch with a train that circles the face of the watch with the NARBW logo and is currently selling for \$135.00. Contact Monica Rodan at Jewelry@narbw.org for inquiries. See picture below.



In addition, we have charms from our last National Convention at Cincinnati, OH for sale at \$5.00 each. See picture below.



CHAPTER NEWS

THE SAINT PAUL PIONEER PRESS.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1934.

RAILWAY BUSINESS WOMEN IN RIDING CLUB



Pictured are members of the Silver Snaffle Riding club of the Railway Business Women's Association of the Twin Cities. The picture was taken Saturday, October 13, at a ride and outing, the latter held at Newport, Minn. From left to right are Miss Lea Walter of St. Paul, Ronald Smithers of Minneapolis, instructor, and the Misses Lillian Johnson of Minneapolis, Marian Lillis and Margaret Pursley of St. Paul, Florence Sutherland of Minneapolis and Esther Hupfer, Edith Hupfer, Regina Strunk, Bobby Jonas, Eleanor Mickelson and Ann Gross.

Minneapolis Tribune
Sunday Nov 17-1934

Rail Business Women to Give Mardi Gras

Committees have been named to make arrangements for the Mardi Gras dinner dance to be given by the Railway Business Women's association Saturday at the Curtis hotel. On the dance committee are Mrs. Marie Felkey and the Misses Linda Moe, Lillian Gynne, Phyllis Steel, Mary Wessell, Madge Auger, Adele Farrel, Agneta Murphy and Irene Willis.

Hostesses include the Misses Hazel Williams, Bess Raymond, Beatrice Mooney, Georgia Perry, Elavi Conroy, Jessie Battelle, Ruby Lawther, Ruth Jones, Helen Thurston, Emma Cuturia and Anna Ball. On the reception committee are the Misses Edna Means, Grace Shields, Irene Rieke, Mary Macbain, Marian Lillis, Julia Donovan and Ethel Thurston.

Mrs. Melvina Benner has charge of reservations and Miss Violetta Corcoran invitations and entertainment. Miss Frances Mohan will sing a group of songs, and a Mardi Gras dance will be given by a group of dancers.

Out of town guests from Chicago, Cleveland, Cincinnati and Buffalo

Railway Women To Frolic Nov. 17

Mardi Gras Party Will Take
Place at Mill City
Hotel.

A MARDI GRAS PARTY AT the Curtis hotel in Minneapolis Saturday, November 17, will be the outstanding social event of the Railway Business Women's association this year.

Officers of the Railway Business Women's associations of Cleveland, Ohio, and Chicago, will be guests of honor. They also will be entertained with a motor trip about the Twin Cities and at a tea the day following the Mardi Gras.

Three-year-old Donna Mae Tschannel, accompanied by Mrs. Margaret Lilligren at the piano, will give several dance numbers at the rural fair party which the Omaha Division of the Railway Business Women's association will give Monday evening in the Omaha Railway clubrooms.

Miss Hannah Johnson will present a humorous reading and the Omaha Railway Girls' quartet, including the Misses Ruth Johnson, Doris Jacobson, Melvina Benner and Ethel Lindbeck, will sing. Miss Mary Wessel will accompany the quartet at the piano.

The Silver Snaffle Riding club of the association held a picnic after a ride Saturday afternoon. A mem-



NATIONAL NEWS

We received the note below and an original group photo from the very first convention from the niece of deceased member, Amelia Baldauf. The photo was restored and digitized by our National President. You can see the digital copy of the restored photo at the bottom of our page with Amelia's face circled in blue. A hard copy of the restored photo is being sent to the Virginia Museum of Transportation to go along with our display there.

May 16, 2017

Laura Gutteridge Anos
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Jacksonville, FL 32258-5505

Dear Laura,

Hope you have a place in your organization for this unique picture of the women that attended the national convention back in 1942. The Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago was a beautiful and popular hotel and used for special occasions back in that era. I believe it was demolished – maybe 25 years ago.

One of the ladies in the picture is my aunt. Her name is Amelia Baldauf and she worked for the Illinois Central Railroad in Chicago for over 60 years. When she retired she was given a golden pass to ride the Illinois Central and she used it many times to travel downtown from the southern suburbs of Chicago where she lived.

I loved how all the ladies were dressed in their beautiful dresses. It is such a clear picture of everyone. Somehow I inherited this picture from my Aunt when she passed away several years ago.

When I looked online for your organization I was surprised that it was still in existence and evidently still going strong. It, too, must have a long and interesting history.

Best regards,
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Convention - National Assn. of Railway Business Women - Edgewater Beach Hotel - July 1942

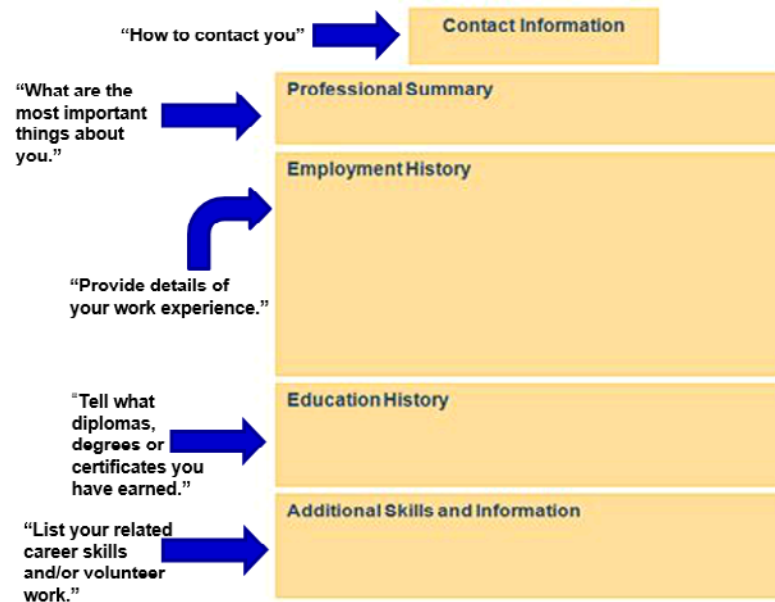
LEARNING CENTER

Creating an Effective Resume, Part I

The purpose of your resume is to “sell” yourself and summarize your experience, skills, and background. Hiring managers can review up to a hundred resumes. The average time to review a resume is less than 15 seconds. You want to make sure your resume stands out for the right reasons. Where should you start?

There are three types of skills that can be included in a resume: 1) adaptive; 2) transferable; and 3) job related. Adaptive skills describe your personality e.g. hard working. You can use these skills to adapt to any situation. Transferable skills can be used in a variety of jobs. They are often called universal skills e.g. problem-solving. Job related skills are required for a particular job and usually require some training or experience.

Below is a graphic showing the key parts of a resume.



In this first article, we will talk about the professional summary. The professional summary is the first place a hiring manager's eyes will go to. Remember you have the average time of 15 seconds to impress the hiring manager and get them to keep reading. The professional summary is your branding message to employers. You want to be sure to show that you have the key skills needed for the position that you are applying for.

Let's start with some tips on the professional summary. It should be at the top of the resume, just after your contact information. Keep it short and use bullet points to make it quicker to read. Below are two examples of a professional summary.

Example 1

Successful manager with proven ability to drive and sustain corporate revenues through broad-based competencies in:

Lead & Manage Teams
Root Cause Analysis
Project Management

Agile/Scrum Process
Lean & Six Sigma
Strategic Planning

Staff Development
User Training
Sarbanes-Oxley

Analyze and resolve complex customer issues to improve billing efficiency and customer service.
 Utilize strong negotiating skills and business acumen to provide quality services and products.
 Proven ability in leadership, staff development, motivation and team building.
 Skilled in senior level presentations, negotiations and relationship building.
 Received "Earth Mover Award" and "ThanX" awards.
 Recognized for great cross-functional work on "Refund Project".

**Read the next Capsule
 for more on creating
 an effective resume!**

Example 2

Detail-oriented, self-motivated, CPA, MBA with over 17 years' experience in accounting, including over 10 years with a Fortune 500 company. Strong skills in analytics, time management, and organizational ability. Strengths include solid problem-solving skills, process improvement, and customer service excellence. Extensive experience in:

- Accounts Receivable
- Policy Administration
- Pension Plans
- 401(k) Plans
- Health and Welfare
- SOX Compliance
- Chart of Authority
- Regulatory Filings
- Contract Management
- Financial Statements
- Debt Agreements



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Michigan State commits to railway business women

Besides sponsoring NARBW Capsule, Michigan State University has focused some of its curriculum to cater to railway business women (see pg. 6).

MSU's four-week Railway Management Certificate Program is the only North American program that covers the breadth and depth of the very complex railway industry from both a conceptual and practical viewpoint.

The program is aimed at individuals with the potential to become senior managers and leaders in their organizations. Content is applicable to the whole rail industry – freight and passenger railroads, transit authorities, industry and regulatory agencies, sup-

pliers, and shippers. Critical and topical subjects are covered in a classroom setting with interactive discussions and field trips to aid learning. These include railroad facilities, customers, suppliers, associations, and agencies. Group project work applies learning and develops teamwork skills.

The program was developed by MSU Railway Management Program staff, evaluated and improved by a curriculum committee of railroad industry leaders. Subject matter experts for the program include distinguished railroaders, transportation industry leaders and experienced MSU faculty.

Four individual weeks of classroom

and field experiences link to online support with assigned instructors responsible for mentoring the learning experience. A Certificate in Railway Management will be awarded on completion of the program.

The 2017 Program structure and schedule is:

Railway Operations

Sept. 25-29 Chicago

Railway Engineering & Technology

Oct. 16-20 Pueblo

Regulation, Safety & Rail Industry

Nov. 13-17 Washington D.C.

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