

# **Water Leadership Institute 2023**

Agenda as of 9.28.2023

Month	Key Activity		
April 11	Welcome Webcast and Kick Off 2:00pm – 3:30pm ET		
April 24 <sup>th</sup> Week	Small Group Video Chat #1. Group discussion with video – Need webcams - 30 mins Intro, why joined WLI, what do you do (consulting, ngo, etc.), what are your strengths. Group 1: 1pm ET, April 25 Group 2: 2pm ET, April 25 Group 3: 3pm ET, April 25 Group 4: 1pm ET, April 26 Group 5: 2pm ET, April 26 Group 6: 3pm ET, April 26		
April 28	Virtual Networking Hour – Q&A about F2F and Time to meet others 2:00pm – 3:00pm Eastern		

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**Homework:** Read the book and complete the assessment beforehand.

## May 2 WLI Monthly Webcast – Strengths Based Leadership

Amymarie Corriveau, Trinnex, WLI 2012 Graduate, WLI 2013-2018 Steering Committee Member 2:00pm – 3:30pm EST

### May 8-10 **FACE TO FACE EVENT**

Location: Alexandria Renew, 1800 Limerick St, Alexandria, VA 22314 Schedule to be confirmed

Day 1 – May 8

3:00pm - 5:00pm Pre-Workshop AlexReNEW tour – Meet in Lobby at

AlexRenew by 3pm.

5:00pm - 8:00pm Networking Event (including Hors d'oeurves)

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### Day 2 - May 9 8:30am - 4:45pm

• 8:30am	Welcome – Walt Marlowe, Executive Director, WEF
• 8:45am	Welcome and Program Overview – Julianne Jones, WEF
• 9:00am	Icebreaker and Getting to Know You
• 10:00am	Communicating with Impact – Joe Navas, McCarthy
• 12:00pm	Lunch
• 1:00pm	Alexandria Renew Enterprises' Public Outreach – Justin
	Carl, AlexRenew
• 1:15pm	Effective Public Speaking – Interactive Workshop – Amy
	Eberhard, Atkins; Guy Voss, HRD; Kristi Steiner, Jacobs;
	Christel Dyer, HRSD
• 6:00pm	Networking Hours (including Hors d'oeurves)
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### Day 3 - May 10 8:30am - 4:45pm

•	8:30am	Coffee and Group Networking Time
•	9:00am	Unconscious Bias Training – Michael Brainard
•	12:00pm	Lunch with Final Project Group
•	1:30pm	SMART Goals – Work with your Group Chat groups –
	Christel Dyer, I	HRSD
•	2:00pm	Final Project Instructions and Time to Meet/Work with
	your Group –	

Amy Eberhardt, Atkins

• 4:00pm **Wrap Up** 

• 4:45pm End of Workshop

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Week of May	Small Group Video Chat #2. Group discussion with video –45 mins
29	Topic Workforce Development
	Groups 1, 2, 3: 2pm ET, May 30
	Groups 4, 5, 6: 2pm ET, May 31
Week of June	Small Group Video Chat #3. Group discussion with video –30mins
12	Topic Diversity, Equity and Inclusion
	Groups 1, 2, 3: 2pm ET, June 13
	Groups 4, 5, 6: 2pm, June 14
June 20	WLI Monthly Webcast – Diversity, Equity and Inclusion
	Jackie Colliar, Hamilton City Council, New Zealand
	Mustaafa Dozier, previously DC Water
	Travis Numan, Paiute Tribe
	Ari Copeland, Black & Veatch
	2:00pm – 3:30pm EST
July 18	WLI Monthly Webcast – Managing and Leading
July 18	Stephen Harrison, California Water Service Group
	Deborah Mahoney, Brown and Caldwell
	Joy Ramirez, Clean Water Services
	2:00pm – 3:30pm EST
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Week of July 26	Small Group Video Chat #4. Group discussion with video –30 mins
	Topic Leading in Times of Crisis
	Groups 1, 2, 3: 2pm ET, July 25
	Groups 4, 5, 6: 2pm, July 26
August 15	WLI Monthly Webcast – Leading with Emotional Intelligence
	Cathleen Chavez-Morris, Duke Water Innovation Leadership Development
	Program Fellow and DEI practitioner
	Christel Dyer, HRSD
	Kerrie Greenfelder, Burns & McDonnell
	Lorenzo Freeman, City of Atlanta
	Saa Shemsu, Gresham Smith
	2:00pm – 3:30pm EST
Week of August	Small Groups Video Chat #5. Group discussion with video – 30 mins
28	Topic Emotional Intelligence
20	Groups 1, 2, 3: 2pm ET, August 29
	Groups 4, 5, 6: 2pm, August 30
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September 5	WLI Monthly Webcast - Entrepreneurship and Innovation Chris Wilson, HRSD Ting Lu, Portland Bureau of Environmental Services Kristan VandenHeuvel, Water Tower Will Schanan, Rapid Radicals 2:00pm – 3:30pm EST
Week of Sept 18	Small Groups Video Chat #6. Group discussion with video 30 Mins  Topic Conflict Management  Groups 1, 2, 3: 2pm ET, Sept. 19  Groups 4, 5, 6: 2pm, Sept. 20
September 30	Evening Meet and Greet in Chicago 5:00pm — 8:00pm

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October 1	WLI Worksh	op at WEFTEC
	8:30am – 5:0	00pm
	8:30am	Arrive, Check-in, Network
	8:45 am	Welcome! Review of Day's Activities Julianne Jones, Water Environment Federation
	8:50 am	Ice Breaker and Peer Connection Guy Voss, HDR; and Christel Dyer, HRSD
	9:05 am	Follow the Follower Leadership Tom Kunetz, M K
	9:50 am	Coffee Break and Time to Chat with Tom – Served in Room
	10:10 am	What to do at WEFTEC Multiple Steering Members and Open to You
	10:20 am	Goals Accountability Check Kristi Steiner, Jacobs
	11:00 am	Using my Leadership Experience to Launch Moonshot Missions with Q&A George Hawkins, Moonshot Missions
	12:00 pm	Networking Lunch
	1:00 pm	Leaning In – Difficult Conversations, Conflict Management, and Active Listening Alvin Pilobello, Mindspace Impact; Lorenzo Freeman, City of Atlanta; Jean Malafronte, Andris LLC
	3:00 pm	Wrap Up with Facilitated Feedback
	3:30 pm	Get involved with WEF with Alumni Joining Julianne Jones, Water Environment Federation
	3:45pm	Graduation and Group Photo – Put in order of Final Project Teams Howard Carter, WEF Board of Trustees Vice President
	4:15pm	Networking Social Event with Alumni and meet your InFLOW Mentee