

# The GOOD News

Greater Orlando Organization Development Network



February-March 2017

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### February Bi-Monthly Meeting

**February 10, 2017 - [Register Now](#)**

***Listen In: How to Influence Anybody by Tuning into Yourself***

Let's be honest...some of our clients are great to work with, and others pose a challenge. In our attempt to influence our clients, we sometimes get "sucked in" to the same dynamic we try to help them break out of. We find our own effectiveness is diminished, and we sometimes fall into the mode of blaming our client for not listening to our input.

Participants in the session will be able to:

- Identify the triggers in their environment that negatively affects their ability to influence others
- Practice clear, direct and truthful communication that can "unstuck" any situation
- Model for their clients what it means to lead and influence by

## MEMBERSHIP NEWS

### Membership Dues Renewal

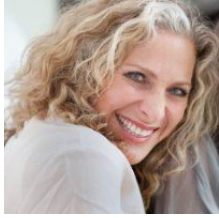
Our membership dues Early Bird special will fly away on February 1st. Members who join or renew **by January 31st** enjoy a \$10.00 discount paying only **\$75.00** for a year of great activities. **Join or renew now! Don't miss out on our great 2017 programming!**

### Welcome our Newest Members!

Please welcome these new (and former) members who have joined us since December, 2016:

Cindy Brewer  
Erica Bruce  
Damita Davis  
Ferry Fleurimond  
Stephen Fussell  
Amy Gardner  
Mark Griffiths  
James Herndon  
Cassandra James  
Shelli Johnson  
Alinka Johnson  
Abigail Keifer

being authentic and open



Gabriela Buich is an experienced team builder specializing in facilitating culture change associated with mergers/acquisitions, leadership changes, and organizational transition.

[More details on the program, speaker, location and agenda are available on the website.](#)

## April 7, 2017 - Bi-monthly meeting -- Sneak Peek!

Hold the date for a great program! **"The GOOD Network Brand Lab"** with Betsy Jordyn, will help OD practitioners go from optional service providers to essential strategic partners! Registration will open soon after we finalize the program details.

## Communities of Practice (COP) Meetings

**External Consulting COP** meets bi-monthly. The next meeting is scheduled for [March 24, 2017](#). Location is: Valencia College West Campus, Building 3 in Rm 227; 1800 S Kirkman Rd, Orlando, FL 32811



Audrey Wallace, Senior Manager at Hogan Assessments, will join our group virtually to share information about personality assessments and their use in all facets of Talent Management, HR, OD, Recruiting. She will share the specifics on the predictive capability of their word-renowned suite of tools which include assessments for the

Crystal Lee  
Rochelle Lerner  
Nathaniel Madrid  
Samiyah Mubarak  
Kevin Phillips  
Nilsa Santos  
Demetria Sloan  
Jamey Walls  
Meredith Whillenbring  
Sara Williams

## GOOD Doing Good and Social Networking at Adult Literacy League Event

Join us for **Reading Between the Wines** -- a fundraiser for Adult Literacy League on April 12, 2017, at 6:00 PM. Your event donation ticket gets you great food from 5-6 different higher end restaurants, wines, and a chance to meet James Beard award-winning chefs and cookbook authors, **Art Smith** and **Norman Van Aken**.



Every dollar of your ticket price will be spent on Adult Literacy Programs in Central Florida. GOOD Members and guests will meet at the event to socialize, network and support this worthy cause. Details on how to join GOOD members for this event are on the website. [Click here for details and to register.](#)

**Location:** Orlando Science Center - see [GOOD registration page](#) for details on buying your ticket online at Adult Literacy League's website.

**From Rob Rogers,  
President**

dark side of personality, high potentials, and team building.

[Registration is open.](#)

**Coaching COP** meets monthly. Join us on [February 17, 2017](#) and [March 17, 2017](#) if you are interested in Coaching. Registration for both events is open. [Check the Events Page.](#)

## Webinars

### **"Training ROI: Investing in Training" Webinar**

09 Feb 2017 2:00 PM • Online Webinar -- use the webinar link provided to register.

## Social Programs



We will host three social networking events in 2017 at BJ's Brewhouse at Millenia Mall. Tentative dates are:

- Monday, March 13, 2017
- Monday July 17, 2017
- September 24, 2017

## GOOD Doing Good

We will hold two events as part of our community involvement and volunteerism. These events will be in addition to the combined **GOOD Doing Good Networking So**cial in support of Adult Literacy League on April 12, 2017. Other volunteer opportunities will include:

Spring -- a volunteer day supporting a



Welcome to the GOOD Network 2017.

Can you believe that we are entering our 14th year? Your Leadership Team is excited and looking forward in continuing to offer interactive, diverse, and dynamic learning opportunities that will make a positive impact on our members and the organizations our members serve.



In addition to the fabulous bi-monthly meetings we are working on, we are continuing this year to bring added value to your membership through the multiple Community of Practice groups, the mentoring program, regular social events, and service projects through out the year.

Your Leadership Team also hopes to build a community where you feel like you belong. We are available to answer questions, take suggestions or help you in getting better connected. Just reach out to us.

But don't be surprised if we reach out to you first. We are here to make your GOOD Network experience great and we look forward to seeing you in 2017!

## Resources

Our December, 2016 bimonthly meeting with Kizzy Dominguez, Ph.D, explored gaming and virtual reality applications to OD.

**Members can view her presentation on the Program Materials download page.**

Another resource is also posted there as it related to her presentation:

Gift for Teaching

Fall -- a volunteer day support  
Goodwill Industries

Dates are still to be determined.

"Virtual Reality and Its Implications  
for Workplace Learning" -- a  
learning report from Eliot Masie  
Group. You can view, print, or  
download this (free of charge)  
at: <http://www.masie.com/VRLearnReport>

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