## The Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium



### AGENDA • NOVEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup>, 2014 • OKC CHAPTER

#### I. Welcome

Garyl Geist, Chief Operating Officer Oklahoma Allergy & Asthma Clinic; Past President, OK Ethics State Council

#### II. Member Honors

• Pinnacle Members Todd Lisle, Managing Partner, BKD LLP;

President, OK Ethics State Council The special objet d'art was designed by Chris

McGahan of Edmond's own Bella Forte Glass Studios. It is intended to symbolize the spirit of Oklahoma, representing our optimism, depth and stability.

 Navigator, Media & Star Members Randy Thurman, Co-President, Retirement Investment Advisors; Director, OK Ethics Board

Note: This year, in an effort to capture more members' pictures, we are asking Horizon and Leading members to remain at their tables and a photographer will come to your group for a photo. If you would like a formal photo, we have arranged for these to be made in a designated area of the room.

#### Horizon Members

*Mark Nance,* Vice President of Audit, American Fidelity Assurance; Chairperson, OK Ethics Membership Recruitment Team

• Leading Members Travis Jones, CEO of Career Development Partners; Vice President of Fun & Spirituality, OK Ethics Board & Bob Byrne, (Retired), Boeing; Chief Diplomat, OK Ethics Board

#### III. Board of Directors and Volunteer Recognition

Shannon Warren, Founder, OK Ethics & Joy LaBar, Vice President of Internal Audit, SandRidge Energy; Treasurer, OK Ethics Foundation Welcome new OK Ethics Board members **Daniel Yunker** of Kimray, Inc., **Oscar Womack** of Coherent Contracts and **Sherry Nelson** of WPX Energy! (See your Member Guide for a full listing of OK Ethics Board members.)

We invite our volunteers to proceed to the podium to accept your recognition item. Please see page 3 of your agenda for a list of our special volunteers who have served on a regular basis and are being honored today.)

#### **IV.** Upcoming Events



Experimenting with different venues. Watch bulletins for location information.

See page 7 for more information.

Advance reservations are required for all events.

#### January 14

"Ethics on Trial" NEW LOCATION: St. Luke's United Methodist Church Recommended for 1 CPE in Ethics

#### V. Statewide Student Ethics Challenge Awards

**Shannon Hiebert,** Vice President, Human Resources, Enterprise Holdings; President, OK Ethics Foundation

Please refer to your Member Guide for more details about student ethics initiatives.

• First place: Oklahoma Christian University, Advisor: Dr. Jeffrey Simmons

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- Second place: Oklahoma Baptist University, Advisors: Dr. Rich Rudebock and Dr. Vickie Ellis
- Third place: University of Central Oklahoma, Advisor: Dr. Katherene Terrell

Presentation by Oklahoma Christian University student leader, Jasper Bawcom

#### VI. Guiding Principle and Introduction

**Dr. Katherene Terrell,** Chairperson, Accounting Department, University of Central Oklahoma

#### VII. Keynote

"Moral Business Through Ethical Competency"

Dr. Ron Paul Hill, Villanova University

#### NEXT UPCOMING EVENT SEE PAGE 7 FOR MORE EVENTS.



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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2015

**JIM PRIEST** Attorney with Rubenstein & Pitts **CHARLIE PLUMB** Shareholder and Attorney for McAfee & Taft

JUDGE JARI ASKINS Former Lieutenant Governor DEFENDANT DR. STEVE ELLIS Professor of Philosophy, University of Oklahoma



Vision: To be recognized as a statewide and national forum for promoting business ethics.



# STATEWIDE STUDENT ETHICS CHALLENGE NOVEMBER 1

#### **Participating Teams:**

Cameron University Oklahoma Baptist University *(3 teams)* Oklahoma Christian University *(2 teams)* Oklahoma City University Oklahoma State University Rose State College Southern Nazarene University St. Gregory's University University of Central Oklahoma University of Oklahoma *(3 teams)* 

#### **Event Organizers**

Shannon Hiebert\* Enterprise Holdings Pam Fountain\* Principal Technologies Colin Schoonover\* ONE Gas

#### Scorekeeper

Chris Caldwell, CPA

#### Judges

Joe Walker BKD, LLP Mike Mims Chesapeake Energy Corporation Jack Rosenberg Chesapeake Energy Corporation Donna Miller **Executive Resource** Cindy Fairchild Express Employment Professionals Reverend Ray Belford First Christian Church Kellian Schneider\* Fullforce Warren Martin General Tommy Franks Leadership Institute Mike Wooten Google Data Center Brandi Bush Hobby Lobby Nancy Hyde, CPA, CVA Hyde & Company CPAs, P.C. Mary Homan Mercy West Communities Colin Schoonover\* ONE Gas Brian Shore ONE Gas, Inc

Tommy Campbell Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP Joy S. LaBar\* SandRidge Energy, Inc Edith Steele

Secure Evaluations and Consulting Linda Brinkworth St. Luke's United Methodist Church Bob Byrne\* **OK Ethics Board of Directors** Keith Chappell The Boeing Company Young Chappell The Boeing Company Tonva Salazar-Purvine Valir Health Ginger Castleberry Valir Health Marsha Casebeer WPX Energy \* OK Ethics Board Member

#### Moderators

Lauren Maxey Enable Midstream Partners Mel Inman Oklahoma Natural Gas Morgan Hartman OGE Trey Whitley Chaparral Energy Amber Danner Enterprise Holdings



# Are You Normal?

Warren Martin is available to do meaningful, on-site ethics training based on his popular presentation to our OK Ethics chapters. Visit OK Ethics website to see a video of these entertaining and informative past presentations.

Contact Shannon Warren at warrenokla@cox.net if you are interested in learning more about costs and opportunities.

# **VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION**

OK Ethics relies primarily on volunteers to achieve the organization's successful pursuit of Oklahoma's values of integrity at work. It takes leadership and teamwork to host these exciting events and we salute your dedication in achieving OK Ethics' mission! Listed below are the regular volunteers who consistently provide service to our members:

John Burnett	Kimray, Inc.	Ambassador
Deborah Burroughs	Langston University - Retired	Ambassador
Cheryl Campbell	Metro Technology Centers	Agendas
Thad Chance	Accounting Principals	Ambassador Team Leader
Lucius Crandall	SandRidge Energy	Registration
Chris Ferguson	OK Funeral Board	Ambassador
Jamie Gorman	Yellow Cab	Ambassador
Wayne Hart	Legal Shield	Ambassador
Valorie Hodges	Valir	Ambassador
Mary Kay Huggard	Principal Technologies	Registration
Nancy Hyde	Hyde and Company	Ambassador (Executive Team)
Brent Martens	Love's Country Stores	Ambassador Team Leader
Shirley Mears	Champlin Broadcasting	Morning Drive
Sandra Nettleton	Oklahoma Sports and Orthopedics Institute	Ambassador
Mark Neumeister	D.R. Payne & Associates, Inc.	Registration
Jamie O'Brien	Eide Bailly LLP	Logistics
Jacob Pasby	Arnold Oil Properties	Ambassador
Susan Pate	Stinnett & Associates	Accountant
Jalisha Petties	Accounting Principals	Paid contributor
Tawni Phelan	factor 110	Paid contributor
Marvinette Ponder	Devon Energy	Registration
Trish Potter	Metro Technology Centers	Agendas
Bobby Redinger	Cole & Reed	Ambassador
Bertha Robinson	Metro Technology Centers	Agendas
Connie Root	Walker Companies	Ambassador
Anna Rosenthal	Accounting Principals	Paid contributor
Bill Turner	Valir	Ambassador
Mary Vaughn	Mary A Vaughn CPA	Registration
Joe Walker	BKD, LLP	Registration
Daniel Yunker	Kimray, Inc.	Chief Ambassdor

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#### AGENDAS:

Many thanks to the volunteers from **Metro Technology Centers** who provide our monthly agendas.

#### AMBASSADOR TEAM:

These friendly people welcome our guests each month and assist in helping them locate seats. They also arrive early to help distribute agendas and assist with name tags.

Daniel Yunker	Kimray, Inc.	Chief Ambassador
Thad Chance	Accounting Principals	Team Leader
Deborah Burroughs	Langston (Retired)	Ambassador
Wayne Hart	Legal Shield	Ambassador
Breanne Mollman	TriStar Pension Consulting	Ambassador
Erika Moore	Chesapeake Energy	Ambassador
Sandra Nettleton	OSOI	Ambassador
Nancy Hyde	Hyde & Company	Ambassador (Executive Team)
Oscar Womack	Coherent Contracts	Ambassador (Executive Team)

#### **REGISTRATION TEAM:**

These dependable individuals diligently record our guests' attendance and handle the collection of fees:

Mark Neumeister, CPA	D. R. Payne & Associates	Registration Chairperson
Mary Vaughn	Mary A Vaughn CPA	Cash & Visitors
Marvinette Ponder	Devon Energy	Pre-paid Registration Co-Chair
Joe Walker	BKD, LLP	Pre-paid Registration Co-Chair
Lucius Crandall	SandRidge Energy	Pre-paid Registration
Brandy Weldon	SandRidge Energy	Pre-paid Registration

#### **SPECIAL INITIATIVES:**

Mark Nance	American Fidelity Assurance	Membership Chair
Susan Pate	Stinnett & Associates	Accountant
Jamie O'Brien	Eide Bailly, LLP	Facilities & Logistics Chair

#### **OTHER INITIATIVES:**

Jalisha Petties*	OK Ethics	Member Care Coordinator
Tawni Phelan*	Factor 110	Name Tags and Guest Services
Sue Miller*	Accel Financial Staffing	E-notices

\*Paid Service Provider



TUNE IN! Our own **Bob Byrne** and **Shirley Mears** featured on the morning drive for **Hank FM 99.7 (Classic country western)** – Tune in between 7:00 and 8:00 a.m. to learn more about Oklahoma's legacy! Also, hear interviews with speakers thanks to Champlin Broadcasting and the folks with the Oklahoma Heritage Association who provide the research for our historic profiles!

#### **JOIN THE TEAM:** Want to be part of the recruiting team that helps OK Ethics flourish? Talk to these leaders below:

• Join the Ambassador team! Contact Daniel Yunker at dyunker@kimray.com. Volunteers arrive early to distribute agendas and assist guests in locating seats.





#### About our presenter:

Dr. Ron Paul Hill is the Richard J. and Barbara Naclerio Chairholder in Business and Professor, Marketing and Business Law Department at Villanova University. A globally recognized speaker for his unique and engaging style of presentation on issues that include professional ethics, compassionate leadership, and intergenerational management.

He has been named one of the most prolific and influential authors in the field of marketing, having penned over 200 articles, review papers, and books that examine business ethics, public policy, and basic human rights. Particularly noteworthy are his works titled *Pearls along the Path: Lessons* for Living a Life with Passion, and Surviving in a Material World: The Lived Experience of People in Poverty

#### **Recommended for 1 CPE in Ethics\***

\*Program is designed at the basic level and is suitable for anyone aspiring to or currently holding a leadership position. Note that it is up to the individual attendee to demonstrate relevance to his/her own area of practice. OK Ethics makes no quarantees.

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### THE MORAL BUSINESS BUSINESS THROUGH ETHICAL COMPETENCY Presented by Ronald Paul Hill, Ph.D. Richard J. and Barbara Naclerio

Endowed Chairholder, Villanova School of Business

As a result of the nature of these writings, he was selected by the United Nations to speak on behalf of disadvantaged consumers at universities and corporations around the country.

#### **Presentation Notes:**

So-called "soft skills" such as ethics have been difficult to pin down. How does one measure competency in this area? Dr. Hill will present a pragmatic approach that individuals as well as organizations, whether large or small, can apply. Using humor to make his points, other aspects of his presentation will include:

- I. Is there a difference between morality and ethics?
- *II. Understanding and measuring your ethical competency.*
- III. Reaching Generation Y & Z shared values?
- *IV. From theory to practice: integrating ethics into action.*

#### **GENERAL PROGRAM DISCLAIMERS:**

**LEGAL:** Members of the Oklahoma Business Ethics Consortium frequently share information concerning various issues and developments that may have legal implications. The discussions, commentary, and handouts at Consortium meetings or presentations to other organizations are for general informational purposes only. They cover only some aspects of the subject topic, and do not constitute a complete legal analysis of the topic or how it might apply to any particular set of facts. Before taking any action based on information presented during a Consortium event, participants are encouraged to consult a qualified attorney.

**CPE'S:** From time to time, Continuing Professional Education credits are offered. Because OK Ethics relies heavily on volunteers to provide these, we do not have the manpower to send certificates after the program is completed.

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**PHOTOGRAPHY:** Occasionally, photos of the event are made and these may be posted on the OK Ethics website or Facebook page. By attending the program, participants tacitly understand and agree to this process. If preferences are otherwise, please notify us at okethics@yahoo.com or call (405) 889-0498 and we will be happy to comply with your wishes.

#### **PRESENTATION STANDARDS:**

The observations and comments of presenters at Consortium meetings and networking are the views and opinions of the presenter and do not constitute the opinion or policies of the Consortium or any of its members. Presenters are respectfully requested to honor OK Ethics Guiding Principles as well as avoid profanity, preaching, politics, put-downs and self-promotion during their lectures. To ensure accountability, participants are invited to evaluate each program according to these and other standards.

# THE MORAL BUSINESS THROUGH ETHICAL COMPETENCY

#### **PART 1: MEASURING COMPETENCY**

Individual Differences

- Organizational Context
- Societal Nuance

#### Individual Differences:

#### Most people believe (assume?)

- 1. they act ethically.
- 2. everyone else shares their ethical values.
- 3. their ethics are formed by family and faith.

Most people have a hierarchy of ethics.

#### Organizational Contexts

- All organizations have **cultures**.
- Formal rules and informal rules sometimes **differ**.
- Pressure to perform can **dominate** pressure to conform.
- Leadership and followership both play important roles.

#### Societal Nuances

#### DIFFERENCES exist...

### **PART 2: MOVING FORWARD**

- Moving Forward
- No process is the dominant approach.
- Legal compliance is driven by fear.
- Top-down suggests lack of trust.
- Bottom-up is a **risky strategy** demanding mutual respect.
- Individualism and relativism.

#### Stage 1: Individual Reflection

- Guides to personal and professional lives.
- Individual ten commandments.
- Both prohibitions and responsibilities.
- Role of **moderators** and **contradictions**.

#### Stage 2: Work Team Discussions

- Seeking levels of **consensus**.
- Limited to **peers** and **interacting partners**.
- Systemic view of ethical values.
- Outcome is a **set of values they agree to display** publicly and hold each other **accountable.**

#### Stage 3: Intergroup Negotiations

- Variable in length and complexity,
- based on **size** and **hierarchy**.
- Individual **spokespersons** with regular **interactions**.
- Role of **moderators** to determine agreement/ concerns.
- Leading to a **code** of ethics.

#### Stage 4: Board Endorsement

- Leader-member **exchange theory**.
- Choice of **representatives**.
- Seek key supporting discussion **points**.
- Voices of the firm members heard in presentation to the board.

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GUIDING PRINCIPLES

Please refer to page 5 of your annual OK Ethics Member Guide for the Guiding Principles.

HELP GET THE WORD OUT: PLEASE POST THIS ON YOUR COMPANY'S BULLETIN BOARD

# UPCOMING OKC EVENTS



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PROSECUTION **JIM PRIEST** Attorney with Rubenstein & Pitts



**CHARLIE PLUMB** Shareholder and Attorney for McAfee & Taft



DEFENDANT **DR. STEVE ELLIS** Professor of Philosophy, University of Oklahoma

JUDGE **JARI ASKINS** Former Lieutenant Governor

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2015 ST. LUKE'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



# **KETHICS** May 1, 2015

Award Winning Speaker, Author, ESPN College Basketball Analyst, **New Orleans Hornets Studio Analyst**  **Tower Hotel Oklahoma** City

### **UPCOMING TULSA EVENTS**



Presented by **Ronald Paul Hill**, Ph.D. Richard J. and Barbara Naclerio Endowed Chairholder, Villanova School of Business Recommended for 1 CPE in Ethics.

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AHEAD

November 13 11:30ам-1:00рм **Doubletree Hotel** 



