Networks 11th Annual Ethics Conference

Wednesday, March 2, 2016

Ethics: It’s Your Choice
Corporate Keynote

Angela Morelock, CPA, CFE, CFF, ABV

Angela Morelock has more than 20 years of experience and leads BKD’s forensic accounting and investigations team, providing fraud investigation and prevention, complex litigation support and forensic accounting services for a variety of business clients. She regularly provides consulting and expert witness assistance to attorneys in a variety of litigation matters. Morelock and her team have investigated some of the largest fraud cases in the United States. Her clients include the FBI, U.S. Department of Justice and the U.S. Attorney’s Office.

Morelock has been qualified as an expert witness in cases involving criminal and civil fraud, securities fraud, business valuation, acquisition disputes, commercial business damages, funding constitutionality, bankruptcy, breach of fiduciary duty, fidelity and bonding claim disputes and other financial matters in both federal courts and numerous state level courts around the country. She also has served as an arbitrator in a post-acquisition dispute matter.

Morelock is a member of the ACFE, AICPA, and Missouri Society of Certified Public Accountants. She is a 1993 summa cum laude graduate of Missouri State University, Springfield, with a B.S. degree in accounting.

Fraud can wreak havoc on organization financial performance and undermine business objectives. No business is immune from the risks associated with fraud, and education is the key to prevention. Morelock will share her insights into the world of internal embezzlement based on her experience investigating white-collar crime. With stories from the trenches and often overlooked prevention tips, you will be simultaneously educated and entertained during this fast-paced program designed for those with or without an accounting background. Anyone involved in business—managers, owners, board members, controllers, and outside
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Auditors—will benefit from this enlightening presentation which discusses the symptoms management should watch for with a focus on how organizations can better protect themselves.

10:00-10:50 a.m.

**Breakout Session #1**

**Accounting CSI Style: The World of Forensic Accounting**

*Angela Morelock, CPA, CFE, CFF, ABV*

Forensic accounting is a rapidly expanding field. Come learn about the practice of forensic accounting and enjoy some wild stories about the cases Morelock has worked on over the course of her career. She will share information about her career path at BKD and the good, the bad, and the ugly about working as a forensic accountant.

**The Intersection of Business and Disability**

*Joe Mears, Sales Manager, Solideal On-Site Servies; founder and chair, Dads Appreciating Down Syndrome*

**Give Me Life or Give Me Death: Ethics in the Correctional Setting**

*Lieutenant Commander Chris Blila and Lieutenant Roger Cox*

Session includes ethical considerations regarding illegal drug use, standards of conduct, honoring just debts, misuse of position, workplace violence, ethical medical care within the correctional setting.

11:00-11:50 a.m.

**Breakout Session #2**

**It’s a YES!**

*Dr. Pamela Gresham, Instructor, Department of Teaching and Learning, Indiana State University*

Can you use your gifts and passions to promote ethical behavior and positively impact lives? Is it possible to be a leader, regardless of your profession, and impact people of diverse backgrounds for their benefit and the benefit of society? It’s a YES! Find out how!

**Ethical Challenges in Entrepreneurship**

*Daniel Pigg, Director, Center for Business Engagement, Indiana State University*

**Complex and Ambiguous Healthcare Law**

*Steve Pratt, JD*

Pratt is speaking about the healthcare experience as an attorney and healthcare regulations with Medicare and Medicaid.

12:00-1:30 p.m.

**Keynote Luncheon, Dede I**

**Building Your Professional Responsibility Muscle: Exercises for Hearts and Minds**

*Gretchen A Winter, JD*

Gretchen A. Winter, JD, is the Executive Director of the Center for Professional Responsibility in Business and Society at the College of Business at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. She also serves as a visiting professor at the Universite de Cergy-Pontoise School of Law, an adjunct professor at the University of Illinois College of Law, and as faculty for a University of Illinois College of Business class on professional responsibility and business ethics. Her office is located at the Illini Center in Chicago, and she spends time each week during the semester in Urbana-Champaign.

Winter was elected to the Executive Board of the Association of Practical and Professional Ethics and has been named vice chair and chair-elect of that board. She previously chaired the Ethics and Compliance Officer Association Board of Directors, and she has been on professional responsibility, business conduct, and ethics committees for the American Bar Association and DePaul University.
The Challenge of Making Choices: Lessons of the Holocaust

Dorothy Chambers, Program Director at CANDLES Holocaust Museum and Education Center

Under what circumstances do we stand up to injustice and violence? Under what circumstances do we stand by while injustice continues? What are the consequences of our choices—for ourselves, our families, and our communities? In this session we will learn about people who were confronted with moral choices during the Holocaust and reflect on our own decision-making process as individuals living in a larger society.

Appraising the Ethical Landscape of Contemporary Small Business

Jeff Stenger, Principal and Chief Technical Officer, Stenger Professional Services, Certified General Real Estate Appraiser

A general discussion of small business ethics and how one’s ethics can be compromised by even the best intentions, as well as real world examples of everyday ethical challenges of the small business owner.

Irrational Decisions: Are We Predictably Vulnerable?

William Wilhelm, Professor, Department of Management, Information Systems, and Business Education, Donald W. Scott College of Business, Indiana State University

A discussion of ethical dilemmas regarding our own vulnerability and conscience.
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