



Call for Workshop Presenters

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You are invited to submit a Workshop Proposal for the 2025 Women's Leadership Upstate Conference, a shared effort of the Greenwood, SC Women's Leadership Collaborative (WLC) and the Greenwood SC Chamber of Commerce.

The purpose of this conference is ***to offer leadership learning and networking opportunities to women that will inspire, empower, and motivate them to achieve their personal and professional goals.***

The conference will be held on Friday, March 21st, 2025, at the South Main Baptist Church in Greenwood, SC.

The target audience is women in the upstate region of South Carolina and is open to women of all professions, and backgrounds. The conference will feature a keynote speaker, panels, workshop sessions, a Networking Exhibitor Showcase, and a schedule that includes catered breakfast and lunch. The anticipated attendance is 200-250 women.

The theme of the conference is *"Leading with Purpose and Passion."*

We are seeking experienced presenters who are prepared to share their wisdom, expertise, and experience with others in the broad spectrum of leadership and professional development. Workshops should be 45-50 minutes in length and should involve interactive exercises, discussion and/or hands-on activities. ***Outcomes for participants should include tangible takeaways that stimulate thinking, trigger ideas, and generate new connections.*** Suggested topics include but are not limited to: Authentic Leadership, Purpose-Driven Living, Empowering Others to Reach their Potential, Overcoming Barriers, Networking and Mentorship, Life/Work Balance, Emotional Intelligence, Leading with Energy and Enthusiasm, and Cultivating Passion.

We invite you to consider and submit a workshop proposal suitable to the theme and purpose. WLC is non-political and non-sectarian and all presenters are asked to focus their presentations on the theme of the Conference.

Please complete the attached "Workshop Proposal Form" for each workshop. Proposals may be submitted via e-mail at wlconferencesc@greenwoodscchamber.org. The submission deadline for workshop proposals is Friday, July 19th, 2024. The selected volunteer presenters will receive promotion and photo on the conference website and complimentary registration to the full day conference, which includes breakfast & lunch, and a conference tote bag.

We encourage you to share this information with friends and colleagues who might be potential presenters or may be interested in attending the conference. Please direct questions by email to wlconferencesc@greenwoodscchamber.org. In advance, thank you for your interest, consideration and support of the 2025 Women's Leadership Upstate Conference. We look forward to seeing you there!

Conference Co-Chairs:
Brittney Wells & Chandler Skelly

Greenwood SC Chamber of Commerce President & CEO:
Trentsie Williams

2025 Women's Leadership Upstate Conference Workshop Proposal Form

The submission deadline is Friday, July 19th, 2024.

Email form to: wlconferencesc@greenwoodscchamber.org

1. Workshop Title:

2. Principal Presenter:

Title/Position:

Phone:

Email:

Co-presenters (Please list contact info for each co-presenter):

Name:

Title/Position:

Phone:

Email:

3. Please describe your presentation experience:

4. Would you be willing to offer your workshop twice the same day? ____Yes ____No

5. Do you have a preference for the time of your workshop? ____Morning ____Afternoon ____Either

6. Please list any requirements you would need for the workshop (projector (HDMI are the only cables available), flip chart, etc.):

7. Workshop Description with 3-5 specific objectives:

8. Workshop Summary – 25 words or less, as it would appear in the printed conference program:

9. BIO - 75-word bio for each presenter for the website and printed program:

Please feel free to attach a separate sheet for the information requested.