

## Member News

**Geri Presti** has been appointed to the Cuyahoga Community College Board of Trustees for a term ending June 22, 2021: <http://www.tri-c.edu/newsroom/geralyn-presti-appointed-to-tri-c-board-of-trustees.html>

**Donna Rae Smith** had a column in the September issue of *Smart Business Magazine*:  
<http://www.smartbusinessmag.com/September2016/Cleveland/17/0#&pageSet=11&page=0&contentItem=undefined>

## ICWW Membership Survey

Dear ICWW Members,

Please be aware that next week you will receive an email with a link to an ICWW membership survey which I hope you will take the time to complete. This survey will aid the Board in developing a roadmap to chart our course for the next few years to come. The purpose of the roadmap is to ensure that ICWW moves forward in directions consistent with the interests of the membership.

As I mentioned at our Annual Meeting, the membership of ICWW has evolved since it was founded thirteen years ago. Initiated by a group of women who were generally of a similar age, demographic and career profile, the characteristics of current members has become more diverse. Founding members have aged, changed or reduced their professional activities or retired. These women continue to have an interest in active membership in ICWW. At the same time, new younger women in the prime of their professional lives have been welcomed into the organization. The result is that ICWW now has membership segments which did not exist in earlier years.

Likewise over time we have developed a way of connecting with one another facilitated by the various activities held each year. The Board is interested in hearing your thoughts on these events so as to keep them fresh and relevant to our members.

The survey is being conducted by a team of outside professionals. Results will be shared with you in early 2017. Your participation in completing the survey is vital to the validity of the results so the Board is hoping for an excellent response rate from our membership.

Thanks to all of you who help make ICWW the wonderful organization that it is.

***Karen Kleinhenz***

Board Chair

## Upcoming EVENTS

**October 19 – In Counsel With Laura Thompson.** This event is limited to 25 attendees. There are only a couple of spots remaining – if you would like to attend, RSVP today!

**October/November 2016 – Fall In-Home Dinners.** I will be sending out an email with dates in the next day or two – remember, these dinners do fill up very quickly, so if you would like to attend RSVP right away!

**February 2017 – Winter Reception at Calfee.** Details will follow.

### ICWW Directory 2016-2017:

The directory is now available online ([www.incounselwithwomen.org](http://www.incounselwithwomen.org)).

**VISIT OUR WEBSITE** for timely updates regarding ICWW members and events.

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