Save the Date

WELD Cleveland
Launch Event

Master the Boardroom Transition: Your Strategic Roadmap

September 10th | 4:00PM - 6:00PM
Corporate College

Our Distinguished Panelists

Danita Harris
Moderator
3News Anchor
WKYC

Nancy Benacci, CFA
Independent Director
Qualified Financial Expert

Margot Copeland, MA
Independent Director

Becky Ruppert McMahon, JD
President and CEO
Cleveland Leadership Center
Independent Director

Vanessa Whiting, JD
President
A.E.S. Management Corp
Former Independent Director

Event Host Committee

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Venue Host:

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** A portion of registration fees and sponsorship revenue will be donated to the YWCA Greater Cleveland*

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Launch Time!

WELD Cleveland is going live and in-person! Join us this September for our official launch event: **Master the Boardroom Transition.**

- **LEARN** from an A-list panel of executive experts.
- **GROW** with actionable strategies from women paying their success forward.
- **CONNECT** with WELD's powerful professional network.

Master the Boardroom Transition: Your Strategic Roadmap

Navigate the complex corporate board landscape with actionable strategies for every career stage. **This masterclass in the board journey will reveal how to position yourself for governance roles, decode the Nominating and Governance process, master executive interviews, and build the targeted portfolio you need to secure your seat at the table.** Whether you are early in your career and see board opportunities in the distant future or are ready for your first corporate board now, this session has something for you. Our esteemed panelists, with moderator **Danita Harris, 3News Anchor, WKYC**, will shower attendees with actionable takeaways to ignite success in their corporate board journeys.

Key discussion pillars include:

- Creating your actionable board journey blueprint aligned with your time horizon
- Refining your boardroom brand & digital presence
- Decoding the nominating & governance (nom/gov) process
- Understanding the executive role vs. corporate board seat: the interview disconnect
- Making the leap from executive to director: the power of your network

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