Organization Development Network Announces 2020 Board of Trustees

ST. PAUL, MN (January 2020) -- The Organization Development Network (OD Network) is pleased to announce the 2020 Board of Trustees. The new board includes eight returning members, three newly elected members and two appointed ex officio members.

The 2020 OD Network Board of Trustees

Chair – Gary Mangiofico, PhD, Pepperdine University
Dr. Gary L. Mangiofico is recognized as a strategic and iconic thought leader. In 2012, he was honored with the Strategic Leadership Award from the World HRD & Development Congress at the Global HR Excellence Awards, which recognizes the Best of Best in HR/OD professionals internationally and serves as a benchmark of achievement in Organization Development practices.

Vice Chair – Dr. Yabome Gilpin – Jackson, Fraser Health
Dr. Yabome Gilpin-Jackson is a scholar-practitioner in human/organization development. She is currently Executive Director for Leadership and Organization Development at Fraser Health in Canada and adjunct faculty at Simon Fraser University's Beedie School of Business. Yabome was the first-ever recipient of the OD Network Emerging Organization Development Practitioner award. She has been named International African Woman of the Year by UK-based Women4Africa and also received the prestigious Harry Jerome Professional Excellence Award in Canada.

Secretary – Susan Good, British Columbia Mental Health and Substance Use Services
Susan Good is a senior OD practitioner and leader in Canada, the recipient of the 2018 ODN Sharing the Wealth Award. She is the Executive Director, Interprofessional Practice and Patient Experience, for the BC Mental Health and Substance Use Services. Susan also co-founded the BC Health Leadership Development Collaborative in 2008, a partnership of seven health care organizations, still successfully delivering a layered leadership curriculum to thousands of formal and emergent leaders across the province today.

Treasurer – Laura Woodward, Disruptive Element
After 20 years as an executive/senior leader in Information technology and operations, Laura decided she needed to focus on what she loved most...the people. Along with her business partner, she created her company The Disruptive Element — a leadership performance company which provides services in the area of OD, Leadership Development, and Coaching. Laura is a certified executive coach with an MSOD from Pepperdine University. She also brings her vast leadership experience from American Express, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota, Target, and Travelers Insurance.
Trustees

Lori Blander, MS, The Blander Group
Lori Blander has been a learning and development professional for 20 years. She works in collaborative partnership with executive teams, managers, HR, and functional teams to assess the current state, desired future state, and co-create solutions that work towards achieving vision.

Bill Brendel, PhD, Transformative Leading Institute
Dr. Bill Brendel is an assistant professor of Organization Development and Change at Penn State University, and an OD consultant with over 20 years of experience. As CEO of the Transformative Learning Institute, Bill’s consultation has led to measurable transformations in organizational culture and performance in a variety of sectors across the United States, China, India, and Africa. He earned his doctorate in adult learning and leadership and Master’s degree in social-organizational psychology at Columbia University.

Linda Denton, Linda Denton A People Development Company
Linda Denton has over 25 years of combined experience as an internal and external professional in the fields of organizational development, leadership, executive coaching, and human resources. She has also had the privilege of leading others in a variety of corporate roles, including interim CEO, and has served as a board member for multiple international and local organizations.

Glen Earl, PhD, Chicago School of Professional Psychology
Dr. Glen B. Earl has over 27 years of experience as an internal and external organizational consultant. Previously he worked as a Talent Development Consultant in Parkland Academy, Office of Talent Management at Parkland Hospital in Dallas.

Cheryl Throgmorton, PhD, Psychological Associates
Dr. Cheryl Throgmorton is a consultant, coach, facilitator, leader, and educator with over 20 years of organization development and human resource development experience. She actively builds relationships and facilitates dialogue to ensure client needs and measures of success are articulated and met. She completed her Doctor of Education degree in organization development and learning from the University of St. Thomas and has university level teaching experience at Fontbonne, Western Michigan University and Webster University.

Becca Petersen, SourceAmerica
Becca Peterson is a Director, BD Support, with SourceAmerica and specializes in organization development and change management. She has more than 25 years of experience in management consulting, program development, account management, and business process redesign. She is a trusted advisor, working with clients in the public sector and internally with business executives, employing a values-driven and team-oriented approach and solving problems with collaborative planning and pragmatic, well-structured methods and solutions.

Nazma Muhammad-Rosales, Transformative Consulting, Inc.
Nazma Muhammad-Rosales has over 20 years of experience in the pharmaceutical/biotechnology industry. Nazma has focused on the Organizational Leadership and Development
aspects of the companies she has worked for and has been instrumental in designing and implementing solutions to better the workplace for staff and management. She works with senior leaders to help change behaviors that shape the company’s culture. Nazma has a B.A. in Neuroscience and a B.A. in Psychology from Colgate University and a M.A. in Organizational Leadership from Gonzaga University.

2020 Conference Chair – Jason Stubbers
Jason Stubbers is the Associate Director of Alumni Engagement for the Pepperdine Graziadio Business School in Los Angeles. In his role with Pepperdine, Jason uses OD mastery as he manages a number of alumni leadership initiatives and works to create alignment and synergy across the alumni communities. He is a dedicated and active member of the OD Network, with extensive professional experience where he has infused his OD expertise and insight across organizations within the Healthcare, Higher Education and Non-Profit industries. Jason is an alumnus of the Pepperdine MSOD program and holds a Bachelor’s in Music Education from Boise State University.

Young Professionals Liaison to the Board – Julian Chender, Chender Consulting
Julian Chender is the Principal of Chender Consulting Group, an organizational effectiveness firm in New York City. Prior to that, he was an internal leadership and OD consultant at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Maryland, and the Brand Marketing Manager at Cook Ross, a diversity and inclusion firm in Maryland.

The Board of Trustees also wants to thank and express their gratitude to outgoing board members Cindy Miller and Amy Cowart for their three years of service and commitment to Organization Development Network. The board also expresses its sincere thanks Kristy Lapidus for her leadership in planning the successful 2019 Annual Conference.

For more information on OD Network leadership, please visit the OD Network website

About the Organization Development Network
The Organization Development Network is the largest international association of organization development practitioners in the world. Established in 1968 by founders in the field of organization development, the OD Network leads the profession and its practitioners in creating effective, healthy organizations.

Guided by clearly-articulated values, principles, and ethical standards, the OD Network serves change agents by creating a global community for exchanging best practices, opportunities to interact with thought leaders and access to leading-edge practices, tools and technologies. As a result, our members create change and sustainable impact in today’s organizations, communities, and beyond.