

# the WLG MINUTE

from the IGA's Women Leaders in Gaming Initiative

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You have been designated by your employer to receive these pertinent updates as part of the IGA's Women Leaders in Gaming Initiative. We hope you enjoy this insight and engage in further dialogue with colleagues to enhance your career in this industry!

## VOICES AROUND IOWA

Two valuable resources for women in business are The Business Record's Lift IOWA publication ([sign up here](#)) and the [IWLC's blog](#). We strongly encourage you to sign up to receive these outstanding email publications. Here's some news from around Iowa:

- **Leadership Can Be Lonely** by Jackie Norris | President and CEO, Goodwill Industries of Central Iowa ... [Lift IOWA](#)
- **Be Polite at a Dinner Party, Not at Work** by Kate Wagner | COO, Adore Your Walls ... [Lift IOWA](#)
- **Professionalism, Appearance are Not Mutually Exclusive** by Belle Du Chene | Digital marketing strategist, Visionary ... [Lift IOWA](#)
- **Leadership Surrounds Us** by Angela Connolly | Polk County Supervisor Board Member ... [Lift IOWA](#)
- **Know Your Life's Purpose and Vision** by Ginny Wilson-Peters | President and owner, Integrity Integrated Inc. ... [Lift IOWA](#)

## IN THE NEWS

- Want to Be More Productive? Sit Next to Someone Who Is ... [HBR.org](#)
- Being Engaged at Work Is Not the Same as Being Productive ... [HBR.org](#)
- Statue of Girl Confronts Bull, Captivates Manhattanites and Social Media ... [NY Times](#)
- This is Why We Need an International Women's Day ... [CNN](#)



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FEARLESS GIRL, BY ARTIST KRISTEN VISBAL. A Wall Street firm put up a statue of a girl in front of Lower Manhattan's bronze bull, fearlessly staring it down. Photo by Mark Lennihan/Associated Press.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### APRIL 7: LEAP - The Art of Decision Making

The LEAP program is a 10-month series designed to develop and support women leaders and business owners in Central Iowa and to position them for the next steps in their careers. The programs this year revolve around areas of focus: Career Advancement, Leadership, and Personal Development. Learn more [here](#). 8 - 9:30 a.m. *Holiday Inn Des Moines Mercy Campus.*

### WEST DES MOINES LEADERSHIP ACADEMY ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

The 2017-18 curriculum will feature three components -- leading self, leading others and leading in the community. Learn more [here](#).