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Newsletter

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Every MPI chapter.
MORE THAN 25,000
MPI members supported.

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1995-2004

2005-2014

2015-2024



A MINUTE WITH STEPHANIE

-“
Let's work together to elevate our profession and
make meaningful connections.
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As we continue to grow and thrive within our dynamic industry, I want to take a moment to highlight the incredible benefits of being a member of Meeting Professionals International D/FW Chapter. Our chapter is dedicated to supporting fellow meeting professionals.

Here are some key benefits of MPI membership:

Networking Opportunities: Connect with industry leaders, peers, planners and suppliers at our local events or [WEC St. Louis](#).

Professional Development: Visit [MPI Academy](#) to access a variety of educational resources, including webinars, and certification programs designed to enhance your skills and knowledge.

Industry Insights: Stay informed with the latest trends and research, through MPI's comprehensive resources such as MPI White Papers that include subjects such as “Meetings Unbound: A Catalogue of Inspiration to Fuel Creativity for the next-Era Events” and “Revolution AI: Transforming Meetings and Events with the Power of Artificial Intelligence.”

Mentorship Programs: Gain guidance and support from experienced professionals through our mentorship initiatives, fostering growth and development in your career.

Let's work together to elevate our profession and make meaningful connections.

Best regards,

Stephanie B. Evans, MBA, CMP
President, MPI D/FW Chapter

Welcome

**A warm welcome to our newest members
(Jul-Sep 2024)**

Nicole Afseth
Crystal Allison
Patricia Bautista
Kelly Dittman
Jade English
Marlene Faulkner
Stephanie Garza
Alexandra Gifford

Christa Haberstock
Lise Lang
Aileen Martinez
Kathy Mauzey
Stephanie Miller
Cassie Molinari
Adriana Mora
Loka Pandya

Scott Poland
Ashley Portier
Derrick Pratt
Sandra Schutrop
Rene Simmons
Kimara Spence
Doug Thompson
Wendy Whitaker





Early Bird Ends TODAY 10/17

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FALL IN

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BARRY JACOBSON

OCTOBER 24, 2024 10:30AM - 1:30PM

**From Main Street USA to Your Street™,
Building a Culture of Excellence**

THE CRESCENT HOTEL, FORT WORTH

3300 CAMP BOWIE BLVD.

FORT WORTH, TX 76107

COMPLIMENTARY DAY PARKING

MPI D/FW OCTOBER CHAPTER EXPERIENCE

**“Building the Customer Experience,
one Magical interaction at a time.”**



BENEFITS TO ATTEND:

- * Receive membership pins.
- * Network with your industry besties.
- * Connect with our no-booth tradeshow sponsors.
- * Learn how to “Build the Customer Experience, one Magical interaction at a time”.

REGISTER NOW

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- Learn from Barry’s Insider’s View into Customer Experience, Employee Engagement, and Leadership Strategies for Success.
- Real-life experiences from his 30+ years working for the ‘Mouse’ and other iconic companies will provide insights and best practices for your business.
- Apply his lessons learned along the way to your own journey, including ‘wow’ moments, engaging stories, and even cringe-worthy ‘learning’ opportunities.



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NO BOOTH TRADESHOW IS BACK!

Showcase your business in front of over 500 MPI DFW Chapter members, guests, meeting planners and professionals via our membership! We have a few spots left for our last 2024 No Booth Tradeshow, contact us before Monday, October 21 to secure your spot!

EMAIL US TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT! 

vpstrategicpartners@mpidfw.org





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CELEBRATING OUR AMAZING LONG-TERM MEMBERS

We will be awarding pins to our members celebrating MPI DFW Anniversaries 5 to 45 years!
Join us at our October Chapter Experience as we honor these tenured members!



MPI D/FW EMERGING LEADERS

On July 25th we hosted an insightful and dynamic journey into the realm of empowering leadership during our Emerging Leaders event. We are grateful to our sponsors for their support delivering an impactful learning experience.



Join us for MPI DFW Emerging Leaders

Empowering Leadership: Unlocking Potential Together

Place at Tyler

1300 S. Polk St. #234, Dallas, TX 75224

Thursday, July 25, 2024

5:30 - 7:30 p.m.



Doug Rice



Tim Altbaum, CMP, CMM, CSEP



Jessica Barbosa



Cahal Mowery, MBA, CMP



Presented by:









Calling for New Member Ambassador Volunteers!

We're excited to reintroduce our New Member Ambassador Program and are looking for enthusiastic volunteers to join us. As an ambassador, you'll be assigned 1-2 new members for a three-month outreach period. This is a low time commitment but offers high returns, helping to create a wonderful experience for new members and boosting retention.

Give back to our community and make a lasting impact! Click [Join Us Now](#) to sign up and become a new member ambassador today.

[JOIN US NOW](#)



MPI D/FW AUGUST CHAPTER EXPERIENCE

We appreciate our sponsors for our Chapter Experience at the AC Hotel Dallas by the Galleria on August 22, 2024 .



MPI D/FW Networking & Personalization à la Carte:

Dish up inspiration to create meaningful networking and personalization opportunities for your next event.

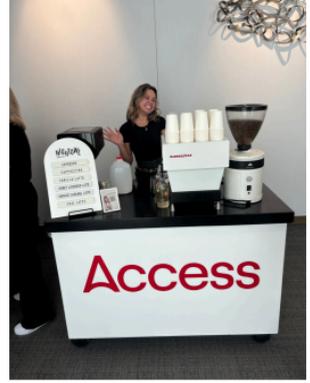


August 22, 2024
11.00 AM



AC Hotel Dallas by the Galleria
5460 James Temple Dr.
Dallas, Texas 75240







UPCOMING EVENTS

[CLICK TO VISIT OUR FACEBOOK EVENT PAGE FOR UP-TO-DATE INFO](#)

SAVE
the
DATE

OCTOBER 24
CHAPTER EXPERIENCE
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DECEMBER 5, 2024
HOLIDAY PARTY &
BOARD INSTALLATION

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JANUARY 23, 2025
CHAPTER EXPERIENCE

FEBRUARY 20, 2025
ROCK YOUR BRAND
MEMBER MIXER

MARCH 20, 2025
EDUCATION DAY

**Dates subject to change*

MPI D/FW: TEXAS ROUND UP MEMBERSHIP MIXER

We are thankful to our sponsors for the MPI D/FW: Texas Round Up Membership Mixer held in September at PBR inside Texas Live!

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*Let's get to know each other with
a little boots & business bash!*

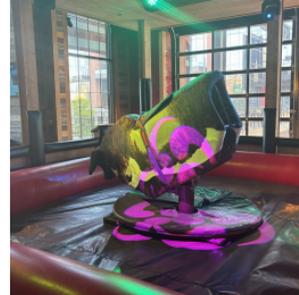
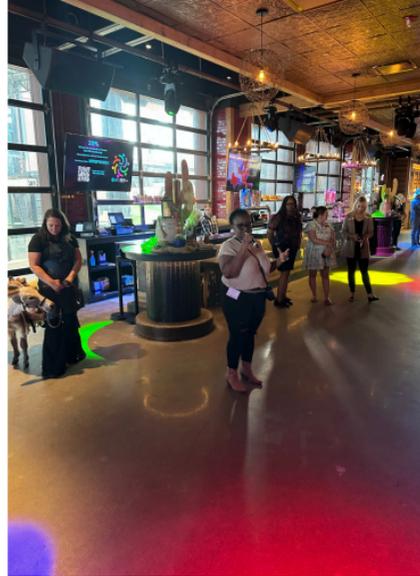
CONNECT, COLLABORATE, AND
GROW: A NETWORKING EVENT FOR
DFW EVENT PROFESSIONALS



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Live!



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19
4:30 PM - 7PM
PBR AT TEXAS LIVE!
1650 E RANDOL MILL RD #150,
ARLINGTON, TX 76011





Save the date for our Chapter Holiday Party!

DECEMBER 5, 2024 | LORENZO HOTEL



Donate to MPI D/FW's Silent Auction!

**It's never too early to get in the holidays spirit!
MPI D/FW Members – We need your help. Our 2024 Holiday Party needs
Silent Auction item donations. We are looking for:**

- Experiences (packages, classes, event tickets, activities or trips),
- Hotel Gift Certificate packages, Restaurants,
- Tangible items (liquor, jewelry, gift basket – like Date night or family movie, Wine, etc.)
- Certificates for shopping (think retail or boutique)
- Cool Stuff like Wine Glasse, sports memorabilia, a photo shoot, Trip to Mexico or the Caribbean, Spa, Group Brewery Tab, Golf Certificate, fitness or Yoga Classes, Car wash for a year, dry cleaning.

We had 16 at our past Gala and would love to see more!

**Contact: vpstrategicpartners@mpidfw.org or
dirsponsorships@mpidfw.org to discuss details.**



CSR Project



Alisa Joy Foundation is a 501c3 nonprofit

Mission is to raise awareness of human trafficking and raise funds from donations and sale of bridal gowns to support victims.

100% volunteer-run and rely on donations from those who are passionate about helping exploited and trafficked women.

How to help

Spread the word about Alisa Joy Foundation and Bridal Boutique
Like on Facebook and Instagram
Future brides purchase gowns at the boutique (discounted prices)

DONATE –

Scan QR code and donate
Donate gently used, current style gowns
Volunteer at the Boutique in Frisco



Your MPI D/FW Board wants to create an incredible, worthwhile experience for our membership. that supports everyone throughout this time of change.
Let's all work together to continue helping all of our members
BELONG!



VOLUNTEER

Build relationships. Get the most out of your membership. Give back.
Make it happen.

What does volunteering entail?

What does volunteering entail? It can mean anything you want it to mean. 1 hour a week, 1 hour a month, chairing a committee, just being on a committee, sending a few emails, making a few phone calls.

Here are our needs for the year. Please click the link at the bottom to let us know where your interests and passions lie:

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

- 3 Chapter Experience Luncheons
- CMP Study Group
- New Education Day

SPECIAL EVENTS

- Fall Fundraising Event
- Holiday Party
- CMM/CMP Breakfast
- Gala

MEMBERSHIP

- Membership Recruitment
- Table Hosts
- New Member Orientation
- Registration Tables
- Party Fest

SPONSORSHIP & FINANCE

- Sponsorships
- No Booth Trade Show
- Strategic Partnerships
- JPA Silent Auction
- JPA Scholarships

LEADERSHIP

- Mentor Program
- CSR
- Career Cafe
- Emerging Leaders Event
- Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Committee

MARKETING & COMMUNICATIONS

- Social Media
- Newsletter
- Email Communications
- Member Directory

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