



Exclusive Invitation to Businesses to Attend the “Corporate Disability Employment Summit: Leading Practices on Disability Inclusion” on July 25, 2013

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WASHINGTON, DC (June 19, 2013) – Fostering an outstanding collaboration between two of the nation's chief employment-focused organizations, the US Business Leadership Network® (USBLN®) and the U.S. Chamber of Commerce are pleased to present the **Corporate Disability Employment Summit: Leading Practices on Disability Inclusion** from 8:00 am – 12:35 pm EST on July 25, 2013 at the U.S. Chamber of Commerce in Washington D.C.

During this forum, corporate executives will share strategies that emphasize the value of diversifying your company's workforce, marketplace and supply chain and that are specifically designed for Senior Managers of small, medium and large for-profit businesses.

Event Highlights:

- This Summit brings together U.S. for-profit businesses that include disability in their diversity and inclusion practices and that understand the positive impact that the disability workforce brings to a company's bottom line.
- Through interactive panel sessions, high-level presenters and practical hand-outs, attendees will take away effective and achievable inclusion strategies developed by their peers.
- Attendees will learn effective strategies that will increase their company's revenues and create a more inclusive workplace.
- Summit participants will receive a copy of the exclusive publication, “Leading Practices on Disability Inclusion” that highlights leading business practices in disability inclusion and includes a checklist on disability-friendly business practices.

Registration: This program is specifically designed for Senior Managers of small, medium and large for-profit businesses. Summit registration is now open for \$35 per person.

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Agenda: Topics to be highlighted at the Summit include, “**Building the Pipeline: How to find the best job candidates for your company**” and “**Creating a Safe Company Culture: Enabling Self-Identification and Career Development.**”

Confirmed speakers include:

- **The Honorable Tom Harkin**, *U.S. Senate*
- **The Honorable Cathy McMorris Rodgers**, *U.S. House of Representatives*
- **Tom Donohue**, President & Chief Executive Officer, *U.S. Chamber of Commerce*
- **Carolynn Brooks**, Chief Diversity Officer, *OfficeMax, Inc.*
- **Felicia Nurmsen**, National Project Ability Leader, *Manpower*
- **Kymberlee Dwinell**, Corporate Director, Global Diversity & Inclusion, *Northrop Grumman Corporation*
- **Marsha Lynch**, Manager, Workforce Initiatives, *CVS Caremark*
- **Susan Mazrui**, Director, Public Policy, *AT&T Services, Inc.*
- **Lori Golden**, Associate Director, Inclusiveness; Abilities Strategy Leader, *Ernst & Young LLP*
- **Kim Admire**, Corporate Vice President of Diversity, Inclusion, and Equal Opportunity Programs, *Lockheed Martin Corporation*
- **Rita Taylor-Nash, SPHR**, Vice President, Corporate Diversity, *Health Care Service Corporation (HCSC)*
- **Randel K. Johnson**, Senior Vice President, Labor, Immigration, & Employee Benefits, *U.S. Chamber of Commerce*
- **Jill D. Houghton**, Executive Director, *US Business Leadership Network[®] (USBLN[®])*
- **Anjali Forber-Pratt**, *U.S. Paralympian*
- **Rita M. Landgraf**, Cabinet Secretary, *Delaware Department of Health and Social Services*
- **Phil Donahue**, Workforce Planning Manager, *UPS Airlines*
- **Jim Sinocchi**, Director, Workforce Communications, *IBM*
- **The Honorable Neil Romano**, President, *The Romano Group*

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The US Business Leadership Network[®] (USBLN[®]) is a national non-profit that helps business drive performance by leveraging disability inclusion in the workplace, supply chain, and marketplace. The USBLN[®] serves as the collective voice of over 50 Business Leadership Network affiliates across the United States, representing over 5,000 businesses. Additionally, the USBLN[®] Disability Supplier Diversity Program[®] (DSDP) is the nation's leading third party certification program for disability-owned businesses, including businesses owned by service-disabled veterans. www.usbln.org

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