

## July/August 2016 Newsletter President's Message

Just as we are experiencing summertime temperatures in Wisconsin, we see that the Green Bay Packer's Training Camp is starting. Soon we will be thinking football, back to school and FEI Meetings.

As we close our 2015/2016 Chapter year, congratulations to Doug Stecker, as President, and all members for our Chapter's selection by FEI National for the 2015/2016 Chapter Excellence Award in our tier size. This award was presented at this year's FEI Summit in Colorado Springs.

July 1 was the beginning of our Chapter's fiscal year. New Board Members and Executive Team Members are ready for a new exciting year. The Board, Executive Committee and Strategic Partners have been working diligently on building an exciting line-up of Keynote Speakers and Professional Development Sessions for the Chapter year. We are pleased to note that five of seven Keynote Speaker events have been confirmed.

It's also important to announce that with the leadership of the Public Relations Committee and Greg Williams and Howard Bornstein as Strategic Partner Committee leads, The Weidert Group of Appleton, a B2B marketing agency, has joined our Chapter as a new Strategic Partner. We look forward to working with The Weidert Group to enhance communications, event planning and media connections for the Chapter.

It's with excitement and anticipation that I look forward to working with all members, the Board and Strategic Partners for this upcoming year. Our mission to advance the success of senior-level financial professionals and their organizations through a value-added proposition will lead our efforts.

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