

2018 Women's Leadership Summit Application for Women Coaches in Pacific NW Swimming April 6 - 8, 2018



PNS Swimming is sending 2 female coaches from the Pacific NW to this summit / retreat!
Here are the details and application to be submitted.

Where: Black Forest, Colorado (Directly NE of Colorado Springs)

Location: The historic La Foret Conference & Retreat Center
(719) 495-2743
6145 Shoup Road
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80908
United States

Originally the summer estate of Mrs. Alice Bemis Taylor. Mrs. Taylor and her husband Frederick Morgan Pike Taylor are considered to be one of Colorado Springs' most important founding families. Their family had a rich history of philanthropy. Alice Bemis Taylor was the first woman to serve as a trustee of Colorado College and was known as "Lady Bountiful" for her generous donations to the institution. Mrs. Taylor held great interest for art and architecture. She was one of three benefactresses of the Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, perhaps her greatest contribution to the community.

You will stay together in large cabins with wood-burning fireplaces and hardwood floors. This rustic retreat center allows you to take advantage of the unique setting with outdoor activities and walks.

La Foret Mission

"In a world which needs compassion, tolerance, and love,
the La Foret Conference & Retreat Center is committed
to...

...nurturing the spirit,
...connecting people with one another,
...refreshing the weary,

...and inspiring healthy and confident future generations.

We provide a safe and welcoming haven for programs which promote these values."

Course Description:

Hosted by USA Swimming, this Women's Leadership opportunity is designed for all levels of coaches to grow both personally and professionally. It is designed to leave you feeling recharged in your life and career.

Costs: Travel and Leadership Summit covered by PNS Swimming
Includes flight, airport transportation, conference, lodging and meals (Dinner-
Friday; Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner- Saturday, Breakfast- Sunday).

The conference will only be providing transportation to/from the Colorado Springs airport on Friday, April 6th between 9am -12pm and Sunday April 8th after 1 pm.

If you choose to arrive on Thursday, transportation, lodging & meals will be on your own until Friday dinner. If you choose to depart after Sunday, transportation, lodging & meals will be on your own at the conclusion of the Summit.

If you wish to visit the Olympic Training Center, please plan to do this outside of the summit hours. We will not be providing any transportation to/from the OTC.

Clinic Facilitator:

Cathy Wright-Eger



Entering her 27th year in the Purdue Athletic Department, Cathy Wright-Eger has established a reputation of producing outstanding student-athletes. From 1987 to 2008, Cathy was the Boilermaker Head Swim Coach where her teams represented Purdue at the NCAA Swimming and Diving Championship 20 of her 21 years.

Wright-Eger was named Big Ten Coach of the year in 1990, Boilermaker Coach of the Year by the Purdue Club of Chicago in 1993, YWCA Salute to Women Award in 1996, and featured in Sports Illustrated for Women in 2001 focusing on being a mother and a coach at the same time.

In 2003 and 2005, Cathy was accorded the honor of being named to the United States Swim Team staff for the World University Games in South Korea and Turkey respectively. In 2006, she had the opportunity to take a small group of US swimmers to the FINA World Youth Championships setting herself to be chosen to the US Swim Staff for the 2007 Pan-American games in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

After ending her coaching career in 2008, Wright-Eger established the John R. Wooden Leadership Institute for the coaches and student-athletes. She oversees the development of leadership skills in the emerging leaders and the captains of all 18 of the athletics teams. She continues to work with the Athletic Department and is currently the Leadership Advisor and Professional Behaviorist for the John R. Wooden Institute

Rose Snyder



Rose Snyder is a leading governance expert for national and regional organizations across the country. Her unique experience in the Olympic sports world and her management knowledge allows her to “coach” and prepare boards and staff for high level performance and achievement. Rose’s expertise in team building and passion for excellence helps organizations advance their mission and improve effectiveness. Her cornerstone programs include: team building, communication, governance and strategic planning.

In addition to consulting, Rose is also a gifted presenter and has served as a keynote motivational speaker. Prior to consulting, Rose held key leadership positions for the U.S. Olympic Committee, Cheyenne Mountain Resort, USA Swimming, and U.S. Figure Skating. She is the author and creator of national education programs designed to help nonprofits large or small run and lead their organization strategically with the mission in mind.

Prior to her work in administration, Rose was a successful swim coach whose swimmers went on to compete at the Olympic trials. Rose still enjoys her role as a “coach” by running successful training programs in and out of the Olympic movement as well as her continuing role as an age group coach for the Colorado Springs Aquatics--Falfins.

Rose has a Masters Degree in Organizational Management and a Bachelors of Science Degree in Education. In addition, Rose has trained extensively with Board Source, formerly the National Center for Nonprofit Boards. She is also a recognized trainer through Consultants Psychologists Press Inc. and one of only a handful in the world trained to conduct *Psycho-geometrics® (Shapes)* communication seminars.

Rose is married and lives in beautiful Colorado Springs, Colorado. She and her husband, Charlie, have three children; Carli Rose, Gina Maria, and Sam Andrew.

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DEADLINE for Application THURSDAY, February 22, 2018

Email to Lisa Pace, chair of LSC D&I Leadership Subcommittee

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Name and current team:

Phone:

E-mail address:

Mailing address:

Are your coaching certs current? : YES NO

1. Reasons for interest in this seminar and what you hope to get out of it.

2. Have you participated on a coaching staff at an All Star meet, NACC meet, Zone meet or LSC Camp or any seminar before? If so, describe your experience.

3. How long, and what levels have you been coaching?

4. While it is NOT REQUIRED you may wish to attach a statement on a separate sheet describing any relevant considerations you may want us to know of which should be considered with this application.

The selection committee for determining the participants is made up of the Diversity & Inclusion Leadership Committee. Coach applications must be submitted on or before the deadline.