

ABOUT OUR OPENING KEYNOTE

The Five Components of Extraordinary Teams

Lee Rubin



Machines are evaluated based on the output of the entire unit, not the impressiveness of their individual parts. Extraordinary teams, like machines, require certain components that hold their pieces together. While most organizations focus exclusively on building the skills of their individual members, elite organizations transform a collection of talented individuals into extraordinary, machine-like teams.

Lee will also be leading a workshop after his keynote.

About Lee

Lee Rubin is a former Penn State football captain and experienced human resources expert. Lee combines his ability to understand and articulate winning principles with tremendous clarity and practical application to bring his message to groups. A frequent speaker at corporations and professional association conferences throughout the country, Lee has spent 15 years as a Human Resources professional with Fortune 500 companies across a variety of industries, everyone from Intel and Johnson & Johnson to the School Nutrition Association. Lee is especially passionate about celebrating the roles of people who are often behind the scenes but oh so essential and is excited to speak to and connect with WAMOA members!

ABOUT OUR CLOSING KEYNOTE

Conversational Intelligence – Make Each Conversation Count

Amy Eliza Wong

Humans don't exist in a vacuum. In fact, we're hardwired for connection and belonging. In this keynote, participants will discover what it means to be neurologically optimized for collaboration, innovation, and high performance through the medium of conversations. By diving into what makes us human, we'll rip off the covers of communication and explore the neuroscience of trust, belonging, and connection. Participants will learn the impact that the quality of our communication has on our ingenuity, creativity, and intelligence and walk away with a new understanding of how certain controversial practices lead to either partnering or protective behaviors.

About Amy

Amy Eliza Wong is the founder of Always On Purpose. She is an executive leadership coach, author, speaker, and facilitator working with organizations such as Salesforce, Roku, LinkedIn, Lyft, Facebook, and more. As a Conversational Intelligence certified executive coach with expertise in transpersonal psychology, design thinking, and interpersonal neurobiology, Amy has catalyzed transformative growth for hundreds of executives and teams. She has a passion for helping leaders identify blind spots, build trust, and create next-level impact. Amy graduated from UC Berkeley with a BA in mathematics and an MA in transpersonal psychology from Sofia University.

I registered conference attendees will receive a free copy of Amy's book, Living On Purpose, which comes out in May 2022.

