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NH Businesses for Social Responsibility Launches 2020 Annual Conference, a Virtual Experience of Connections and Inspiration



Michelle Holliday The Age of Thrivability

Concord, New Hampshire – "How can we use this time to prepare the ground for something better to emerge?" asks Michelle Holliday, Author of *The Age of Thrivability* and Keynote for New Hampshire Businesses for Social Responsibility's upcoming Annual Conference. This question lies at the heart of the conference, which NHBSR is offering this year as a week of dynamic and interactive free virtual events beginning June 1st.

The opening keynote will prepare attendees with a framework for deeply engaging in the conference programming. Attendees can participate in any number of the presentations, panels or workshops, with programming starting daily at 1PM EST.

Conference breakout sessions by local and internationally-recognized sustainability leaders cover a diverse range of interests, from advocacy and civic participation to trauma-informed employee engagement, from leadership development and community engagement to health and wellness. Speakers are keenly aware of the challenges and experiences of COVID-19 and will incorporate that perspective into the insights and messages they share.

On Tuesday afternoon, *NH Talks* will highlight the stories of innovative initiatives making a difference within the New Hampshire business environment, our broader communities and globally. *NH Talks* breakout discussions will allow attendees to engage directly with speakers and each other in smaller, more focused groups.

Leading Through COVID-19, on Wednesday afternoon, features a panel of NH CEOs and their personal reflections on leadership and resiliency during this unprecedented public health crisis.

And, as is hallmark of all NHBSR events, participants will have opportunities to meet and connect with one another throughout the week. Attendees will be able to virtually attend daily *Networking Breaks* and the Awards and *Networking Reception* on Wednesday afternoon.

We hope to offer businesses and communities hope and inspiration during these difficult times and welcome your engagement. To learn more and to register for free, visit nhbsr.org/conference.

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