



Executive Leadership Series 2007

All ELS Sessions will be held at the
Hilton Irvine

(across from John Wayne/Orange County Airport)
18800 MacArthur Boulevard Irvine, California 92612

From some who have been there . . .

"To become the very best, leaders at every stage in their lives are constantly seeking dynamic insights on how they may maximize their leadership potential. The 'Executive Leadership Series' presents leaders at the top of their game who are willing to share their personal and practical experiences on what works and, just as important, what doesn't work. Furthermore, the networks gained and introductions made to Orange County's leaders and thinkers are priceless. Anyone currently in a leadership position, or desiring to assume one in the future, should attend and learn from this important Orange County Forum program of which I am proud to serve as an alumnus!"
Christopher M. Johnston (UCI) (2005)

"After being in the real estate investment management business for over 20 years, I thought that I probably didn't need a program that focused on "leaders on the rise" at this stage of my career. However, after attending the 2004 ELS series, I was literally blown away by the dynamics of the speakers and their messages. I came away from the Series with a new sense of enthusiasm for work and my business, proving you are never too far along in your career to benefit from added inspiration!"
Cheryl J. Byrne, Senior Vice President – KBS Realty Advisors, Inc. (2004)

"I was pleasantly surprised to see how open and candid these top leaders are in their willingness to share their everyday personal experiences, and how they relate to leadership. The personal and professional mentoring in this Series is both refreshing and motivating. This was an experience I whole-heartedly recommend to my friends and colleagues."
Mark Miner, President LA/Ventura Division, Hall & Foreman Inc. (2005)

"As a public affairs professional, I am a constant observer of leadership in diverse fields of endeavor including business, philanthropy, politics, the media, sports, the arts, and more. The Executive Leadership Series not only presents the very best in leadership our community has to offer, but it consistently provides leaders and mentors in these diverse fields. As a result, those of us who have participated in the program gain an even deeper understanding of leadership qualities that cut across occupational or vocational lines and are applicable in broader contexts. ELS truly offers something for everyone interested in leadership and personal growth."
Larry Labrado, Region Manager, Southern California Edison (2006)

The Orange County Forum is a non-profit, non-partisan public affairs forum with a diverse membership of individuals, as well as business and civic entities. Their mission is to provide a premier educational current affairs forum for today's thought leaders and headline makers to discuss current local, state, national, and international issues of importance to the Orange County Community, bringing together people from different backgrounds and persuasions for enlightened discussion. During luncheon programs featuring prominent speakers, Orange County Forum members enjoy a lively exchange of ideas on a wide range of issues and current events. Each month, new friendships and business relationships are formed among some of the highest-achieving individuals in the country. Membership in the Orange County Forum is available for \$80 per year for an individual member – and ranges from \$1,000 to \$25,000 per year for sponsor status.

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Where Leaders on the Rise Learn From Leaders at the Top

A Breakfast Series

7 Mentoring Sessions

7:15 to 9:30 a.m.

Pre-Paid Registration Required – **Limited to First 50 Nominees** – Registration Form Attached

Distinguished Guest Mentors

Moderator



JO ELLEN ALLEN

October 4



DOUG FREEMAN

October 11



TOM PHELPS

October 18



PAUL FOLINO

October 25



JILL KNIGHT

November 1



ED ARNOLD

November 8



SALLY ANDERSON

November 15



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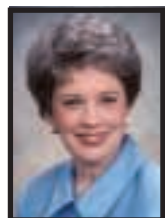
California State University, Fullerton

Argyros School of Business & Economics,
Chapman University



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ORIENTATION RECEPTION 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. September 27, 2007
Hear first-hand from those who have already experienced this incredibly inspirational mentoring program. Meet those who will be your colleagues for the next several weeks of learning and sharing the diversity of leadership skills, leadership styles, and leadership lessons presented by our highly respected distinguished mentors.
Hilton Irvine/OC Airport
Dr. Jo Ellen Allen, ELS Moderator 2007



DOUGLAS K. FREEMAN 7:15 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. October 4, 2007
Chairman & National Managing Director – IFF Advisors, LLC
The founder of National Philanthropy Day, Doug Freeman is also the Chairman of IFF Advisors, a national consulting firm providing strategic planning and organizational management advice for business, nonprofit, foundation, and family clients. He is a founding partner of Freeman, Freeman and Smiley, a law firm with offices in L.A. and Irvine, California. Mr. Freeman is an author and a frequent lecturer to professional associations. Highlighted in *Bloomberg Financial Journal* (Fall 1999) as one of the best estate planning attorneys in the US, Doug has been named a 2007 “Southern California Super Lawyer,” bestowed on only the top 5% of lawyers in this region by *Law & Politics* and *Los Angeles* magazines. Among many other philanthropic leadership roles, Mr. Freeman is the immediate past Chairman and the current Vice Chairman of the Pacific Symphony Orchestra, serves as chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University of California, Irvine Foundation, and is a director of the University of Southern California Center on Philanthropy and Public Policy.



THOMAS D. PHELPS 7:15 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. October 11, 2007
Partner – Manatt, Phelps & Phillips
Among the many professional and community organizations in which he has held leadership positions, Tom Phelps is the immediate past Chairman of the Orange County Business Council. As a founding partner in his law firm, Tom has a long and distinguished career serving banking, thrift and non-bank financial institutions. He is active in banking industry groups including the California Bankers Association, serving on the Federal Government Relations Committee. Tom has been a featured speaker at numerous seminars on law and banking and is frequently quoted in industry publications. He was selected by his peers as a 2007 “Southern California Super Lawyer” in the annual edition of the *Southern California Super Lawyers* magazine, and has been listed in *The Best Lawyers in America* for more than ten years.



PAUL FOLINO 7:15 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. October 18, 2007
Executive Chairman – Emulex Corporation
Mr. Folino is Executive Chairman of Emulex Corporation after joining the company as President and CEO in 1993. Emulex is the industry’s preeminent source for a broad range of advanced storage networking infrastructure solutions. Paul was recognized as the 1999 Orange County Co-Entrepreneur of the Year for technology as well as Ernst & Young’s 2000 Orange County Director of the Year for high growth technology. Prior to his position at Emulex, Mr. Folino served in several executive positions with Xerox Corporation. He has held leadership positions on numerous non-profit boards including the Orange County Performing Arts Center, Chapman University, and the Dean’s Advisory Board in the College of Business and Economics at California State University, Fullerton, and serves as the current Chairman of The New Majority, a political action committee.

**This Program is Limited to 50 Participants – Pre-Registration is Required
NOMINATION / REGISTRATION FORM ENCLOSED**

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BARONESS COLINGTREE, JILL KNIGHT 7:15 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. October 25, 2007
Member of the House of Lords, British Parliament
A Member of Parliament, Jill Knight was elected for Birmingham Edgbaston in 1966, and held the seat in successive elections until 1997. Knight was a member of the Parliamentary Select Committee on Race Relations & Immigration, on the Select Committee for the Council of Europe, Home Affairs, Lady Chairman of the Lords and Commons All-Party Child and Family Protection Group from 1978, on the Conservative Back-bench Health & Social Services Committee 1982, President of the West Midlands Conservative Political Centre 1980-1983, and was Lady Chairman of the Western European Union Relations with Parliaments Committee, 1984-1988.



ED ARNOLD 7:15 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. November 1, 2007
Co-Anchor – KOCE-TV’s “Real Orange”
A “Golden Mike Award” winner and Emmy nominee, Ed Arnold has been a newscaster/sportscaster in the LA/ Orange County area for over 40 years, and is co-host and managing editor of KOCE -TV’s nightly news magazine show, “Real Orange.” He is also the announcer for the Rev. Robert H. Schuller’s internationally -syndicated TV show, “Hour of Power.” Ed and his wife Dixie have teamed up to help many community and non-profit groups including Boys and Girls Clubs, and the California Special Olympics. Ed has received the March of Dimes Lifetime Achievement Award and the Cystic Fibrosis Breath of Life Award, as well as the 2007 Radio and Television News Association’s Lifetime Achievement Award, given to those whose commitment to quality journalism, adherence to the highest principles of integrity, service to the community and/or promotion of the First Amendment rights of the free press have been extraordinary over the course of an entire career.



SALLY ANDERSON 7:15 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. November 8, 2007
Managing Partner – Ernst & Young
Managing Partner of the Orange County Practice of Ernst & Young, as well as an Assurance and Advisory Business Services Partner, Sally Anderson has more than 25 years of accounting, auditing, and consulting experience in a variety of industries, including manufacturing, distribution, and service companies. Sally has been involved in many community organizations and currently serves on the Board and Executive Committee of the Pacific Symphony Orchestra and chairs its Corporate Fundraising Committee. She is a member of the College of Business and Economics’ Dean’s Advisory Board at California State University Fullerton, the Orange County Business Counsel’s Infrastructure Committee, Orange County’s United Way Cabinet Committee and a founding member of Women’s Philanthropy Fund, and the Trusteeship for the Betterment of Women.



ROB V. UKROPINA 7:15 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. November 15, 2007
President & CEO – Overnight Express
California’s 2007 “Small Business Person of the Year,” Rob Ukropina is the founder of Overnight Express, a delivery service company providing overnight delivery to California, Arizona, and Nevada, as well as 2-day service to Mexico. A member of the USC Alumni Association’s Board of Governors, a founding member and member of the Pacific Club Board of Directors, and the Round Table of Orange County, Rob also sits on a number of entrepreneurial business boards. Awarded the “Excellence in Entrepreneurship” by the *Orange County Business Journal* and Ernst and Young, Rob is also a frequent guest lecturer at USC, UCLA, Chapman, Pepperdine, UCI, and other groups on topics including the competitive edge, great customer service, and entrepreneurship.