

2023 WIDGHR

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY CONFERENCE



THURSDAY
5 OCT 2023



TIME
07:00AM -- 4:30 PM



Holiday Inn Virginia Beach Norfolk
5655 Greenwich Road
Virginia Beach, VA 23462

About this event

Professional Development Day is our flagship annual event, which includes keynote speakers, panel discussions, breakout sessions, exhibitors, and networking opportunities. This year's theme is Women in Leadership: Breaking Barriers and Empowering Change. Our sessions will be divided into three tracks: Government Contracting, General Business and Personal Development.

Conference Agenda

- 7:00 AM - 8:00 AM -- Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM -- Opening Ceremony/Opening Speaker
- 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM -- Breakout Session 1 / Panel Discussion
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM -- Breakout Session 2
- 11:00 AM -12:00 PM -- Keynote Speaker
- 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM -- Lunch/networking
- 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM -- Breakout Session 3
- 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM -- Breakout Session 4
- 3:30 PM- 4:30 PM -- Breakout session 5/Panel Discussion

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Thursday, October 5, 2023

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Confirmed Speakers



Captain Janet H. Days

*Commanding Officer,
Naval Station Norfolk*



Julia Wilson

*Dean, Hampton University
& CEO/Founder, Wilson
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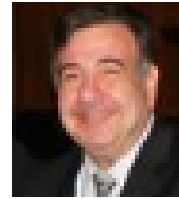
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*CEO & Founder
BHS & Associates*



Arnel Tanyag

*CMAPS Business Coach &
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*Former Founder &
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