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**The Alliance of Women in Workers' Compensation Announces  
Agenda and Keynote Speaker for Pre-Conference Event at National Workers' Compensation &  
Disability® Conference**

**ATLANTA – November 7, 2016** – The Alliance of Women in Workers' Compensation today announced the conference agenda and keynote speaker for its 3<sup>rd</sup> annual leadership event that will be held in conjunction with the National Workers' Compensation and Disability Conference® (NWDCD). The event will occur on Tuesday, November 29, 2016 at the New Orleans Morial Convention Center where the NWDCD is being held.

This year's event will feature keynote speaker Susan L. Colantuono, CEO of Leading Women, a premier consulting firm supporting corporate initiatives to advance women and close the leadership gender gap. Colantuono founded and ran the Women's Institute for Leadership at Bryant University from 2002 – 2010, is the author of *No Ceiling, No Walls: What Women Haven't Been Told About leadership, Make the Most of Mentoring* and innumerable articles about the leadership gender gap, leadership and women's advancement.

Colantuono will present two sessions at the event, *Leadership, Career Success and the Missing 33%* and *Think Like a CEO & Speak the Language of Power*. Her engagement will include attendee discussion and participation.

The pre-conference event is expected to draw more than 400 participants. Seating is limited so participants are encouraged to register in advance to reserve a spot. For more information about the event, including how to register, visit [www.allianceofwomen.org/events](http://www.allianceofwomen.org/events).

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**About The Alliance of Women in Workers' Compensation**

The Alliance of Women in Workers' Compensation was formed in 2016 when two women's organizations (Women in Workers' Compensation and the Women Executives in Workers' Compensation) merged to create a single entity. The mission of the Alliance is to effect positive change in the workers' compensation industry through networking, support, mentoring and collaboration. As a 501c3 charitable organization, the organization is funded through corporate donations that allows the organization to create programming on a local and national level for professionals seeking career development, networking and education. Learn more at [www.allianceofwomen.org](http://www.allianceofwomen.org), [LinkedIn](#).