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Colleagues,

The [Utah Women & Leadership Project](#) (UWLP) has a number of women and leadership announcements (research, events, and resources) this month from our work and that of our partners:

First, we have just started the *Utah Women & Leadership Podcast Series*, and posted our first one on sexual harassment (you can listen/download on [iTunes](#) or on the [UWLP blog](#)). They are 20-30 minutes each and are based on the research we have conducted (snapshots and briefs); we'll be releasing one each month. We also have a new infographic on [Utah Women and STEM](#), that is based on a 2016 [research snapshot](#) with the same title. In addition, [videos are now online](#) from a spring semester event, including a keynote with Justice Christine Durham, a panel titled, "You Don't Have to Wait to Lead as Young Women," and a workshop by Kathie Debenham on mindfulness and presence in leading and living.

Second, we have our next community event planned for **September 26, 2018** (6:30-8:30pm, UVU). The evening is titled "[Navigating Transitions: Finding New Paths, Passions, and Purpose.](#)" Ruth Todd (former award-winning television news anchor in Utah) will be the keynote speaker, after which attendees will choose one of three workshops:

- Young Women in Transition: How to Thrive When Life Keeps Changing!
- Navigating the Home to Workforce Transition
- Discovering New Purpose for Empty Nesters, Retirees, and Aspiring Souls

Details about session speakers, facilitators, and panelists can be found on [this flyer](#). [RSVP NOW](#). Some sessions will live stream.

Third, we are conducting a new study on the strategies that male allies/advocates in Utah successfully use to help advance women in workplace settings. We are looking for participants (men and women at any level of an organization) who have had paid and/or unpaid work experience (e.g., business, nonprofit, government, church, community, politics) to take this 10-20-minute survey: <https://lnkd.in/gsUXdYj>. Please help us out by distributing this invitation widely in Utah to others in your workplaces and beyond.

Fourth, our partners are hosting some wonderful events this month as well:

- August 17, 2018 (6:00-9:00pm): [Utah Women's Economic Forum](#) in **Orem** with a focus on investing and entrepreneurship for women (Diversify & UWLP, free event, [RSVP Here](#))
- August 23-24, 2018: [Utah Women's Policy Conference](#) in **SLC** (YWCA Utah, [Register Here](#))
- Sept 7, 2018 (6:00-9:00pm): [Party Like It's 1870: Better Days 2020 Informational Festival](#) at This is the Place Heritage Park in **SLC** (BetterDays2020, [Register Here](#), use LEADBD2020 as a code for 25% discount)
- Sept. 12, 2018 (6:30-8:00pm), Strengthen Your Impact as Girls & Women in **Tooele** (USU--Tooele, Contact Lori Harding; loriharding@ldschurch.org, for details)
- Sept. 13, 2018 (6:30-8:00pm), Strengthen Your Impact as Girls & Women in **Price** (USU-Eastern; Contact Christine Watkins, cwatkins_68@yahoo.com, for details)
- October 4, 2018 (8:00-9:30am), [Connecting Business and Higher Education](#)—with the 5 women university/college presidents in Utah—at the Hale Centre Theatre in **Sandy** (Salt Lake Chamber, [Register Here](#))
- See our [Community Calendar](#) for more events.

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Finally, here are a few more of my LinkedIn articles released in July that might interest you: [Women and Bragging: Facilitating Women's Self-Promotion](#) and [Gender Differences in Speaking Up and Using Voice](#).

Have a great August (I can't believe the summer has gone so fast)!

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