

Everyday Heroes 2023 Conference Agenda

Wednesday, September 27th

Pre-Conference Meetings

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| 9:00 – 10:00 | Montana Self-Insurers' Meeting – Featuring Debra Livingston - Open to the Public | Armory Music Hall |
| 10:30 – Noon | Kids' Chance Board Meeting – Open to the Public | Nelson Boardroom |

Conference Meetings

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| 8:00 – 4:00 | Registration Desk | Armory Hotel Lobby |
| 1:00 – 1:15 | Conference Open and Welcome – Eric Strauss | Armory Music Hall |
| 1:15 – 1:30 | Kids' Chance Update – Leah Tietz | Armory Music Hall |
| 1:30 – 2:30 | The Future of Occupational Health: Challenges and Opportunities – Dr. Kenji Saito | Armory Music Hall |
| 2:30 – 2:45 | Break Sponsor by Treasure State Occupational Health | TBD |
| 2:45 – 4:00 | KEYNOTE: Safety is in Your Hands - Billy Parker | Armory Music Hall |
| 4:00 – 5:00 | Complex Claims in the Real World: <i>How One Worker Went from Injured to Empowered</i> – Jennifer McCarthy & Amy Todd | Armory Music Hall |
| 5:00 – 6:00 | Cocktail Reception Hosted by Genex an Enlyte Company | TBD |

Thursday, September 28th

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| 7:00 – 8:00 | Breakfast | Armory Music Hall |
| 8:00 – 9:00 | U&T Guidelines Update: Low Back Pain and Cervical Spine Injury – Dr. Maggie Cook-Shimanek | Armory Music Hall |
| 9:00 – 10:00 | Case Law Review – Steve Carey | Armory Music Hall |
| 10:00 – 10:15 | Break | Etha |
| 10:15 – 11:15 | The Unsung Heroes in Workers' Compensation – Vickie Kennedy | Armory Music Hall |
| 11:15 – 12:15 | Power Through Data in Montana's Workers' Compensation System – Todd Johnson & Steve Wurzelbacher | Armory Music Hall |
| 12:15 – 1:30 | Awards Lunch | Armory Music Hall |
| 1:30 – 2:30 | TRAUMA: Is it Possible to Unlock the Brain to Heal Itself with Virtual Reality – Dr. Gerry Stanley | Armory Music Hall |
| 2:30 – 3:30 | 2023 Legislative Review – Kevin Braun | Armory Music Hall |
| 3:30 – 3:45 | Break | True North |
| 3:45 – 5:00 | Contagious Courage – Becky Curtis | Armory Music Hall |
| 6:00 – 9:00 | Cocktail Reception Hosted by Victory Insurance | Masonic Hall 14 South Tracy |

Friday, September 29th

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| 7:00 – 8:30 | Breakfast | Armory Music Hall |
| 8:30 – 9:30 | Using Active Listening to Identify Other's Interests and Needs – Jennifer Poole | Armory Music Hall |
| 9:30 – 10:30 | Dealing With Difficult People – Wendy Jackson & Max Hallfrisch | Armory Music Hall |
| 10:30 – 11:45 | KEYNOTE: Last Man Down: A Fireman's Story - Richard Piccolotto | Armory Music Hall |
| 11:45 – 12:00 | Conference Closing and Door Prize Drawings | Armory Music Hall |