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Passion for Fashion 2015

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AND thank you to the
Passion for Fashion committee,
volunteers, models and everyone
who attended the Passion for
Fashion event benefitting
Dress for Success Des Moines,
on Friday, May 1st.

It was a huge success and we
exceeded our goal to raise over
\$20,000. Thank you!!



Congratulations to our Spring Going Places Network graduates.

10 women graduated on Monday, May 4th.

We wish each of them much SUCCESS and look forward to seeing them again through the Professional Women's Group.

Please see information below regarding our upcoming summer Going Places Network program.



Thank you to Life 107.1 and Christopher's Fine Jewelry for hosting "Lovely Day 2015" on Saturday, April 11th.

Active members of the Professional Women's Group and two women from the Spring Going Places Network were invited to attend a day of pampering including hair, make-up, manicures, massages, a scarf tying demonstration from Sara at Fusion, flowers from Doherty's and each woman received a piece of jewelry from Christopher's Fine Jewelry.

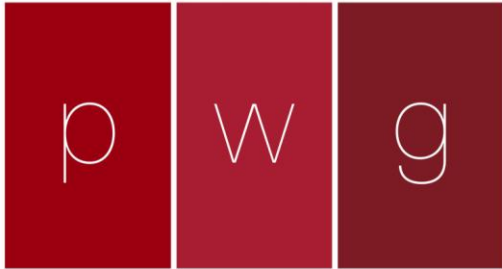


Congratulations to Dora Camargo!

She will be attending the Dress for Success Success Summit in Scottsdale, Arizona in June. You also may have seen her at this year's Passion for Fashion event on the runway and giving her SUCCESS story and on WHO-13 with Megan Reuther.

Dora has been an active member of the Professional Women's Group for two years and wrote an essay to attend the upcoming conference. Congratulations Dora!

Upcoming Events & Program Info



PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S GROUP
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Professional Women's Group provides Dress for Success Des Moines clients with support, practical information and inspiration to achieve self-defined success in career and in life.

If you are a Dress for Success Des Moines client who has obtained and retained employment and would like information OR would like to find out volunteer opportunities for this group - please email PWG Coordinator, Renee Hardman at desmoinespwg@dressforsuccess.org.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 26th
Topic: How Successful People Grow
Time: 6:30PM - 8:30PM
Location: 6000 Grand Ave

RSVP to the upcoming session to:
desmoinespwg@dressforsuccess.org.

SAVE THE UPCOMING DATES:
Tuesday, June 23rd
Tuesday, July 28th



GOING PLACES NETWORK - SUMMER 2015

June 8 - July 27

**All sessions - 9 a.m. to noon on
Mondays**

We are ready to begin recruiting women for the next successful stage of their lives: the eight week Going Places Network program for women who are job-ready but want to enhance their resumes, their interviewing skills and their self confidence.

We continue to improve the program and we are focusing on strengthening interviewing skills. We bring human resource managers and recruiters and hiring managers and a corps of dedicated volunteers as mentors and speakers to our sessions.

For more information, please email GPN Coordinator, Judy Corcoran at judy.corcoran@dfsdesmoines.org.

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities



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Volunteer Orientation:

Date: Monday, May 11th

Time: 6:30PM

Location: 6000 Grand Ave

Des Moines 50312

Sign-Up: Volunteer Local (limited 15)

Positions Immediately

Available:

Personal Shoppers (Monday evenings 6PM-8:30PM, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday opportunities 10AM-3PM)

Sorters (Mondays 10AM-12PM)

Marketing

Finance & Fundraising

Going Places Network Volunteer

Professional Women's Group

Committee

Donation Info



Spring Cleaning? You may drop off donations this upcoming SATURDAY!

DATE: Saturday, May 9th

TIME: 10AM - 1PM

LOCATION: 6000 Grand Ave, Des Moines, IA 50312 (south side of building)

This is the only Saturday in May we will be accepting donations.

Current Item Most Needed:

Shoes (sizes 7 1/2 wide, black, mid-heel)

Please consider to Tuck \$10 when donating clothing!

Only have a few items to donate?

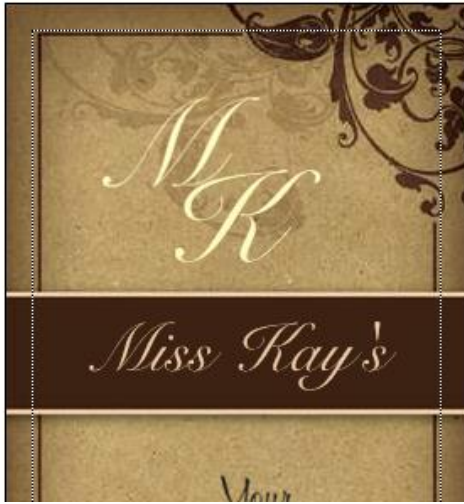
Consider one of our local boutique partner locations below:

Fusion Boutique is MOVING!

Fusion is still accepting donations for Dress for Success Des Moines, but will have a new address starting tomorrow: Friday, May 8th! Fusion will be across the street from their current location (next to Hu Hot) 4100 University Ave, Suite 107!

Fusion can accept donations M-F 10AM-6PM - please only drop off a limited number of donations (20 items or less) to Fusion boutique.





Miss Kay's in Ankeny, now accepting donations on behalf of Dress for Success Des Moines.

Miss Kay's can accept donations M-F 10AM-6PM - please only drop off a limited number of donations (20 items or less) to Miss Kay's Boutique located:

802 SE Oralabor Rd #104, Ankeny, IA 50021

Did you miss our Passion for Fashion event, but would like to make a monetary gift?

Please consider a [gift in honor of Mother's Day](#) and forever change a woman's future in the Des Moines community.

Since opening our doors in June 2011, Dress for Success Des Moines has served over 500 women who are supporting more than 1000 children in our community.

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