



Welcome to WSHHRA

Presented By:
 Cindy E. Paget, MA, SPHR
 Vice President of Membership
pagete@whidbeyhealth.org

About Washington State Healthcare and Human Resource Association

- State-wide membership organization made up of human resource professionals that are working in health care institutions or organizations related to health care. We have an affiliation with the national association, the American Society for Healthcare Human Resources Administration (ASHHRA).

Membership

- At the end of 2017 WSHHRA had 330 members!
- Membership represented 701,072 FTE's !
- 73 New Members joined WSHHRA in 2017!
- If you are not yet a member, please visit our website at www.wshhra.org to join!

Conferences

- Two state conferences are typically held each year — in the spring and fall. Our conferences strive to present a combination of diverse and relevant topics, networking opportunities, and fun and social activities.
- *Save the date ...Our Spring Conference will be held March 28-30th, 2018*
- Conference attendance is approved for SPHR/PHR educational credits through the Society of Human Resource Management.

Website and Roster

- WSHHRA has it's own website at www.wshhra.org
- Here you can find information about our organization as well as a Member's Area page
- The Member's Area page allows for members to view a membership roster, presentations from the conferences, etc.
- Google group, allows members to discuss and communicate.
- Join us on Twitter, Facebook, and Linked-In

2017 Board Members

 Past President Manda Scott	 Marlo Willis Treasurer
 President Erin Lantz	 Rebecca Ammeter-Wright Secretary
 President-Elect Carrie Youngblood	 Lisa McDaniel Website Director
 Cindy E. Paget VP Membership	 Dr. Kimberly Washburn Legislative Liaison
	 Anita Castellanos Communications Liaison

Kathy Franz Excellence in HR Leadership Award

- Prior to 2009 WSHHRA honored one of the members with the **Dorothy Gannon Award**. The award recognized a member's single or long-term contribution to the human resources management profession and to WSHHRA.
- In 2009 in honor of one of the founding members of WSHHRA, the **Kathy Franz Excellence in HR Leadership Award** was presented for the first time. Kathy worked at Yakima Memorial Hospital for 35 years and is truly a legend in the State.

Get Involved!!!

- Attend the next conference
- Consider becoming a board member
- Share a "best practice" at a conference
- Refer a vendor to one of our conferences
- Refer a fellow HR professional to WSHHRA
- Assist on a Committee
- Join ASHRA!
- Join WSHHRA!!!

