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A Two-Day Corporate Governance & Compliance Directors Institute: What You Need to Know About Governance Today

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Robert Lamm, Senior Fellow, The Conference Board Governance Center and Chair, Securities Law Committee, Society of Corporate Secretaries and Governance Professionals

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Thursday, June 13, 2013

1:45 - 2:00 PM	Registration
2:00 - 2:15 AM	Welcome and Introductions
	Donna Dabney, Executive Director, The Conference Board Governance Center
Session 1 2:15 - 3:00 PM	Delaware Corporate Law—is the bedrock shifting? The session provides a framework for understanding corporate governance, including state laws addressing the roles of shareholders, boards and management and answers the question whether fundamental principles are shifting.
	Adam O. Emmerich, Partner, Wachtell, Lipton, Rosen & Katz
Session 2 3:00 - 4:15 PM	2013 Proxy Season—lessons learned so far A panel of experts on shareholder proposals will discuss what is happening in the 2013 proxy season.

Matthew Lepore, Corporate Secretary and Chief Governance Officer, Pfizer Inc.

William Ultan, Senior Managing Director—Corporate Governance, Morrow & Co.

Peter G. Reali, Senior Corporate Governance Analyst, TIAA-CREF

Beverly L. O'Toole, Managing Director and Associate General Counsel, Goldman Sachs & Co.

Moderator: Robert Lamm

Session 3 4:30 - 6:00 PM

Directors Speak

This session will feature a group of seasoned directors from a mix of large and smaller companies talking about how governance issues play out in the board room—what governance issues are really important to directors and how board dynamics affect decision-making.

Gail D. Fosler, Director, Baxter International, Swiss Re America Holding Corp; Frm. Director, Caterpillar Inc., the Unisys Corporation, H.B. Fuller Company and DBS Holdings; President, The GailFosler Group LLC

Nina Henderson, Director, CNO Financial Group, Walter Energy Inc.; Frm. Director, AXA Financial Inc., Del Monte Foods, Hunt Corporation, Pactiv Corporation, & Royal Dutch Shell plc; Managing Partner, Henderson Advisory

Anne Whittemore, Director, T. Rowe Price Group, Albemarle Corp., Owens & Minor, Inc.; Frm. Chair of the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond; Partner, McGuireWoods LLP

Moderator: Donna Dabney

6:15 - 7:00 PM

Reception

Friday, June 14, 2013

8:30 - 9:00 AM

Continental Breakfast

Session 4 9:00 - 10:15 AM

Hot Topics for Compensation Committees

This session will focus on Compensation Committee issues—the use of peer groups in setting CEO compensation, structuring compensation and dealing with reputational issues related to executive compensation.

Wendy J. Hilburn, Principal, Frederic W. Cook & Co., Inc.

Steven D. Kittrell, Partner, McGuireWoods LLP

Linda E. Rappaport, Partner, Shearman & Sterling LLP

Moderator: Glenn H. Booraem, Controller, Vanguard funds; Principal, Vanguard Group, Inc.

Session 5 10:15 - 11:30 AM

Hot Topics for the Audit Committee

This session focuses on the Audit Committee and current issues in governance, including the movement to rotate outside auditors.

Maureen P. Errity, Director, Center of Corporate Governance, Deloitte LLP

Frederick D. Lipman, Partner, Blank Rome LLP

Carol V. Schwartz, Secretary and Corporate Governance Officer, American Express Company

Moderator: Michael R. Young, Partner, Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP

Session 6 11:30 - 12:15 PM

Hot Topics for the Governance and Nominating Committee

This session will focus on current issues affecting the Governance and Nominating Committee including the call for term limits, increased scrutiny of director qualifications and compensation and dealing with activist investors.

Catherine T. Dixon, Partner, Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

Eileen McCarthy, Corporate Counsel, JetBlue Airways Corporation

Paul F. Washington, Senior Vice President, Deputy General Counsel & Corporate Secretary, Time Warner, Inc.

Moderator: Jane Whitt Sellers

Session 7 12:15 - 1:30 PM **Keynote Lunch: Regulatory Outlook**

Meredith Cross, Partner, Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLC; former Director, Corporate Finance, Securities and Exchange Commission

Lunch will be available for all participants.

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