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from the IGA's Women Leaders in Gaming Initiative

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You have been designated by your employer to receive these pertinent updates as part of the IGA's Women Leaders in Gaming Initiative. We hope you enjoy this insight and engage in further dialogue with colleagues to enhance your career in this industry!

## VOICES AROUND IOWA

Two valuable resources for women in business are The Business Record's Lift IOWA publication ([sign up here](#)) and the [IWLC's blog](#). We strongly encourage you to sign up to receive these outstanding email publications. Here's some news from around Iowa:

- **Kim Reynolds Becomes Iowa's First Female Governor ...** [Des Moines Register](#)
- **Opinion: Every Role is Relevant** by Kate Banasiak | President and CEO, Diversified Management Services ... [Lift IOWA](#)
- **Opinion: Get Out of Your Own Way** by Kelly Eagle | Group Account Director, Performance Marketing ... [Lift IOWA](#)
- **Reflections: Iowa's First Female Governor** by Diane Ramsey | CEO, Iowa Women Lead Change ... [IWLC Blog](#)

## EVENTS

### **Get Fierce in 2017: Transform Conversations**

*Hosted by Iowa Women Lead Change*

This lively, interactive session will explore the power of skillful, authentic conversations to drive results and create long-lasting connections, engaged employees and productive teams.

June 13 // 8-11:30 a.m.

Holiday Inn Downtown, 1050 Sixth Ave., Des Moines

[Register here.](#)



**KIM REYNOLDS, IOWA'S FIRST FEMALE GOVERNOR:** "Becoming Iowa's first woman governor is both humbling and exciting ... However, it is my responsibility, my challenge, to do my best, to give them the opportunity to write much more than, 'She was Iowa's first woman governor.'"

## IN THE NEWS

- **Before You Agree to Take on New Work, Ask 3 Questions ...** [Harvard Business Review](#)
- **40 Years of Research Proves Women Are Better Managers Than Men Because They Tend to Have This Crucial Skill ...** [Inc.com](#)
- **The Gender Pay Gap Is Largely Because of Motherhood ...** [New York Times](#)
- **How Facebook's Sheryl Sandberg Came Back to Work After Personal Tragedy ...** [Inc.com](#)
- **Former AG Loretta Lynch Says Women Face 'Risk of Not Being Seen.' She Speaks from Experience ...** [Washington Post](#)
- **Confessions Of A Packing Expert: 9 Business Travel Hacks ...** [Forbes](#)
- **This Woman Inspired A Dialogue About Agreeing With Men's Compliments And People Are Nodding ...** [Buzzfeed](#)