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FINANCIAL WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

THE PRESIDENT'S BLOG

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Dear Members,

FWA profile... One of my goals this year was to raise the **profile of the FWA**, increase our coverage in the media, and have the FWA increasingly be seen as a "go to" organization in Financial Services. Several of our forums and events this year definitely were major wins, such as our **Economic Forums**, and our **Leadership Roundtable**, among many others.



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FWA President

FWA sponsored on Monday of this week: *A Conversation with Mary Schapiro* facilitated by Maria Bartiromo. Special thanks to the New York Law School's Center on Financial Services Law and its Director Ronald Filler and Kathy Wong for underwriting and hosting the event! Great space.

An amazing capstone event! Weren't you just so proud to see/hear Chairman Schapiro answering Maria's and the audiences' key questions affecting the industry? Visit the [FWA PRESS ROOM](#) to see some of this event's coverage. Behind the scenes this event took teamwork, patience, and collaboration to achieve.

THANK YOU especially to Alice Carpenter, Margaret Darlow, co-chairs of the FWA Government Affairs Committee, the committee members, as well as Susan Harper, Patti Domm, and our PR consultant, Felicia Morton!!

Maximizing your FWA membership... Membership in the FWA is an important investment for your on-going success. The benefits are significant, opening you to a network of key connections, while giving you the opportunity to demonstrate your leadership through wonderful volunteer opportunities, and helping you to advance your career in a myriad of ways. [Renew now...](#)

[FWA Annual Meeting and New Member Reception on June 24...](#) The proxies are in your email box, so please respond. Register to come in person to greet/meet new members, and hear about this year's accomplishments and what is in store for 2010-2011. This is a wonderful free event, with terrific networking opportunities, and graciously hosted by our President Circle sponsor, Credit Suisse.

What a year this has been... I have just completed writing up my report on this year's accomplishments for the comprehensive Annual Report that will be distributed in advance of the Annual Meeting. This year, I kept

Upcoming Events

[Meet & Mingle: NYC](#)
Mon-June 21

[2010 Annual Meeting and New Member Reception](#)
Thurs-June 24

[Tenth Annual Executive Coaching Summit: Coach Yourself to Success](#)
Mon-June 28

[New FWA NJ: Nine & Dine Golf Outing](#)
Invitation from the Northern New Jersey chapter of the Executive Women's Golf Association (EWGA)
Fri-July 09

you apprised through quarterly reports, as well as this Blog and initiatives, challenges and key happenings.

- In conjunction with the goal of raising the FWA profile, I set as an objective to **promote visibility of the FWA of New York Educational Fund** and its many programs and initiatives, especially those focused on the NEXT GENERATION.
- I am announcing the launch of our <http://www.fwaedfund.org/> website. Click and visit this site. Learn more about these programs. **Volunteer**. Make a difference. Encourage friends and colleagues to **Donate**... tax deductible.
- I have renewed my membership for next year, and am signing up to be an **FWA mentor**. Join me.

On the calendar:

[June 28 - Tenth Annual Coaching Summit...](#) this is a wonderful tradition, and great event to get insights on accelerating your path of success and make some connections!

[July 9 - FWA NJ Nine and Dine golf invite... EWGA's](#) northern NJ chapter is offering their member rate to FWA. Sounds like fun!

October 25: **SAVE THE DATE: Mohamed El-Erian, CEO and co-CIO of PIMCO, to speak to the FWA. MEMBERS ONLY!**

Thank you for the honor and pleasure of serving you... see you at the [Annual Meeting!](#)



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