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**MPI-Wisconsin announces Board Members for 2015-2016**

Madison, WI – The Wisconsin Chapter of Meeting Professionals International (MPI-WI) is pleased to announce the new board members for the 2015-2016 season.

President	Tom Graybill – Tri-Marq Communications
President Elect	Jennifer Mell, CMP – Meeting IQ/Travel Leaders
Immediate Past President	Carmen Smalley, CMP – North Central Group
Vice President of Finance	Brandon Smith – Levy Restaurants
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Vice President of Education	Amy Qualmann, CMP – Wisconsin Association of School Boards
Vice President of Communications	Claudia Cabrera – Madison Marriott West
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Director of Special Education Projects	Jackie Ellickson – Virtual Business Edge, LLC
Director of Monthly Programs	Katie McGinnis – Hyatt Regency Milwaukee
Director of Member Care	Sara Kern – Student Member



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Director of Awards, Scholarships,  
Recruitment

JoEllen Graber – Special Olympics of Wisconsin

Director of Publications  
(Agenda Newsletter),  
Advertising and Community Outreach

Frost Williams – Visit Milwaukee

Director of Website, Public Relations,  
& Advocacy

Maria Peot – Milwaukee Area Technical College

***Meeting Professionals International (MPI)***, the meeting and event industry's largest and most vibrant global community helps our members thrive by providing human connections to knowledge and ideas, relationships, and marketplaces. MPI membership is comprised of more than 23,000 members belonging to 71 chapters and clubs worldwide. For more information, visit [mpiweb.org](http://mpiweb.org).

The 300+ member **Wisconsin Chapter of MPI**, established in 1977, is the premier association in the state dedicated to the growth, development and success of event and meeting professionals. The chapter brings professionals together to learn best practices, build relationships, and create business opportunities that enhance the strategic value of meetings. For more information on MPI-Wisconsin, please visit [www.mpiwi.org](http://www.mpiwi.org).

For more information on this event, MPI or MPI-Wisconsin, please contact Alison Huber, CMP at (608) 254-7180 x342