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-- Anne Morrow Lindbergh, 'Gift From the Sea'

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Next Meeting

Bernard S. Groseclose, President and CEO of the SC State Ports Authority will present the "State of the Port" 3/9/2004.
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LOOKING AHEAD

Mr. Tim Love, Vice-Chairman International of Saatchi & Saatchi will present "Think Like The Sun: The Secret to Building Global Lovemark Brands" at CWIT 2004 Annual Banquet to be held April 13, 2004 at the Charleston Place.

CONTACT Frankie Bryson at: Frankie.Bryson@us.bosch.com or visit CWIT's website at: www.scspace.com/cwit/cwit.asp for more about CWIT.

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A Note from the Chair

It is hard to believe that we are now going into our third year of this CWIT's existence. The Nominating Committee has put forth the following individuals to lead this organization for the next year. This group of talented, strong and committed women will take CWIT to the next level. The report is as follows: Chairperson, Ann Watts; Vice-Chair, Pam Everitt; Treasurer, Frankie Bryson; Secretary, Lynn Anne Christensen; Assistant Secretary, Jacky Sassard; and, Member-at-Large, Pam Zaresk. The floor will be open for nominations at our March meeting before we conduct the election. If you are interested in running for any of these positions, please contact me as soon as you can! -- Jackie Adamson  Click to send nominations!



Shannon McDevitt

Dynamic speaker Shannon McDevitt of, Just Humor Me! "Professional Presentations for the Fun Inspired & Fun Impaired", is presenting at CWIT's professional development seminar, to be held on 2/10/2004 at the Radisson in North Charleston. Look and feel marvelous by learning how to create a professional image, present yourself with confidence, and polish business and people skills to increase your relationship marketability. Sure to a great seminar.



"The Economic Outlook for 2004"

Dr. Douglas P. Woodward, Director of Division of Research and Associate Professor of Economics, University of South Carolina, presented "The Economic Outlook for 2004: Global, National, and State Perspectives" at CWIT's monthly meeting luncheon held on November 12, 2003 at the Radisson Hotel in North Charleston. The attendee were encouraged by Dr. Woodward's forecast as he discussed key indicators that showed SC's economy continuing, though at a sluggish pace, to show signs of improvement.

Dr. Woodward stated that SC has posted small but positive job growth since August 2003, and he expects this trend to continue. His forecasts predicts total employment in SC will increase by approximately 1.8% between the end of 2003 and the end of 2004; and, US real GDP to increase a total of 4.4% in 2004, up from 3.1% growth experience throughout all of 2003. He also predicts the largest job gains in 2004 should be in health services, local government, professional and business services, construction, and leisure and hospitality services. Visit USC's website at: www.uscdmc.sc.edu.

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Featured Member




Lynn Anne Christensen

Financial Advisor with Morgan Stanley and Treasurer, CWIT.

Background As a Financial Advisor with Morgan Stanley, Lynn Anne specializes in comprehensive financial planning for individuals. With the powerful resources of Morgan Stanley and her personal attention to your needs, Lynn Anne will take on the task of planning how you want to manage your money. She provides a road map that's easy to follow, so you can confidently plan for that special vacation, fund a college education, and reach the retirement you deserve. Lynn Anne has a Bachelor of Arts degree from Vanderbilt University and a Masters degree from The University of South Carolina. She's currently working on her Certified Financial Planner designation.

Accomplishments Lynn Anne conducts workshops on financial planning throughout the community. She was awarded the Charleston Regional Business Journal's Forty Under 40 award in 2002 for excellence in business and community service. She also participates in the Leadership Charleston 2004 class through the Charleston Metro Chamber of Commerce.

Affiliations Board Member and Treasurer - CWIT; Board Member and Community Education Chair - Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation; Member - Center for Women; and Member - Toastmasters.

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