

LESSONS IN LEADERSHIP SERIES



Who

Washington state
agency senior leaders

When

Thursday, July 24, 2014
9:30 – 11:00 am

Where

Indian Summer
Golf & Country Club
Olympia, Washington

Cost

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Implementing Lean Change that Lasts – Building a Lean Culture

The Governor is driving for more efficient, effective government, built on Lean principles. Agencies are engaged in all kinds of Lean activities, projects and training. How can these activities be successfully linked to build a Lean system and culture across your agency, one that maximizes impact and engages employees so that the system is self-sustaining and built to last?

Dale Peinecke, Commissioner, Employment Security



Dale Peinecke was appointed as the 24th Commissioner of Washington's Employment Security Department in January 2013. Before joining Governor Inslee's cabinet, Dale accumulated more than 37 years of experience in the aerospace and materials industries. This included executive positions at Giddens Industries, Neuvant Aerospace, The Aerostructures Corp., Contour Aerospace and Alcoa. He has been engaged in Lean implementation efforts since 1985. His interest in hiring skilled workers spurred him to get involved in the state's workforce development system. In 2006, he was elected to the first of three consecutive terms as board chair for Snohomish County's workforce development council, and he remained on the board through 2012. He also served on the advisory board for the M.B.A. Program at the University of Washington–Bothell from 2006 to 2008. Dale grew up in the Pacific Northwest, and has lived on both sides of the Cascades during the course of his career. He earned a bachelor's in mechanical engineering from Oregon State University and a master's in manufacturing engineering from Carnegie-Mellon University.

Pat Edmonds, Principal, Point B Consulting



Pat Edmonds co-founded and is a principal in the Operations and Process Improvement practice at Point B Consulting, which specializes in Lean consulting. Pat is a seasoned performance improvement expert and trainer with over 20 years of business and consulting experience in a number of quality methodologies, including Lean, Six Sigma, and Design for Six Sigma. He has proven success, both nationally and internationally, in leading complex initiatives related to Lean transformation, process redesign and re-engineering, supply chain management, competitive strategy, financial processes, portfolio management, and merger and acquisition integration. He has worked in the public sector, healthcare, IT, telecommunications, transportation, energy, entertainment, and manufacturing industries. Prior to joining Point B, Pat co-founded and managed a healthcare consultancy, held leadership roles in business and with a Big Four consulting firm, and was a U.S. Navy pilot. Pat has a Master of Business Administration (MBA) degree and Post Graduate Certifications in Global Management and Public / Non Profit Management from Stanford University, and he has a Bachelor of Science degree from the United States Naval Academy. He is also a certified Six Sigma Master Black Belt and Lean Master. Pat is a regular university lecturer about Lean transformation.