

New York Minute

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It's The Return of NIRI NY's Spring Program!

The weather (like the market) has been up and down in New York over the past month, making us feel like we've been running in place for some time. We're hoping that some extended warmer climate ushers in a better environment for equities, but one thing is for sure - we are getting closer and closer to our May in-person event!

Join us on Tuesday, May 16th at 5:30 as we take on the topic of ESG in Crisis: Shifting ESG Priorities Amidst a Looming Recession.

It will be an insightful evening with experts from Teneo's Governance Team and its ESG Team, who will be discussing the importance of ESG amidst the anti-ESG movement in the U.S. In this discussion, they will review

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, 5/16: NIRI NY Hosts:
ESG in Crisis: Shifting ESG
Priorities Amidst a Looming
Recession

Tuesday, 5/23: NIRI NY New Member Breakfast

June 6 - 8: NIRI National
Conference, Chicago, IL

See entire calendar

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

the current state of the global ESG landscape, discuss 2023 ESG trends and observations from proxy season, and lastly, provide their take on "woke-ism," including how some of the largest U.S. companies have adapted to the ESG pushback.

For our **NIRI NY New Members** - you should have seen an e-mail come through for breakfast on Tuesday, May 23. Don't forget to register <u>here</u>. Rob Ginsberg, Managing Director, and Technical Analyst at **Wolfe Research**, covering equities, bonds, currencies, and commodities globally, will join us to give us a market/macro overview, and it will be a great opportunity to network with other board members and IROs.

Also, don't forget to <u>register</u> for NIRI National's Annual Conference on June 6-8, held in Chicago – a great opportunity for members nationwide to gather, socialize, share best practices, and access programming on the hottest topics in IR world.

This month's <u>Member Spotlight</u> highlights Corey Kinger, VP Investor Relations, **WW International, Inc.** (or WeightWatchers), and a NIRI NY veteran, both as a member and former Board member. Corey offers advice for those hoping to build a career in investor relations and shares her thoughts on what makes a good IRO. Also, if opera's your thing, Corey shares your passion!

As always, I would encourage you to stay connected with the NIRI NY chapter by following us on <u>Twitter</u>, <u>LinkedIn</u>, and checking out the latest information on our website.

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Member Spotlight

Corey Kinger, VP Investor Relations, **WW International, Inc.**, joins us for this month's Member Spotlight! Here are a few snippets from our conversation. The complete profile can be found <u>here!</u>

"Only by knowing the company inside and out can I be a valuable resource to investors and my management team."

"The job of a good IRO is to know more about the company than anyone else at the company."

"...time goes by too quickly."

Please let us know if you'd like to be featured in the Member Spotlight.



NIRI NY NextGen is planning its last event of the year. The committee looks forward to sharing more information in the coming weeks!

If you are interested in helping the NIRI NextGen committee or have program ideas, please contact Emily Mohr, President, NIRI NY NextGen, at nirinextgen@niriny.org.

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