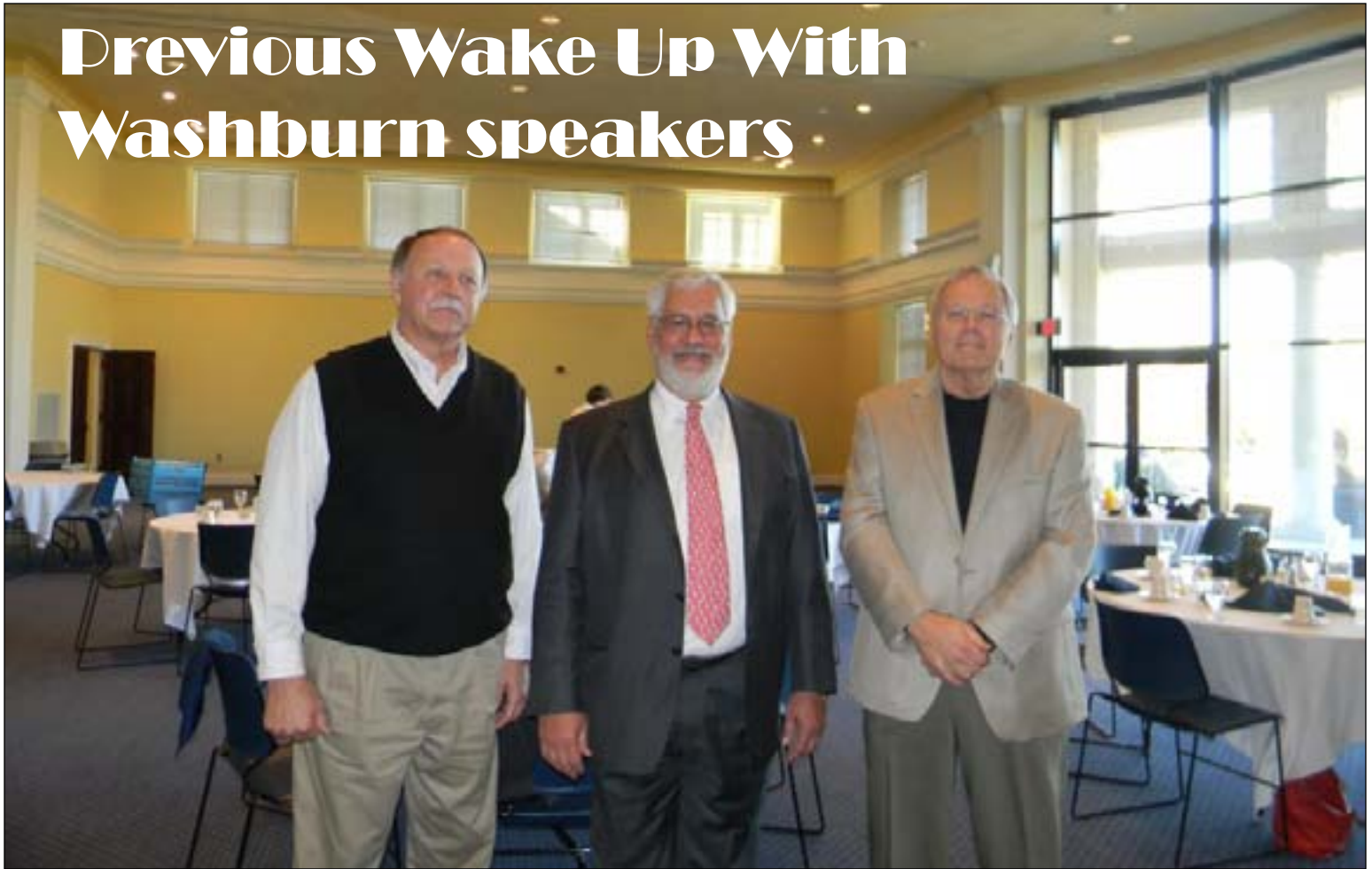


# Previous Wake Up With Washburn speakers



AccountNow's Jim Jones, center, was the November 2011 speaker for the Washburn Alumni Association's Wake Up With Washburn series.

## 2010-11

**Sept. 9, 2010:** James Hanni, ba '74, Lawrence, executive vice president of public affairs, AAA Allied Grop Inc.

**Nov. 18, 2010:** Barbara (Clark) Morrison, bba '85, Wichita, Kan., director of project management, Koch Business Solutions.

**Feb. 24, 2011:** Jay Lang, bba '92, jd '95, Leawood, Kan., vice president, commercial finance and strategic development, MachineryLink.

**April 28, 2011:** Paige Strohson, ba '91, San Diego, Calif., multifamily solar consultant, HelioPower.

## 2009-10

**Aug. 27, 2009:** Kevin Bittner, bba '88, Topeka, CEO and managing partner, Strategic Planning Consultants.

**Oct. 15, 2009:** Debra (Hiebert) Goodrich, ba '96, Topeka, journalist and historian, RadioRichandFriends.com.

**Feb. 11, 2010:** Mitch Peterson, bba '90, Olathe, Kan., vice president of marketing, Nolan Real Estate.

**April 22, 2010:** Angie Wilson-Perkins, ba '98, ma '00, Olathe, Kan., special agent, Kansas Bureau of Investigation.

## 2008-09

**Aug. 28, 2008:** Kevin Sweeney, ba '71, bba '71, Southlake, Texas, speaker, consultant and author.

**Oct. 9, 2008:** Bill Marshall, ba '61, Colorado Springs, Colo., adjunct flight director, Challenger Learning Center of Colorado.

**Feb. 26, 2009:** Richard Kline, bba '82, Leawood, Kan., owner, KRC Enterprises LLC.

**April 26, 2009:** Tom Luedke, ba '83, jd '86, Topeka, assisant U.S. attorney, civil division, Topeka office.

## 2007-2008

**Aug. 30, 2007:** Gwen (Randel) Ritter, bba '95, director, Americas Structured Utility Team, Deutsche Bank.

**Oct. 18, 2007:** Eric Brende, ba '86, St. Louis, Mo., author.

**Feb. 28, 2008:** Tammy Fruits, bba '91, Overland Park, Kan., vice president, sales and marketing, Kansas City Chiefs Football Club.

**April 17, 2008:** Ann (Severns) Hoelting, bba '85, Shawnee, Kan., assistant vice president, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City.

2006-07	2005-06	2004-05	2003-04	1998-99	1997-98	1996-97	1995-96
<p><b>Aug. 30, 2006:</b> Kevin Moncrief, bba ’83, Hesperia, Calif., principal, Ernst &amp; Young.</p> <p><b>Oct. 26, 2006:</b> The Hon. Gregory Waller, ba ’70, jd ’73, Wichita, Kan., judge, criminal department, 18th Judicial District, Sedgwick County, Kan.</p> <p><b>Feb. 22, 2007:</b> Larry Stambaugh, bba ’69, San Diego, Calif., principal, Apercu Consulting.</p> <p><b>April 19, 2007:</b> Bruce Wiley, bs ’83, Greybull, Wyo, dentist and forensic odontologist.</p>	<p><b>Aug. 25, 2005:</b> Brad Dixon, bba ’75, Topeka, president, Kansas Gas Service.</p> <p><b>Oct. 6, 2005:</b> Jade Gurss, ba ’86, director, publicity and media relations, Anheuser-Busch NASCAR and driver Dale Earnhardt Jr.</p> <p><b>Feb. 9, 2006:</b> Denise Walsh, bba ’94, Topeka, director, corporate tax, Hill’s Pet Nutrition.</p> <p><b>April 20, 2006:</b> Mindee Reece, ba ’88, director, Kansas Bioterrorism Program.</p>	<p><b>Aug. 26, 2004:</b> Niki McDowell, bba ’92, owner, It’s Just Lunch.</p> <p><b>Oct. 28, 2004:</b> Bob Davis, ba ’67, broadcaster, Kansas City Royals, Kansas Jayhawks.</p> <p><b>Feb. 24, 2005:</b> David Strohm, bba ’74, president and CEO of TrueNorth Inc.</p> <p><b>April 21, 2005:</b> Peggy Johnson, b ed ’70, executive director and CEO, Wichita Medical Research and Education Foundation.</p>	<p><b>Oct. 23, 2003:</b> Mayo Schmidt, bba ’80, Regina, Saskatchewan, CEO, Saskatchewan Wheat Pool.</p> <p><b>Dec. 11, 2003:</b> Pamela G. Hollie, ba ’70, journalist, environmentalist, Kiplinger Visiting Professor.</p> <p><b>Feb. 5, 2004:</b> Bob Hoffmann, ba ’93, Toronto, Canda, senior manager, Maya 3D animation software.</p> <p><b>April 22, 2004:</b> John B. Wood, bba s’73, jd ’78, New York City, Sussman Sollis Ebin Tweedy &amp; Wood LLP.</p>	<p><b>Linda (Richey) Graves</b>, jd ’78, first lady of Kansas.</p> <p><b>Mark Hunt</b>, ba ’71, director, Reagan Presidential Library.</p> <p><b>Art Fletcher</b>, ba ’50, honorary degree ’90, former chairman, U.S. Civil Rights Commission.</p> <p><b>Cathy (Wollen) Maxwell</b>, ba ’75, romance novelist.</p> <p><b>Gary Clark</b>, ba ’79, safari leader.</p> <p><b>Jim Reynolds</b>, attendee ’69, actor.</p>	<p><b>Connie (Clarke) Yoxall</b>, ba ’52, public relations consultant.</p> <p><b>Kenneth Kerle</b>, ba ’52, editor, American Jails magazine.</p> <p><b>Ron Thornburgh</b>, ba ’85, Kansas secretary of state.</p> <p><b>Damian Strohmeier</b>, ba ’80, photographer, Sports Illustrated.</p> <p><b>Dan Holt</b>, ba ’63, director, Eisenhower Presidential Library.</p> <p><b>David Beeder</b>, ba ’52, D.C. bureau, Omaha World Herald.</p>	<p><b>Jerry Schemmel</b>, ba ’72, jd ’75, radio voice, Denver Nuggets.</p> <p><b>Betty Becker-Theye</b>, ba ’63, professor, foreign languages, University of Nebraska-Kearney.</p> <p><b>Grace Sawyer Jones</b>, b ed ’60, vice president, multicultural affairs, New York State University-Oneonta.</p> <p><b>John David, Jr.</b>, ba ’38, former Olympics track coach.</p> <p><b>Harry Middleton</b>, ba ’44, director, LBJ Presidential Library.</p> <p><b>Lynn Johnson</b>, jd ’70, lawyer.</p>	<p><b>Pamela Hollie</b>, ba ’70, representative, Asia Foundation.</p> <p><b>Thomas Puckett</b>, bba ’74, jd ’77, chairman and CEO, HPC Puckett &amp; Co.</p> <p><b>John Wortman</b>, bba ’62, former president and CEO, American Mutual Insurance.</p> <p><b>Connie Ross</b>, ba ’69, director of advertising and publicity, Imperial Palace Hotel.</p> <p><b>Ron Richey</b>, bba ’49, jd ’51, chairman and CEO, Torchmark Corp.</p> <p><b>Richard Davis</b>, ba ’46, co-founder, KC Masterpiece.</p>

2002-03	2001-02	2000-2001	1999-2000
<p><b>Oct. 24, 2002:</b> Christy Levings, b ed ’74, Osawatomie, Kan., president, Kansas National Education Association.</p> <p><b>Dec. 12, 2002:</b> Dr. Nancy Tilson-Mallett, ba ’76, Westwood Hills, Kan., physician, artist.</p> <p><b>Feb. 13, 2003:</b> Mike Racy, bba ’87, Carmel, Ind., second chief of staff, NCAA Division II athletics.</p> <p><b>April 24, 2003:</b> Dee (Smelser) Bisel, bba ’70, Lawrence, Kan., owns Minuteman Press.</p>	<p><b>Oct. 4, 2001:</b> Dr. Tony Ware, ba ’74, vice president, Cradio Drug Development &amp; Clinical Investigation for Eli Lilly and Company.</p> <p><b>Dec. 13, 2001:</b> Troy Stremming, bba ’91, jd ’94, Lee’s Summit, Mo., vice president, legal and government affairs, Ameristar Casinos.</p> <p><b>Feb. 14, 2002:</b> Toni Boyles, ba ’87, consultant, Creative Training Institute, director, A Place in Time.</p> <p><b>April 25, 2002:</b> Ken Calwell, bba ’84, executive vice president, Domino’s Pizza.</p>	<p><b>Charles Axton</b>, ba ’56, music director.</p> <p><b>Max Ary</b>, co-founder, developer, Kansas Cosmosphere and Space Center.</p> <p><b>Gail McRorie</b>, bba ’79, president, co-owner, Supply Chain Solutions.</p> <p><b>Dale Pond</b>, bba ’69, executive vice president, merchandising, marketing, Lowe’s Companies.</p>	<p><b>Mike Ryan</b>, ba ’81, editor, Topeka Capital-Journal</p> <p><b>Gene Reardon</b>, bba s’67, auditor general, U.S. Army.</p> <p><b>Ka (Estes) Cotter</b>, ba ’65, president, Staubach National Accounts.</p> <p><b>Lisa (Hefner) Heitz</b>, ba ’85, author.</p> <p><b>Dean Forster</b>, ba ’74, Topeka chief of police.</p> <p><b>Bill Kurtis</b>, jd ’66, journalist, commentator.</p>

1994-95	1993-94
<p><b>Dr. David Nelson</b>, bs ’66, chief of immunphysiology, metabolism branch, National Cancer Institute.</p> <p><b>David Fisher</b>, jd ’75, vice president, legal, Pillsbury Company.</p> <p><b>Sugwon Kang</b>, ba ’60, professor, political science.</p> <p><b>Don Wilson</b>, ba ’64, director, George Bush Presidential Library.</p> <p><b>Tony DeMeo</b>, Washburn football coach.</p> <p><b>Billie Jean Moore</b>, b ed ’66, former UCLA women’s basketball coach.</p>	<p><b>Dick Davidson</b>, ba ’66, CEO, Union Pacific Railroad.</p> <p><b>George Plimpton</b>, author</p> <p><b>Bob Chipman and Richard Konzen</b>, Washburn men’s basketball coach and Kansas assistant athletic director.</p> <p><b>Kay Cronkite Waldo</b>, author.</p> <p><b>Robert Zumwalt</b>, scientist</p> <p><b>Bill Kurtis</b>, jd ’66, co-anchor for CBS.</p>