



The Organization Development Network of Chicago (ODNC) and the
Professional Development Network (PDN) on Organization Development Interventions
would like to invite you to a presentation on

Leading A Resilient Organization

Date: April 30, 2009 (6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.)

Where: Schaumburg Public Library
130 S. Roselle Rd.
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Description: It's not what happens to you, it's how you respond to what's happened to you. In times of continuous turbulence, resilient leaders are those who adapt, change and use challenges as opportunities to re-invent themselves. Resilient organizations are the same. In the current economy, leaders are challenged across all kinds of businesses to help their teams to prevail despite uncertainty. Leading a resilient organization takes courage, focus, and the ability to engage others in generating a purposeful path that may change in an instant.

As internal or external practitioners, how can we impact the resilience of leaders and their organizations?

Karlin Sloan, CEO of Karlin Sloan and Company, a leadership development firm specializing in aligning leaders to create *smarter, faster and better organizations* will facilitate a powerful inquiry and working session.

In this highly experiential program, explore:

- 1.) Practicing your own resilience
- 2.) Recognizing resilience and the absence of resilience in client organizations
- 3.) Working with simple tools to develop resilient leadership

About the presenter: Karlin Sloan is a psychologist and an executive coach. She is also the author of **Smarter, Faster Better: Strategies for Effective, Enduring and Fulfilled Leadership*, about 3 key leadership paradoxes -- to be smarter, we must stop being the expert, surround ourselves with "smarts," be more curious; to be faster, we must slow down; and to be better, we must collaborate, be "better with." This fall, Karlin will co-lead a program at the Wharton School of Business on The Resilient Organization with top authors/consultants Ram Charan and Jim Loehr.

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