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Tuesday, February 20, 2018
7pm – 8pm
Location: Osborne Conference Room ECSS 3.503

Anything I Can Do, You Can Do Better!
By: Catherine L. Walsh
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We all want to be the best in our chosen fields … and that is a good thing. There are many ways to define 'the Best', however what would it look like if we also measured our success by how much joy we brought to our work? Catherine Walsh will take us on a journey of what it means to work joyfully, which she believes is the "secret sauce" of winners. Joy fuels our passion and unleashes the best that we have to offer … and it is contagious. The ship rises together! Whether we find ourselves navigating the maze of endless, lightning fast change or trying to get to the next career level, Catherine will show us how joy can act as a catalyst for success. She will discuss her unique perspective on innovation, marketing and the bottom line for anyone in any line of work, which she calls "Show Me the Money." There will be time at the end for questions/open dialog.

Catherine is Senior Vice President and General Manager of Loss Prevention for Johnson Controls' Tyco Retail Solutions, leading a global team delivering solutions to over 1,000 customers worldwide and $900M+ of annual revenue. Prior to joining Johnson Controls, Catherine served as Senior Vice President & General Manager of Xerox Services, responsible for the Retail, Consumer and Hospitality business unit. She began her career with Electronic Data Systems (EDS) and Hewlett Packard (HP), where she held a broad range of technology and business leadership positions.

Before Xerox, Walsh was Senior Vice President and General Manager of Guestlogix (TSE: GXI), responsible for delivering onboard retail solutions to highly respected Air and Rail customers, such as American, United, Southwest, and Alaska Airlines, as well as Rocky Mountaineer. Walsh began her career with Electronic Data Systems (EDS) and Hewlett Packard (HP), where she held a broad range of technology and business leadership positions, supporting industries such as: Retail, Consumer, Travel & Transportation, Telecommunications, Technology and Manufacturing.

Catherine has a bachelor's degree in Computer Science and Economics from Illinois State University and is a graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology's (MIT's) executive Leading Learning Communities program. **She is an Advisory Board Member for the University of Texas at Dallas Computer Science Industrial Board, and resides in Dallas, Texas.**

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