



LETTER FROM PRESIDENT

Dear EWI, Ladies!

I have found myself in a daze at times during the last month, trying to find the right words to describe our situation. The word unprecedented has been good but used time and time again. I began to search for other words that

might describe our extreme situation. Maybe this can help us better connect with the people around us who are going through the same experiences. It's easy to rely on everyday words ("This is crazy" is one of my favorite ones...). And, having an array of words readily available may help us understand our emotions and communicate them better. Here are just a few of the words I found that might empower us right now.

Surreal (disorienting, unreal, fantastic; having a quality of a dream)

Perturbed (to disquiet greatly in mind; to throw in disorder)

Anomalous (deviating from or inconsistent)

Uncanny (having or seeming to have a supernatural or inexplicable basis)

Nonplussed (to render utterly perplexed, to puzzle completely)

Discombobulated (to confuse or disconcert) *** Another of my favs...

I hope this helps and can be useful to you as well!

As I started the year as president, one of my goals was to move EWI further into technology where it made sense. We have accomplished some items, but now we have another great opportunity! We are planning to have our 1st ever ZOOM Monthly Luncheon! I'm so excited to see and connect with you all again (in a safe manner). We have planned an exciting program with our very own Melody Nixon Bice. Thank you Melody for helping! We have details attached and hope you will join us as we venture into uncharted waters. Its exciting to try something new! Please join us.

Remember that you have EWI sisters in your corner... Its important to find community as we make it through these discombobulated times. Let's show solidarity by extending helping hands to each other. Let's take the time to check-in and see each other through this time. See you next week!

We are EWI!

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MAY ZOOM MEETING SPEAKER



Our ONLINE speaker for May is our very own Melody Nixon Bice.

The New “Normal” in the Hospitality Industry

Melody is the General Manager, for Embassy Suites by Hilton in Corpus Christi.

The meeting will start at 12:00 noon; and Gracie will open the ZOOM meeting room at 11:15 for those who need a little extra time to sign in and verify connectivity.

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