

# BRIDGING THE GAP



**DBIA**  
ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION

**Regional Conference**  
**May 9th, 2024**  
**7:00 am - 4:30pm**  
**Embassy Suites**  
**Downtown Denver**



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# SNAPSHOT AGENDA

7:00 - 8:00	<b>Registration and Breakfast</b> <i>(Exhibit Hall)</i> Sponsored by: BBG Law and Adolfson and Peterson		
8:00 - 8:15	<b>DBIA Rocky Mountain Welcome</b> Region President & Vice President		
	<b>Premier Conference Sponsor Welcome</b>		
8:15 - 9:30	<b>KEYNOTE SPEAKER</b> <b>The Fine Art of Building Business Relationships</b> <i>One Conversation at a Time</i> Debra Fine Sponsored by: TBD		
9:30 - 9:50	<b>Break</b> <i>(Exhibit Hall)</i>		
9:50 - 10:50	<b>WATER / WASTEWATER</b> Sponsored By: TBD  <b>Progressive Design-Build Delivers \$300 Million: Big Creek WRF Expansion</b>  Rod Pope, Brown and Caldwell Sean Timmins, Archer Western	<b>TRANSPORTATION / AVIATION</b> Sponsored By: TBD  <b>56th Ave Sink Hole</b>  Katie Gargaro, City and County of Denver Ryan Crum, City and County of Denver Deb Turner, City and County of Denver	<b>VERTICAL</b> Sponsored By: TBD  <b>Colorado Convention Center: Design-Build Delivers</b>  Jonathan Popiel, DBIA, Hensel Phelps John Courtney, City & County of Denver Justin Hughes, TVS
	<b>Break</b> <i>(Exhibit Hall)</i>		
10:50 - 11:10	<b>Talks, Tracks, and Tunneling: Delivering 20 MGD of Wastewater Underneath Colorado’s Railways</b>  Travis Stevens, Kennedy/Jenks James Carroll, Lithos Engineering	<b>Alternative Delivery in Utah’s Department of Transportation</b>  Joshua J Sletten, Utah Department of Transportation Logan Whitehead, PE, Ralph L. Wadsworth Construction	<b>Community, Collaboration, and Curriculum: Creating an Innovative Design-Build High School</b>  Dr. Rebecca Albert Vollrath, Weld RE-5J School District Anthony Durst, Adolfson & Peterson Scott Dangel, TreanorHL Brian Yahn, Adolfson & Peterson Scarlett Schmidt, Adolfson & Peterson
11:10 - 12:10			
12:10 - 1:00	<b>Lunch</b> (Exhibit Hall) Sponsored by:		
1:00 - 2:00	<b>Leading the Way in Collaborative Delivery: Progressive Design-Build and CMAR</b>  Mark E Alpert, Water Collaborative Delivery Association	<b>Peaks to Plains Progressive Design-Build Perspectives from the Owner, Engineer and Contractor</b>  Scot Grossman, Jefferson County Open Space Matt Brenkle, CEI Constructors Matt Andrews, Muller Engineering	<b>Unlocking Success: Comparing Delivery Methods in Parallel Hospital Projects</b>  Ashley Fritz, CHC, CommonSpirit Health Nicole Paugh, The RMH Group Michael Fullman, Olson Plumbing & Heating Jorge Villalta, GE Johnson Construction
	<b>Break</b> <i>(Exhibit Hall)</i>		
2:00 - 2:20			
2:20 - 3:20	<b>ENDING KEYNOTE</b> <b>Embracing Behavioral Shifts: Breaking Down Barriers Across Generations</b> Deborah Sheehan, DPR, Strategy Leader		
3:30 - 4:30	<b>Happy Hour and Networking</b> Sponsored by:		

Welcome to the DBIA Rocky Mountain Regional Conference. This year, our theme, “Bridging the Gap”, focuses on the various gaps we face in our industry and how Design-Build offers meaningful solutions to move from point A to point B more efficiently. Whether you are looking to increase your general understanding about Design-Build, understand how Design-Build can offer more effective project outcomes, or build stronger relationships with clients and industry partners, this conference will help you bridge those gaps and grow professionally.



## KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

### Debra Fine, Best Selling Author

#### THE FINE ART OF BUILDING BUSINESS RELATIONSHIPS One Conversation at a Time

Architects, engineers and those in the construction industry learn the technical skills required for career success, often overlooking the importance of conversation, networking and rapport building skills. The ability to talk easily with anyone is a learned skill, not a personality trait. Acquiring it will establish rapport with colleagues, clients, and referral sources, with peers in the marketplace and liaisons within the community at large, leaving a positive impression that lasts longer than an exchange of business cards.



## Deborah Sheehan, DPR, Strategy Leader

#### EMBRACING BEHAVIORAL SHIFTS Breaking Down Barriers Across Generations

Understanding diverse perspectives and inherent bias across generational segments is critical to leverage true collaboration. How do generational workforce differences affect our ability to manage people effectively? What are the traits, beliefs, and life experiences that mark each generation, influencing how they work, communicate, and respond to change? We will look at patterns across six consumer segments and four generations within the workforce today, gaining insight on how we can work better together, enable new patterns of behaviors, anticipate generational response to change and ultimately encourage stronger partnerships.





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  - Debra Fine - The Fine Art of Building Business Relationship
  - Deb Sheehan - Breaking Down Generational Barriers
- Acknowledgment during the general session.
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Exhibit hall only registrations are available for \$150 for those who have a tabletop booth exhibit. Please coordinate with the Region to secure these spots.

Contact: Amanda Faith, Executive Director, amanda@dbiarockymountain.org, 720-300-9928



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- Company logo on display during snack breaks.

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- 50% discount on one conference registration.
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- Company logo on display on coffee / tea station(s).

