Speakers for Seminar 4: Business and Industry (16 April 2018)

Seminar Coordinator

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Presenters

George Book has been president and CEO of the West Shore Chamber of Commerce since 2012. Additionally, he serves on the Cumberland Area Economic Development Corporation Board as a Community Liaison and is a member of the Community Advisory Board of Harrisburg Academy, the President's Circle at Central Penn College, and the Alumni Council of Messiah College.

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George Nahodil is the President/CEO of Members 1st Federal Credit Union, which is a \$3.8 billion credit union with 60 branch locations and more than 1,000 employees. George has a B.S. in Business Administration from Clarion State University and an M.B.A. from the University of Connecticut. He was previously the comptroller of Mount Vernon, NY and a New York state high school teacher. George is a board member for the Harrisburg Regional Chamber and also serves as the chair for the Central Penn College MBA Advisory Committee.

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David Hagenbuch is a professor of marketing at Messiah College, and founder of *MindfulMarketing.org*, a website that seeks to encourage and provides resources for the development of marketing that is both effective and ethical. Formerly a corporate sales analyst for a national broadcasting company, he is the author of *Honorable Influence: A Christian's Guide to Faithful Marketing* (2016).

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