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New in 2017, the AHA Leadership Summit offers robust educational programming for hospital and health system trustees who want to learn in collaboration with their executive leadership colleagues. With a focus on connecting the work of governance to the challenges of delivery system transformation, the Summit's Trustee Track provides opportunities for board members to dive deeper into emerging trends and best practices with the guidance of governance and health care experts.

Governance specialist Jamie Orlikoff will serve as the navigator for trustees throughout the track, facilitating translation of the critical issues addressed at the Summit to best practices for boards.

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**PRE-SUMMIT WORKSHOP** (Pre-registration required.)
THURSDAY, JULY 27 | 8:00–10:00 AM
**Trends and Effective Governance in a Time of Challenge and Change**
Dizzying trends and market forces are challenging hospitals and systems like they have never been challenged before. So, too, are boards facing unprecedented challenges which threaten to alter the very soul of health care governance. In this workshop, Jamie Orlikoff will identify these trends and emerging issues and their implications on effective governance, and outline strategies for boards to productively respond to these challenges in order to govern their organizations successfully into an uncertain future.

**TRUSTEE BREAKFAST**
FRIDAY, JULY 28 | 7:00–8:15 AM
**Advancing Population Health Improvement: The Board’s Role**
This panel of governance practitioners including UW Medicine trustee Kimberly McNally, will examine key elements of board involvement as hospitals and health systems assume risk for the health of a population including community outreach and collaborations with critical stakeholders.

**TRUSTEE LUNCH** (Pre-registration required.)
FRIDAY, JULY 28 | 12:15–1:45 PM
**Stewards and Catalysts: Aligning Boards, Management and Physicians to Improve the Patient Experience**
Dr. Shelly Buck, CNO/COO and Dr. Anthony Stanowski, Chair of Board Quality Committee, will review the approach implemented at Bon Secours Baltimore Health System to improve the patient experience with a special focus on the role of the Board of Trustees in reaffirming the mission of the hospital, in goal setting, and to provide exposure to individuals and teams that have demonstrated superlative patient experience. They will examine how management worked with the board and the medical staff to turn around Bon Secours, and generate the necessary staff buy-in.

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FRIDAY, JULY 28:
10:15–11:15 AM
**Topic: The board’s role in quality and safety**
Grinnell Medical Center President & CEO Todd Linden

11:15 AM–12:15 PM
**Topic: Delivery system innovations**
Health care futurist Ian Morrison

3:00–4:00 PM
**Topic: Best board practices**
Governance expert Jamie Orlikoff

**TRUSTEE BREAKFAST**
SATURDAY, JULY 29 | 7:00–8:15 AM
**Interactive Governance Clinic**
Wrap-up your Summit experience and bring your questions about health care's transformation to our experts. You'll gain practical solutions and proactive ideas for leading in the new environment while improving governance performance.

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