

Maria Seddio, Founder and President

Key presentations include:

- Systems Thinking in Action (STIA) Conference (Washington DC, 2014) Co-Keynote with David Stein, CEO, Siemens Healthcare, Point of Care “Everyone at the Table: Transforming Culture through Whole System Engagement”
- Systems Thinking in Action (STIA) Conference (Washington DC, 2014) Workshop with David Stein, CEO, and COMMSquad Team, Siemens Healthcare, Point of Care “Getting to the Table: Achieving Cultural Transformation through Personal Leadership – Roadmap and Stories”
- Systems Thinking in Action (STIA) Conference (Washington DC, 2014) Pecha Kucha Performance “Industrial Accident”
- TEDxYouth (Mt. Olive, 2014) “Be Human: Choose Your Words Carefully”
- New Jersey Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (Morristown, 2013) “Metaphors, Memoirs, Monologues: Narrative Tools for MFTs”
- American Family Therapy Academy (San Francisco, 2012) “Conversations & Demonstrations: Stories of Change and Resilience”
- Global Leadership Summit at Thunderbird University (Phoenix, 2012) “Storytelling and Social Change”
- Women in Architecture (New York City, 2010) “Communication 101: Difference Makes the Difference”
- Applied Brilliance: Investigation, Imagination, Invention, Ignition (Bolton Landing, New York, 2009) “Reimagining the washline in a global workplace”
- Healthcare Women’s Business Association (Somerset, 2009) “Shift Happens: Building Health, Wellness and Resiliency in Challenging Times”
- New Jersey Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (Princeton, 2008) “Beyond the Boundaries of Traditional Practice: the 21st century organization as therapeutic milieu”
- WASH! Women’s two-day leadership retreat (The Guthrie Center, Great Barrington, MA 2005)

- International OD Network Conference (Puerto Rico, 2004): “Can Conversation Be the Cure? Advanced Skills Training Utilizing a Whole-Systems Approach” (2 day advanced skills intensive)
- CorpTalk (Summit, NJ, 2003): “WASH! Leadership Symposium”
- The American Psychological Association (San Francisco, CA, 2001) “Conversations and the Play of Difference in Groups and Organizations”
- Quality New Jersey (New Jersey, 2000) “Not Just Talk – tapping into the power of conversations in organizations”
- The American Psychological Association (Washington DC, 2000): “Evoking Change in Organizations through Conversation”
- Social Constructionism and Relational Practices Conference (University of New Hampshire 1999): “Using Social Constructionist Concepts to Evoke Significant Change in Organizations”
- Social Constructionism and Relational Practices Conference (University of New Hampshire 1999) “WASH! an oral history of time strung out over a laundry line”
- Human Resources Development Institute Annual Women’s Leadership Conference (1999) Afternoon keynote speaker: WASH!
- Human Resources Development Institute Annual Women’s Leadership Conference (1999) “Language of Leadership”
- Career Management on a Global Level (IACMP International Conference, Washington DC, 1997) “Pulling Together: Approaching career transition as a family”