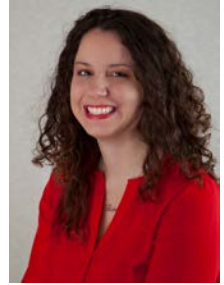


Van Yperen Receives IOM Regent Scholarship

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WASHINGTON, D.C. – Institute for Organization Management, the professional development program of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce Foundation, announced that Christina Van Yperen, executive director of the Grundy County Chamber of Commerce & Industry, has been awarded a Regent scholarship.



Given to professionals across the country, Regent Scholarships recognize each recipient for their involvement in industry professional organizations, community service and professional background.

“I have truly enjoyed working at the Chamber for the last three years,” Van Yperen said. “I look forward to furthering my education in organizational management to better lead our Chamber in order to provide the best opportunities for growth and improvement for all of our members and our communities.”

Since its commencement in 1921, the Institute program has been educating leads of tens of thousands of associations, Chambers, and other nonprofits on how to build stronger organizations, better serve their members and become strong business advocates. Institute’s curriculum consists of four weeklong sessions at five university locations throughout the country.

“Regent scholarships offer executives the opportunity to attend Institute and learn about emerging industry trends, expand their organizations’ influence, and grow their peer network,” said Raymond P. Towle, vice president of Institute for Organization Management at the U.S. Chamber of Commerce Foundation. “We are pleased to help these talented professionals advance their careers and organizations.”

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