Brian Hansell
EO Southwest Ontario
WEO President, FY2004/2005

Brian Hansell was elected the 7th WEO International President. By 2004, there were 14 WEO chapters around the world. All these chapters provided equal representation and financial equality to the WEO members.

HIGHLIGHTS

- In June, YEO and WEO International partnered with the MIT Enterprise Forum to introduce the MIT/WEO Advanced Business Program, a specialized learning program. This new, two-year program was facilitated by Verne Harnish and specially designed for WEO members. The inaugural four-day program brought together 50 entrepreneurs, each of whom was a company founder over age 40 whose business grosses at least US$1 million annually.
- The Los Angeles University was held from 11-15 August, 2004.
- The European Conference was held in Munich, Germany from 7-10 October, 2004. Chairperson of the event was Daniel Wild. Highlights included a private EO Oktoberfest.
- The LAC Conference was held in Panama from 20-23 January, 2005 for approximately 100 members and guests. Chairperson of the event was Fernando Duque.
- Nancye Miller was hired in February 2005 as the new CEO, following Brien Biondi’s departure in August 2004.
- A WEO Conference was held in San Juan, Puerto Rico from 31 March–3 April, 2005 for approximately 100 members and guests. Chaired by Cindy Boyd, the program’s theme was “Discovering the Treasures of Your Life,” with discussions centered on finding balance in both business and life.
- The first of two GLCs was held in Kuala Lumpur from 12-14 May, 2005 for 126 members. Chairperson of the event was Stuart Chrisp. The second GLC was held in Washington, DC from 19-21 May, 2005 for 453 guests. This event was chaired by Michael Caito.
- Birthing of Giants Years 1-3 met in Dedham, Massachusetts, USA.
- The Aspen Family Conference was held 28 June – 1 July, 2005. Chaired by Marsha Ralls, this event provided the perfect opportunity to network with members while enjoying an educational and enriching family event.