

Keynote Speakers. The Annual International Conference for Collaboration & Innovation 2008 will be held at Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN. Monday morning begins with [Lorinda Baldwin](#) on "Empowerment & High Performance Teams at Parker Hannifin." Tuesday's morning keynote speaker is [Deborah Dunagan](#) on "Innovation at IBM."

The Conference for Collaboration and Innovation 2008 has two keynote speakers this year: Lorinda Baldwin and Deborah Dunagan. Below you may link to the keynote speaker's abstract and short internet biographies.



Lorinda Baldwin - ["Empowerment & High Performance Teams at Parker Hannifin."](#)

Parker Hannifin, a fortune 300 company with worldwide operations exceeding \$10 billion in sales has achieved four consecutive years of record setting performance. To sustain this growth Parker is engaging people in every role through empowerment to further our progress and assure our competitive advantage in the market place. Through Parker's WIN Strategy, we are focused on excellence in leadership and high performance engagement to involve every person in guiding Parker's future.



Deborah Dunagan - ["Innovation at IBM."](#)

Deborah Dunagan specializes in creating and implementing business transformations designed to enable organizations and industries to operate successfully in the emerging and changing marketplace of the 21st century. Ms. Dunagan's work is specifically focused on building innovation and intellectual property capabilities, aligning performance and learning strategies with business strategies, and building and sustaining environments and cultures that operate as eco-systems and enable innovation and creativity as part of the business strategy. Her work includes building capabilities through the integration of people, processes and technology to enable organizations to sense and respond to changes in the marketplace, reduce cycle times for learning and time to market activities, provide input to business strategies as "iterative strategy development" and to build trust and social capital within the business environment.