## January | Women in Government, Annual State Directors & Biennial First Term Legislators, St. Pete Beach, Fla.

Women In Government Foundation, Inc. is a national, non-profit, non-partisan organization of women state legislators that provides leadership opportunities, networking expert forums, and educational resources to address and resolve complex public policy issues to all 1,783 women state legislators. The conference addressed hot topics for the 2016 legislative sessions including economic development, education and workforce development, healthcare, criminal justice reform, adult obesity, and more.

## January | Colorado Women's Chamber of Commerce, Top 25 Powerful Women Gala, Denver

Southwest Airlines is a sponsor of the Top 25 Most Powerful Women Gala. The event celebrates and recognizes women who operate at the highest levels of business performance and community leadership.

## March | Friends of the San Francisco Commission on the Status of Women, Women's History Month Awards Ceremony and Reception, San Francisco

Southwest Airlines is a proud sponsor of the Friends of the San Francisco Commission Women's History Month Awards Ceremony. The Commission on the Status of Women (COSW) is a commission of the city and county of San Francisco whose purpose is to ensure women and girls equal economic, social, political, and educational opportunities throughout the city.

#### March | Connections to Success, Tribute Luncheon, St. Louis

Southwest Airlines is the official airline of the Tribute Luncheon, A Celebration of Women, to honor and celebrate successful women from all walks of life, and of all ages and professions.

## March I Hispanas Organized for Political Equality (HOPE), Latina History Day, Los Angeles

Southwest is the official airline of HOPE and supports their year-round Education programs. The goal of HOPE's Education programs is to promote and develop empowered Latinas. Key outcomes include creating a pipeline of Latina leaders and promoting an empowered Latina image.

#### March | Black Enterprise Women of Power Summit, Hollywood, Fla.

Southwest Airlines is a platinum sponsor of the conference. More than 800 mid-level to senior-level managers, "C-level" decision makers, HR offices, diversity officers, executives, and professionals gather for leadership, truth-owning, and empowerment.

#### March | Chicago Foundation for Women, Impact Awards, Chicago

Southwest Airlines proudly supports the Chicago Foundation for Women, which provides grants to non-profit organizations working to advance women's causes. The Chicago Foundation for Women's Impact Awards honors six Chicago leaders for their dedication to increasing resources and opportunities for women and girls in the Chicago area.

April, June, August, and October | Oakland Chamber of Commerce, East Bay Women in Business Roundtable Luncheon Series, Oakland, Calif.

Southwest Airlines is a proud series sponsor of the Women in Business Roundtable Luncheon Series.

April 7 | Dress for Success Worldwide, *Give Confidence, Hope & Style Gala*, New York Southwest Airlines is proud to support the *Give Confidence, Hope & Style Gala* where 800 to 1,000 of Dress for Success' friends and supporters gather to share in the transformation of Dress for Success clients from disadvantaged women to empowered professionals, excelling in both their careers and personal lives. Southwest is the official airline of Dress for Success Worldwide.

#### April 8 and June 9 | Buffalo Niagara Partnership, Power UP events, Buffalo, N.Y.

Southwest Airlines is a presenting sponsor of the 2016 Power UP events, hosted by the Buffalo Niagara Partnership. The Partnership welcomes the region's female leaders to inspire, educate and empower one another with a goal of seizing opportunities and setting goals to further career paths and personal growth.

**April 14 | Arizona Foundation for Women, 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Luncheon, Phoenix**Southwest Airlines is a presenting sponsor of the annual luncheon. Arizona Foundation for Women invests in the safety, health, and economic empowerment of women in Arizona.

April 20 | Women's Foundation of Southern Arizona, Annual Luncheon, Tucson, Ariz.

Southwest Airlines is the official airline of the Women's Foundation of Southern Arizona. The organization collaborates to achieve social, political, and economic change that empowers women and girls.

## April 26 | Central Exchange Leadership Lyceum, Kansas City, Mo.

Southwest is the official airline of the Central Exchange Leadership Lyceum, a regional women's leadership conference. With more than 400 programs a year, CX offers a wide variety of professional development opportunities and networking events that provide resources and connections for members to advance their careers and build their businesses.

## May 2 I Leadership California, Legacy of Leadership Awards, San Francisco

The mission of Leadership California is to increase the representation and influence of a diverse, accomplished, and inspired group of women leaders from across the state and sectors to educate and engage on the issues and cutting-edge trends facing California, the nation, and the world.

#### May 6 | Valle del Sol "Mom of the Year", Phoenix

Southwest Airlines is the official airline of Valle del Sol. "Mom of the Year" is a recognition event to honor women of diverse backgrounds for service to community and their exemplary role as a mother.

## May 10 I Hispanas Organized for Political Equality (HOPE), Latina Action Day, Sacramento, Calif.

Once a year, HOPE convenes in Sacramento 400 Latina leaders from all regions of California for an annual public policy issues conference. This one day conference is designed to facilitate dialogue between corporate and community Latina leaders and elected officials on public policy affecting Latinas in California.

### May 11 | Women Employed, The Working Lunch, Chicago

Southwest Airlines is proud to be the official airline of Women Employed. Women Employed works to expand educational and employment opportunities to low-income women seeking economic advancement and stability.

## May 14 | Friends of the San Francisco Commission on the Status of Women, Tea with San Francisco First Lady Anita Lee and Noosheen Hashemi, San Francisco

A gathering of girls, 9-12 years old will share their dreams with women leaders, developing their sense of self on topics about STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics) and learning confidence building skills in communications and tea etiquette.

## May 18-20 | WTS International (Women Transportation Seminar) Annual Conference, Austin, Texas

Southwest Airlines is a proud sponsor of the Women Transportation Seminar International Annual Conference, a three-day session where transportation leaders will exchange ideas and learn about the latest developments in transportation.

# May 19-21 | Women in Government, 19th Annual Western Regional Conference, Seattle Southwest Airlines is a proud sponsor of the Annual Western Regional Conference. This conference will convene women state legislators throughout the region to discuss cutting-edge public policy issues. Topics will include diabetes, energy, the environment, education, economic development, and more.

#### May 25 | Union County, Women Mean Business Summit, Kenilworth, N.J.

Southwest Airlines is a proud sponsor of the 2016 Union County Women Mean Business Summit, which helps women business owners and managers develop skills and meet challenges through workshops, panels, and networking opportunities.

## June 16 I El Paso Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Women's Business Border Center (WBBC) Conference, El Paso, Texas

The WBBC serves women who want to start or expand their business by providing information, training, and individual technical assistance.

## June 22-26 | WTS (formerly Women's Transportation Seminar) International Transportation YOU Youth Summit, Washington, D.C.

Transportation YOU's flagship conference is an opportunity for select Transportation YOU participants from across the country and their mentors to gather at a D.C. Youth Summit.

## July 29 | The National Association of Women Business Owners (NAWBO), Columbus Visionary Awards Gala, Columbus, Ohio

Each year, the NAWBO honors one Central Ohio woman business owner who has achieved success with her business while making notable contributions to her community, her industry, and to initiatives for other women in business.

#### Sept. 9 I Girl Scouts San Diego, Urban Campout, San Diego

Girl Scouting builds girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place. Southwest is the official airline of their annual fundraiser, Urban Campout.

### Oct. 8 I MANA de San Diego, Latina Success Conference, San Diego

The mission of MANA de San Diego is to assist young girls and women, by providing them with skills, tools and the support they need to succeed. Their award-winning educational programs do just that through mentoring, educational financial support, health & wellness, and leadership development workshops. Southwest is the official airline of MANA de San Diego and has support and presence at all of their educational programs.

## Date TBD I Wise Latina International, Wise Latina Summit, El Paso, Texas

The Wise Latina Summit promotes and encourages economic, educational, health, and sociopolitical empowerment for the betterment of Latinas, women, family, and community by utilizing and developing leaders while encouraging professional and personal development.

#### The Women's Foundation of California, Year-round partnership, Oakland, Calif.

The Women's Foundation of California is a publicly supported grantmaking foundation that invests in women as a key strategy for creating a California where all communities are healthy, economically secure and can thrive. The Foundation trains and invests in women to become policy advocates and philanthropic leaders who strengthen the economic well-being of California's women and their families. Southwest is the official airline of The Women's Foundation of California.