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Becoming A Values-Based Leader Harry M. Jansen Kraemer, Jr.

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Becoming the Best: Building a World-Class Organization Through Values-Based Leadership

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Monday, November 7, 2016, Becoming a Values-Based Leader, 7:00 PM, New Trier High School, Winnetka Campus, Gaffney Auditorium, 385 Winnetka Ave., Winnetka, 60093. What does it mean to be a values-based leader? When faced with real situations, how can you be your best self and create best teams while also being a best partner with customers and vendors, a best investment for your stakeholders, and a best citizen making a difference in the world? It's a tall order, but these are the expectations for world-class organizations today. Sometimes "doing the right thing" while also delivering outstanding and lasting results is difficult for leaders to achieve. Values-based leaders are needed more than ever in today's economic and political environment. **Harry M. Jansen Kraemer's** global experience as the former **Chairman and CEO of Baxter International**, a \$12 billion global healthcare company, will offer insights into the importance of self-reflection, balance, true self-confidence, and genuine humility in shaping leadership qualities.

When people discuss leadership, they sometimes assume you need to be older and have people reporting to you to be a leader, but this isn't true. Anybody can become a leader at any age, long before they have people reporting to them. Becoming a leader can start in high school, and even in elementary school. Prof. Kraemer will discuss the characteristics and principles that will enable everyone to become a values-based leader.

Prof. Kraemer is an executive partner with **Madison Dearborn Partners**, a private equity firm based in Chicago and a **Clinical Professor of Management and Strategy** at **Northwestern University's Kellogg School of Management**. He is the author of two bestselling leadership books: *From Values to Action: The Four Principles of Values-Based Leadership* and *Becoming the Best: Build a World-Class Organization Through Values-Based Leadership*. Prof. Kraemer became Baxter's chief executive officer in January 1999, and assumed the additional responsibility of chairman of Baxter's board of directors in January 2000. For his outstanding leadership and service, Prof. Kraemer received the **1996 Schaffner Award** from the Kellogg School of Management and in 2008 he was named the **Kellogg School Professor of the Year**.

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