

## From the Editor

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I write this *From the Editor* while in Moultonborough, New Hampshire, USA as we wait for a snow storm. We've retreated to this peaceful area since it's a three day Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday weekend before the start of the next academic semester at my university.

"If I cannot do great things, I can do small things in a great way", Martin Luther King, Jr. once said. King, an inspiration to everyone, did both. His actions were great and small. As we celebrate King, I reflect on actions that I can do to follow his lead. I hope you will do the same.

This issue of *WORK* contains six articles on a variety of topics, including a very special *Case Study Report* by occupational therapist Mary Anne Lewis titled, *Purely Patrick*; and two articles for the monthly special section on *Ergonomics in a Global World*. These articles are *Predicting Technology Usage by Health Information Need of Older Adults: Implications for eHealth Technology* and *Quality of Work Life and differences in Demographic Characteristics among Managerial Staff in Algerian tertiary sector*. They were oral presentations from the 2018 International Ergonomics Association (IEA) Congress in Florence, Italy.

The final seven articles make up a special section on *firefighters*. Firefighters' actions certainly are great and small. We honor them in this special section.

We hope that you have been enjoying our webinar series, *Learn at WORK*. If you missed any of the webinars, you can find the recordings at the *Learn at WORK* YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCOJaICXvSg9fPHaFFs48PuQ>

Here is the schedule for the upcoming 2019 *Learn at WORK* webinars which are in cooperation with the Human Factors and Ergonomics Society (HFES):

**Wednesday, March 13 2019, from 1pm-2pm Eastern Standard Time (EST):**  
*Ergonomics and Standing Desks* presented by Allison Mula.

Registration link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8218182406904670979>

**Wednesday, April 24 2019 from 1pm-2pm Eastern Standard Time (EST):**

*With a little help from our friends: Collaborative research partnerships in three workplace-based occupational disease research projects* presented by Desre Kramer and Emily Haynes.

Registration link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3911180955674224130>

**Wednesday, May 22 2019, from 1pm-2pm Eastern Standard Time (EST):**

*More than a job: Career development of individuals with cystic fibrosis* presented by Pablo S. Saldana.

Registration link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6460900040982414594>

**Wednesday, June 12 2019 from 1pm-2pm Eastern Standard Time (EST):**

*The efficacy and efficiency of disability management in job retention and job reintegration: A Systematic Review* presented by Dominique Van de Velde.

Registration link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8674132286757505795>

**Wednesday, August 21 2019 from 1pm-2pm Eastern Standard Time (EST):**

*Perspectives on the use of a telehealth service-delivery model as a component of school-based occupational therapy practice* presented by Daniel Rortvedt.

Registration link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5243087562007142145>

**Wednesday, September 18 2019, from 1pm-2pm Eastern Standard Time (EST):**

*Decent Work, Work Motivation and Psychological Capital: An empirical research* presented by Tânia Ferraro.

Registration link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2229869349017379329>

**Wednesday, October 16 2019, from 1pm-2pm Eastern Standard Time (EST):**

*The impact of customer incivility and verbal aggression on service providers: A systematic review* presented by Valentina Sommovigo.

Registration link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1164081940462995457>

**Wednesday, November 27 2019, from 1pm-2pm Eastern Standard Time (EST):**

*Job satisfaction and its related factors among dentists: A cross-sectional study* presented by Joanna Kobza.

Registration link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7542927240404548355>

As always, I welcome hearing from you.

All my best,

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