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Creating learning organizations; improvisation and sustainability in organizations; appreciative inquiry as a positive mode of action.

Frank Barrett, PhD, is a member of the doctoral faculty in the School of Leadership Studies at Fielding Graduate University. Frank is also an active jazz pianist. In addition to leading his own trios and quartets, he has traveled extensively in the United States, England, and Mexico with the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra.

Education/Learning, Training and Development, Research

Appreciative Inquiry, Improvisation and Organizational Innovation, Organizational Learning, Spiritual Development, Social Impact of Information Technology, Global Studies

Academy of Management : Member

Weatherhead School of Management, Case Western Reserve University

PhD Organizational Behavior

University of Notre Dame

MA International Relations

University of Notre Dame

BA English Literature

Co-Winner of Best Paper Award

(2003) Awarded for Planning on Spontaneity: Lessons from Jazz for a Democratic Theory of Change

Co-Winner of Best Paper Award

(1988) Awarded by the Organizational Development Division of the National Academy of Management

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