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Ellspermann Pick A Work Force Play

A member of the search committee who helped select Sue Ellspermann as the next president of Ivy Tech Community College says the former lieutenant governor will be

charged with taking on "the next key item" for the state. Indianapolis-based Thompson Distribution Co. Inc. Chief Executive Officer John Thompson believes Ellspermann has the skills to "get it done" when it comes to narrowing the skills gap. From the beginning, Ellspermann has cited the opportunity to address work force challenges as a primary reason for her interest. [Read More](#)

Thompson says Indiana has an "urgent need." [Listen](#)

Ellspermann says Ivy Tech is Indiana's "biggest machine" for work force development. [Listen](#)

Conference Mission: Career Readiness

Public sector, private sector and education leaders will meet today at an event focusing on improving career readiness for Indiana college graduates. E2E Convergence, which will be held on the IUPUI campus, aims to better align the needs of employers with college preparation. [Read More](#)

Indiana University Associate Director for Economic Development Joe Carley tells Inside INdiana Business says a wide range of industries could benefit from the discussions. [Listen](#)

Grace Autosport Bows Out Before Indy

The first INDYCAR team made up of all women will not meet its goal of racing in this year's Indianapolis 500. Grace Autosport says, despite a high level of interest from partners ranging from sponsors to manufacturers, "the missing component was a viable race car." [Read More](#)

Michigan City Company to Expand

Michigan City Paper Box Co. has received tax abatement to expand its



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facility. The more than century-old company plans to invest \$1.2 million to add new technology and... [Read More](#)

President to Award Medal to Purdue Researcher

A Purdue University research professor emerita will receive the highest honor from the president of the United States for technological achievement this afternoon. During a ceremony at the White House, Nancy Ho will be given a National Medal of Technology and Innovation. [Read More](#)



Republic Inks Pilot Pipeline Agreement

Indianapolis-based Republic Airways Holdings Inc. has signed a Career Pipeline Interview Agreement with Ohio State University. The deal aims to address an industry pilot shortage by allowing for conditional job offers before students graduate. [Read More](#)

Eleven Fifty Acquires Apprenticeship Program

Eleven Fifty Academy in Carmel has acquired an apprenticeship program and hired a Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology graduate to serve as the program's director. Tiffany Trusty will lead the program, which was previously under the control of Eleven Fifty Consulting. [Read More](#)

Butler Coach Lands Contract Extension

Butler University has extended its men's basketball coach's contract. Chris Holtmann's new deal runs through the 2021-2022 season. [Read More](#)

Pence to Cut Ribbon on Nature Preserve

Governor Mike Pence will cut the ribbon this morning on the Meltzer Woods Nature Preserve. The preserve, which covers 60-acres in Shelby County, is the state's last unprotected old-growth forest. [Read More](#)

Indy Chamber Earns National Recognition

The U.S. Secretary of Commerce has awarded the Indy Chamber the President's "E" Award for Export Service. The chamber says honor is given for making a significant contribution to the expansion of U.S. Exports. [Read More](#)

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Perspectives

Four Mistakes People Make When Planning For Retirement

By: Leo LaGrotte, Chief Executive Officer, Life Settlement Advisors

A generation ago, people talked about retirement like a comfortable, boring inevitability. Today, aging workers and up-and-comers alike fear they'll never reach that kind of financial security. Unfortunately, this fear can prevent many from even trying to achieve the dream of a stable retirement. Regardless of your life's ups and downs, here are the four worst mistakes you can make when planning for retirement. [Read More](#)

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Futures Point to Lower Opening

Dow: 17,434.00 (-45.00)

Nasdaq: 4,318.00 (-14.25)

S & P: 2,036.00 (-5.50)

Oil: 46.98 (-1.21)

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Events Calendar*



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Saturday, May 21

- [Indiana University Health Arnett Health & Safety Fair](#)

Tuesday, May 24

- [2016 Food & Agriculture National Conference](#)
- [Executive Speaker Series](#)

Wednesday, May 25

- [Mergers and Acquisitions: An Environmental Compliance Perspective](#)

Thursday, May 26

- [Tilson Webinar: Combating Workplace Harassment](#)

Friday, May 27

- [Adobe Illustrator Level 2 Workshop](#)

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