BEING FUTURE-READY IN THE NOISY NOW A conversation with Bob Johansen and Scott James October 19, 2023 6:30-7:30 pm

On the eve of the annual "Great Shakeout," (October 19th) please join us for an uplifting and interactive dialogue between a voice from the future looking back (Bob Johansen, a futurist) and a voice from the present looking forward (Scott James, a community organizer).

Bob and Scott, both Bainbridge Island residents, will discuss the mindset it will take to thrive in a world that is increasingly volatile, uncertain, complex, and ambiguous. We'll look at how we can individually and collectively be more prepared in the present.

We don't have to be victims. We do have agency. We don't have to be helpless. We can be resilient. This hopeful conversation will show you how to be more future-ready in practical, satisfying, and impactful ways.

This will be a fascinating discussion by two of Bainbridge Island's most forward thinkers. Don't miss it!

The event is 6:30pm, October 19, 2023. Seating is limited. RSVP now: <u>https://www.eagleharborbooks.com/event/being-future-ready-noisy-now-</u> <u>conversation-authors-bob-johansen-and-scott-james-october-19-2023</u>

Bob Johansen is a 50-year futurist and author with Institute for the Future, the world's longest running futures think tank in Silicon Valley. He's authored

or co-authored twelve books detailing coming changes to our workplace and how we can prepare for those changes now. His discussion this evening will focus on information found in his two most

recent books Full-Spectrum Thinking, which focuses on the need for a futureback mindset and his latest book, Office Shock: Creating Better Futures for Working and Living (co-written with IFTF colleagues Joseph Press and Christine Bullen).

Scott James is a social entrepreneur, community organizer and author of Prepared Neighborhoods, the influential book that spawned a nationwide community preparedness movement. Prepared Neighborhoods walks you step-by-step through creating a more resilient, enjoyable and prepared community. He is the Founder and Board Chair of Bainbridge Prepares.

Full-Spectrum Thinking, Office Shock and Prepared Neighborhoods are available now at Eagle Harbor Book Co. on Winslow Way E. and via our website. All three books will be available for sale and signing by their respective author at the event.





