Friday, April 5, 2019 | 3:30 p.m.
Skogen Auditorium-1400 Centennial Hall
308 N. 16th St. | La Crosse
Reception following lecture in Cameron Hall of Nations

Tom Wargolet
The Misfit Numbers Guy: Expanding Career Experiences Beyond Accounting & Finance

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Wargolet is responsible for sales, field execution, operations, marketing and customer service for the Lifetouch Schools, the national leader in school photography built on the enduring tradition of “Picture Day.” Wargolet started his career in public accounting and held various CFO positions before joining Lifetouch in 2005.

During his presentation Wargolet will share how he accumulated various operating experiences throughout his career that helped him transition to his current leadership role. He will also share his experiences in the acquisition integration with Shutterfly.

Wargolet is a 1985 UWL graduate with a bachelor of science in accountancy. He lives in Eden Prairie, Minnesota, with his wife of 33 years, Cindy (Kind), an ’85 UWL graduate. They have three grown children: Katie, a ’12 UWL graduate, Kyle and Samantha.

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