## Kick Start The New Year

As we start the New Year, so many of us reflect upon what it would be like to make this year a better one. Instead, what if we think about how we can make it happen? How does the reality

that we want to see actually manifest? It happens by first figuring out where you want to go and removing the obstacles that are stopping you from getting there.



## A Better Version of Myself



I have returned home from my EO adventure in Istanbul, Turkey. What an amazing time with 800 91 F 0 entrepreneurs from chapters in 39 countries around the world! We heard many interesting speakers, including the Turkish Prime Minister Tayyip Erdogan, who sent a

recorded message for us. He told us about their country's openness to trade and commerce. They are the fastest growing <u>G-20 nation</u> at 8.5%.

## What are your dreams?

What an interesting week! Last week, I traveled to New York City to participate in the <u>Entrepreneurs' Organization</u> Injected Campus event, which brings the regional EO Forums together. We met in lower Manhattan to be close to the <u>New</u> <u>York Stock Exchange</u>.

This year during our event, the NYSE opening bell was rung by <u>InvenSense</u>, a company that makes the motion possible in the Wii and in smartphones. InvenSense was launching their IPO and was going public. I had always wanted to be there in person to see the opening bell, but it also made me think of my own dream of being up there to ring the bell with the IPO launch of my own company. That evening, it felt a little closer as my friends on the Global EO Board got to be on stage and ring the closing bell! WOW! Click <u>here</u> to see the video I took of the opening bell.