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The Topeka Chapter of AGA Presents our:

Spring Professional Development Seminar on ETHICS



May 19, 2010

8:00-5:00

Jayhawk Tower;
7th & Jackson in
Downtown
Topeka.

**We hope
you will
join us
for this
inform-
ative
Seminar!**

The Second 2010 Spring Professional Development Seminar will be held in Topeka, Kansas. This Seminar is being hosted at the Jayhawk Tower, Florentine Room. Jayhawk Tower is located in downtown Topeka on the corner of 7th & Jackson.

Lunch and break items are included in the Registration Fee. The Seminar provides a full seven hours of CPE.

Travel: Take the Eighth Street Exit from I-70 in downtown Topeka and travel West to Jackson. Turn right to 7th Street. Visitor parking is available in the Department of Transportation Parking Lot at 7th & Henderson (one block West of the Jayhawk Tower) and the State Capitol Parking Garage.



Barbara Carswell
Director of Human Resources
for Capitol Federal presents,
"Fooled by a Feeling: How do
we make decisions? And how
can we make those decisions
better? "



Dr. Andrew Allison
Director of the Kansas Health
Policy Authority presents,
"National Health Reform:
What the new law does and
what it means for Kansas"



Bernie Hayen
Director of Finance for the
City of Manhattan and
Adjunct Professor at Kansas
State University

AGA Audio Conference – *"Those Faint Signals: Learning to Catch Ethical Slippage Before It's Too Late."* AGA, in conjunction with the National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers and Treasurers (NASACT) and the Association of Local Government Auditors (ALGA), is pleased to announce a new and increasingly important topic to our audio conference schedule – cases of ethical lapses.

During this audio conference, the presenter will recount some recent ethical lapses in government and examine the causes and effects. By examining a series of ethical lapses, we find that a pattern emerges. That pattern allows us to think about this question: What is it in the culture of an agency that allows obvious ethical breaches to occur and continue? Once we understand the culture, we can think about putting the detection methods, as well as antidotes, in place.

Marianne M. Jennings, JD, Professor in the Department of Management in the W.P. Carey School of Business at Arizona State University (ASU).

Registration Fees

Member	\$140
Non-Member	\$170
CPE	7 hrs

Registration Time:

8:00 - 8:30 AM

1st Session Starts:

8:30 AM

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Schedule of Events

08:00—08:30	Registration— Continental Breakfast
08:20 – 08:30	Welcome
08:30 – 09:30	Barbara Carswell — <i>“Fooled by a Feeling: How do we make decisions? And how can we make those decisions better?”</i>
09:30 – 09:40	Break
09:40 – 10:30	Dr. Andrew Allison — <i>“The new Federal Health Care Reform Act and what it means for Kansas.”</i>
10:30—10:40	Break
10:40—11:30	Dr. Andrew Allison — <i>“The new Federal Health Care Reform Act and what it means for Kansas.” (Cont.)</i>
11:40 – 12:50	Lunch
12:00—12:30	Eileen Doran , Director of YMCA’s Center for Safety & Empowerment (Formerly the Battered Women’s Task Force)
01:00 – 02:50	AGA Audio Conference – <i>“Those Faint Signals: Learning to Catch Ethical Slippage Before It’s Too Late.”</i> AGA, in conjunction with the National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers and Treasurers (NASACT) and the Association of Local Government Auditors (ALGA), is pleased to announce a new and increasingly important topic to our audio conference schedule – cases of ethical lapses.
03:00 – 3:15	Break— Snacks
03:15 – 4:50	Bernie Hayen —A discussion of ethics in the workplace; <i>“How to identify lapses in judgment. Step One: Don’t overlook the obvious.”</i>

Our Annual Door Prize Extravaganza includes tickets for the Lied’s Center at KU; Topeka Civic Theatre; and the Topeka Symphony!