# 58<sup>th</sup> County Auditors Institute

May 3-6, 2016 | DoubleTree Hotel North | Austin, Texas

### Monday, May 2, 2016

 4:00 – 7:00 p.m.
 EARLY CHECK-IN for New County Auditors Training and the County
 DoubleTree Hotel

 Auditors Institute
 Lobby

#### Tuesday, May 3, 2016

10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	CHECK-IN	DoubleTree Hotel Lobby	
1:00 – 1:50 p.m.	<u>OPTIONAL SESSIONS</u> DeZavala	Phoenix Ballroom South and Central	
	OS – I A Ethics & Values for Texas CPAs & Accounting Professionals*	OS – I B Ethics for Everyone Else Marya Crigler, Travis County Appraisal District	
1:50 – 2:00 p.m.	BREAK		
2:00 – 2:50 p.m.	OS – II A Ethics & Values for Texas CPAs & Accounting Professionals ( <i>cont.</i> )	OS – II B 1099 vs W-2 Steve O'Brien, IRS	
2:50 – 3:10 p.m.	REFRESHMENT BREAK		
3:10 – 4:00 p.m.	OS – III A Ethics & Values for Texas CPAs & Accounting Professionals ( <i>cont.</i> )	OS – III B Dedicated Funds: That's SO Special! Paul Miles, Texas Association of Counties	
4:00 – 4:10 p.m.	BREAK		
4:10 – 5:00 p.m.	OS – IV A Ethics & Values for Texas CPAs & Accounting Professionals ( <i>cont.</i> )	OS – IV B Implementing a Fraud Prevention Program Cecily Raiborn, Texas State University – San Marcos	
5:30 p.m.	Welcome Reception Sponsored by the LBJ School of Public Affairs and	Lobby Colonnade Pattillo, Brown & Hill, L.L.P. and Dover's	

\* 4-hours TSBPA ethics session is available for an additional fee.



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## Wednesday, May 4, 2016

7:30 a.m.	<b>BREAKFAST WITH THE EXHIBITORS</b> Hot breakfast provided by the LBJ School of Public Affairs		Pre-Function Area		
8:30 – 8:50 a.m. 8:50 – 9:40 a.m.	<u>WELCOME REMARKS</u> Motivate Your Team and Yourself Kent Hutchison, CJ Baxter Group		Phoenix Ballroom		
9:40 – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Payroll Audits</b> John Reynolds, Retired				
10:30 – 10:50 a.m.	BREAK				
10:50 – 11:45 a.m.	County Area/Regional Meetings				
11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN				
	Phoenix Ballroom South	Phoenix Ballroom Central	Phoenix Ballroom North		
<u>SESSIONS</u> 1:00 – 1:50 p.m.	<b>I A Business Writing Skill</b> Jen Cooper, LBJ School of Public Affairs	l <b>B</b> Interviewer Techniques/Skills Ed Martin, Sage Investigations	I C Understanding Appraised Value and Exemptions Marya Crigler, Travis County Appraisal District		
1:50 – 2:00 p.m.	BREAK				
2:00 – 2:50 p.m.	II A Business Writing Skill – REPEAT Jen Cooper, LBJ School of Public Affairs	<b>II B</b> Auditing Registry Accounts Timothy Morton, Dallas County Auditors Office	II C What Controls Should You Have for ProCards Gilbert Jalomo, Fort Bend County Purchasing Agent		
2:50 – 3:10 p.m.	REFRESHMENT BREAK				
3:10 – 4:00 p.m.	III A Responsibility of Fiscal Officer for Juvenile or Adult Probation James Williams, Director of Probation and Community Services, TJJD	III B Common Investment Mistakes Ken Couch, PFM Asset Management LLC	III C Purchasing Policy – What Should It Include? Gilbert Jalomo, Fort Bend County Purchasing Agent		
4:00 – 4:10 p.m.	BREAK				
4:10 - 5:00 p.m.	IV A GASB Michael Granoff, LBJ School of Public Affairs	IV Common Investment Mistakes - REPEAT Ken Couch, PFM Asset Management LLC	IV C What Controls Should You Have for ProCards REPEAT Gilbert Jalomo, Fort Bend County Purchasing Agent		
5:30 p.m.	<b>Dinner Buffet</b> - Sponsored by Indigent HealthCare Solutions and McCreary, Pappasito's Cantina Veselka, Bragg & Allen, PC				

Thursday, May 5, 2016				
7:30 a.m.	<b>BREAKFAST WITH THE EXHIBITORS</b> Hot breakfast provided by the LBJ School of Public Affairs	Pre-Function Area		
8:30 – 10:10 a.m.	You <u>Can</u> Handle the Truth: <b>Truth in Taxation and Tax Rate Calculation</b> & Adoption	Phoenix Ballroom		
	Debbie Wheeler, Perdue, Branden, Fielder, Collins & Mott			
10:10 – 10:30 a.m.	BREAK			
10:30 – 11:20 a.m.	<b>Economic Outlook</b> Sandy Leeds, McCombs School of Business, The University of Texas at Austin	Phoenix Ballroom		
11:20 a.m. – 12:10 p.m.	<b>FUN-damentals of Budget Prep</b> Wally Hardgrove, Budget and Fiscal Policy Office of El Paso			
12:10 – 1:30 p.m.	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN			
1:30 – 3:10 p.m.	Common Sense Presentation	Phoenix Ballroom		
3:10 – 3:40 p.m.	REFRESHMENT BREAK			
3:40 – 4:30 p.m.	County Population Size Roundtable Sessions			
4:30 p.m.	ADJOURN – DINNER ON YOUR OWN			

## Friday, May 6, 2016

7:30 a.m.	<b>BREAKFAST WITH THE EXHIBITORS</b> Hot breakfast provided by the LBJ School of Public Affairs	Pre-Function Area/ Phoenix North
8:30 – 9:20 a.m. 9:20 – 10:10 a.m.	Grant Policy & Procedures - FEMA Paula Kay Logan, Texas Division of Emergency Management How to Work with Difficult People Suzynn Skaggs, Solara Consulting	Phoenix Central and South
10:10 – 10:30 a.m.	BREAK	
10:30 – 11:20 a.m.	<b>The Great Ones: Habits of Highly Successful County Auditors</b> Ed Dion, Rick Dollahan, Virginia Porter, Deborah Stevens, and James Wells Facilitator: Dr. Barry Bales	Phoenix Central and South
11:20 – 11:30 a.m.	Closing Remarks	
11:30 a.m.	ADJOURN THE 58 <sup>TH</sup> COUNTY AUDITORS INSTITUTE	