



## Resources for Chapter CGFM Chairs

### CGFM Site

This portion of AGA's website contains a wealth of information about the CGFM Program, including application form and procedures, different ways to prepare for the examinations, content outline of each examination, and information on how to maintain the CGFM designation. [www.agacgfm.org/cgfm/cgfmdefault.aspx](http://www.agacgfm.org/cgfm/cgfmdefault.aspx). Visit the "CGFM News" page ([www.agacgfm.org/cgfm/news.aspx](http://www.agacgfm.org/cgfm/news.aspx)) for the latest CGFM updates and learn who recently earned the CGFM in your chapter on the "New CGFM" page at [www.agacgfm.org/cgfm/new.aspx](http://www.agacgfm.org/cgfm/new.aspx).

### CGFM Regional Coordinators

The Regional Coordinators serve as leaders in the region by assisting CGFM Chapter Chairs in promoting the CGFM credential and supporting individuals striving to attain the CGFM. Regional Coordinator rosters can be found in the Members Only section under "Regional Coordinators." <http://members.agacgfm.org>

### CGFM Listserv

The National Office maintains a listserv to disseminate information about CGFM news and activities (promotions, events, etc.), and share tips on promoting the CGFM in your chapter or state. Chapter CGFM Chairs are automatically added to the CGFM listserv at the beginning of the program year. To be added or removed, send an e-mail to **Katya Silver** at [ksilver@agacgfm.org](mailto:ksilver@agacgfm.org).

### CGFM Articles

The National Office sends out monthly articles related to the CGFM designation to both the CGFM listserv and to Chapter Communicators—we encourage you to publish those articles in your chapter newsletter. AGA also writes CGFM profiles highlighting the experiences and success of individual CGFM. Read past profiles at [www.agacgfm.org/publications/cgfm/cgfm\\_profiles.aspx](http://www.agacgfm.org/publications/cgfm/cgfm_profiles.aspx). Know of a CGFM who should be profiled? Contact **Katya Silver**.

### Members Only Site

This site has a variety of resources to help you promote the CGFM designation:

- "Chapter Successful Practices" section includes a list of dozens of tips on promoting the CGFM designation and a step-by-step success story of CGFM recognition.
- "Sample PowerPoint Presentations" section includes a CGFM presentation.
- "Recruitment" section has a link to "AGA Marketing Brochures," where you can order, at no cost, AGA and CGFM brochures. You can get CGFM ribbons by simply e-mailing **Katya Silver**.
- "Member Directory" gives chapter officers the capability to search for CGFM in their chapter or state.

<http://members.agacgfm.org>

### CGFM Month Initiative

Each year, chapter and regional leaders obtain state and local proclamations declaring March "CGFM Month." It is a great way to raise awareness about the CGFM designation. A sample proclamation can be found at [www.agacgfm.org/cgfm/downloads/SampleCGFMProclamation.doc](http://www.agacgfm.org/cgfm/downloads/SampleCGFMProclamation.doc). We encourage you to work with your CGFM Regional Coordinator to coordinate this initiative in your state.

### Government Financial Management (GFM) Courses

The National Office will work with you to bring the three GFM Courses to your chapter or agency. Help your chapter members earn CPE hours and prepare for the three CGFM Examinations. The courses are: *Governmental Environment* (8 CPE hours), *Governmental Accounting, Financial Reporting and Budgeting* (24 CPE hours) and *Governmental Financial Management and Control* (16 CPE hours). Course descriptions can be found at [www.agacgfm.org/education/gfm.aspx](http://www.agacgfm.org/education/gfm.aspx). Contact **Katya Silver** for more information.

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