

Earn Your CPE at Home, Office or Chapter



AGA AUDIO CONFERENCES

AGA is proud to announce its schedule of the very popular audio conference series for the 2010–2011 program year, beginning July 1, 2010. This cost-effective educational tool is only \$249 per phone line and attendance is unlimited. Just envision a 100-minute radio talk show that provides 2 continuing professional education (CPE) hours to the listeners. Further, since the last 20 minutes or so of the program is devoted to call-in questions, the audio conference provides interaction between the listeners and speakers.

The speakers are subject matter experts and will provide PowerPoint presentations or other handouts for the site coordinators to download and copy, as well as project to a screen, so participants can follow along during the telecast.

Lastly, CDs of the program will be available soon after the program is completed at a reasonable price. As you will see from the schedule below, AGA is planning 12 audio conferences this coming program year. But do not be surprised to see other audio conferences added to the schedule during the year as emerging issues come to light.

These telecasts are generally produced in conjunction with the National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers and Treasurers (NASACT) and the Association of Local Government Auditors. NASACT plans to do at least four additional audio conferences or webinars during the same period. Thus, you can earn at least 32 CPE hours from these training experiences.

The audio conferences are routinely held on Wednesdays from 2 – 3:50 p.m. EDT/EST unless otherwise noted. Please check the AGA website before each audio conference to ensure that there were no changes.

Upcoming Audio Conferences:

2010

AUGUST 11: Using Performance Measures to Improve Service Delivery

SEPTEMBER 29: Improving Program Performance & Accountability Through Cooperative Audit Resolution

OCTOBER 20: Achieving Transparency — The Next Step to Integrating Your Data

NOVEMBER 10: Fraud

DECEMBER 8: Internal Control and Risk Assessment—Thoughts from SAS 109 and 115

2011

JANUARY 19: Are We Winning the Improper Payments Battle?

FEBRUARY 2: Internal Controls

MARCH 2: Auditing Tools

MARCH 23: Improving Performance Reporting

APRIL 20: Fraud

MAY 18: Ethics

JUNE 8: Internal Controls

Questions about the audio conferences can be directed to Raymond Harris, CGFM, director of Chapter Operations and Audio Conference producer, at 800.AGA.7211, ext. 339, or rharris@agacgfm.org.

To learn more, visit the audio conference website at www.agacgfm.org/education/audioconferences/default.aspx.