

Nashville Notes



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Jennifer Garoutte 2019-2020 Chapter President

President's Letter

Hello everyone!

I hope you are all healthy and safe!

Normally our May newsletter is dedicated to covering our awards luncheon. Since we weren't able to have an awards luncheon and are still unsure of whether we will get to have an awards luncheon or committee member appreciation lunch in June, we have decided to hold off on making awards announcements in this newsletter. Be on the look out for a special edition of the newsletter to cover awards in June.

In the meantime, I would like to say that it has been an honor to serve as president of the Nashville Chapter. There are not enough words of thanks for each CEC member and committee member's contributions this year! While the year is not ending as anticipated, I want to commend our members for their efforts throughout the year and for pulling together at the end of the year to contingency plan.



President's Letter Continued...

While there are so many things to say, I need to give a special thanks to Scarlet Sneed. Scarlet has served for several years as our Meetings & Attendance Chair. As the Meetings & Attendance Chair, she has responsibilities before, during, and after every meeting of the chapter and CEC. These responsibilities are so numerous I tried listing them out below and ran out of space. She is also responsible for the annual committee appreciation luncheon. She does all of this while still serving on several other committees for AGA as well as ACFE. The next time you see Scarlet, please join me in thanking her for all she does for our chapter!

Until next time!

Jennifer



July 20–22 Virtual, 21 CPEs 20 PDUs				
Registra	Email/Mail/ Online PO/SF-182			
AGA member				
Early Bird (by June 19)	\$500	\$525		
Standard (after June 19)	\$550	\$575		
Non-Member				
Early Bird (by June 19)	\$600	\$625		
Standard (after June 19)	\$650	\$675		

AGA Webinars

Leadership June 10, 2020 William R. Snodgrass, TN Tower 1:00PM - 2:50PM







Event Updates

April 28, 2020 – SPRING BREAKFAST – **POSTPONED** – The Spring Training Breakfast is being postponed to the fall. For those who have already paid, you will have the option of a refund or to transfer your registration to the fall breakfast.

Renewal Extension! Due to the impact of COVID-19, national AGA has extended the deadline for renewing your CGFM to June 30! The CGFM renewal drawing (\$50 prize) will be held after this new deadline.

Awards luncheon information update will be sent via Google Groups when the meeting will be held.

CEC contingency meetings will be held via Skype/Telephone

Membership News

Recruiting New Members

As of May 12, 2020, our membership count was 365. The winner of the \$100 award for sponsoring the most new members between January 2020 and April 2020 was Drew Sadler. Continue to share the benefits of AGA membership with your coworkers and acquaintances. Sponsors receive three points and a \$10 gift card! Also, remember to renew your AGA membership.

Scholarship Winners



Jarius Battle

2020 Fawn W. Ellis Scholarship winner Jarius Battle is a hardworking, creative person at heart who will always strive to use his talents to do great things. Jarius graduates from Republic High School in May and will attend ETSU in the Fall of 2020. He plans to study Media and Communications. He has been an active volunteer with various community organizations and in many Nashville Chapter service projects. He is the son of Keevia Battle.



Natalie Anderson

2020 Fawn W. Ellis Scholarship winner Natalie Anderson graduated from Central Magnet School in 2019. Currently, she is a sophomore at UT Knoxville majoring in Kinesiology and minoring in Business Administration. She is a member of the Delta Zeta sorority, the Phi Eta Sigma honors society, and the Panhellenic Unity committee at the university. Natalie has been involved in many service projects in high school and in college. She is the daughter of Kathy Stickel.



Alexis Smith

2020 William R. Snodgrass Scholarship winner Alexis Smith graduates from Stewart County High School in Dover, Tennessee in May. After high school, she plans to attend the University of Tennessee at Martin to major in Accounting. While in high school, Alexis worked at Dill's Piggly Wiggly in Dover and took 21 credit hours of college classes through Austin Peay State University. She maintained a 4.0 GPA in her college classes as well as in high school.



Faith Poenitske

2020 William R. Snodgrass Scholarship winner Faith Poenitske lives in Brentwood, Tennessee and graduates from Grace Christian Academy in May. She plans to attend Samford University this fall to pursue a business major and a minor in dance. She loves to dance and has danced for 14 years. She also loves to travel and spend time with my family. Faith has a love for the art of dance, a passion for business and economics, and a heart for children. She has traveled out-of-country many times on mission trips.

Chapter Points

Final Points Standing as of March 31, 2020, is as Follows:			
Chapter Recognition Section	<u>Points</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	Percentage
Chapter Leadership, Planning & Participation	4,925	5,000	99%
Education & Professional Development	11,475	4,000	287%
Certification	7,400	4,000	185%
Communications	4,850	3,000	185%
Membership	4,700	4,000	73%
Accountability	700	2,000	35%
Community Service	2,300	2,000	115%
Awards	200	1,000	20%
Sponsorship	1,150	1,500	77%
TOTALS	36,550	26,500	138%

LUNCHEON/CEC MINUTES

To read the minutes from the most recent CEC and luncheon meeting, please visit the chapter website at www.nashvilleaga.org. The luncheon minutes will be presented for approval at the next business meeting scheduled for the next program year.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

From time to time,
departments forward job
opportunities to the
Website Committee, which
are posted for members
convenience. If you are
interested in new job
offerings or know someone
who is, go to this link for
detailed information
http://nashvilleaga.org
/jobs.html

EDITOR'S CORNER

We truly enjoy reading articles submitted from our membership. Please share your thoughts and ideas or interesting news with us by submitting your article to Britt.Wood@comcast.net no later than May 15, 2020 for the next edition of this newsletter. If you have any questions, please let me know.

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