

**NSAA/NASC JOINT MIDDLE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE**  
**The Skirvin Hotel, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma**  
**April 19-21, 2010**  
**DRAFT Program**

<i>Session Date/Time</i>	<i>Topic/Speaker</i>	
<b>Monday, April 19, 2010</b>		
<b>7:15 – 8:15 a.m.</b>	Registration and Continental Breakfast	
<b>8:15 – 8:30 a.m.</b>	Welcoming remarks	
<b>8:30 – 9:45 a.m.</b>	<i>General Session – Managing Through Times of Adversity</i> Vince Orza, Dean, Meinders School of Business, Oklahoma City University	
<b>9:45 – 10:05 a.m.</b>	Break	
<b>10:05 – 11:45 a.m.</b>	<i>GAO Hot Topics: What You Need to Know About Yellow Book, and More!</i> Marcia Buchanan, Assistant Director, U.S. Government Accountability Office	<i>Finance Roundtable</i> Moderator: Eric Berman, Deputy Comptroller, Massachusetts
<b>11:45 – 12:45 p.m.</b>	Lunch	
<b>12:45 – 2:50 p.m.</b>	<i>General Session – Interpersonal Development and Leadership</i> Dr. Marla Sanchez, Founder and CEO, Spectrum Development Inc.	
<b>2:50 – 3:10 p.m.</b>	Break	
<b>3:10 – 4:00 p.m.</b>	<i>General Session – Anti-Fraud, Waste and Abuse Program</i> Eric Berman, Deputy Comptroller, MA	
<b>4:10 – 5:00 p.m.</b>	<i>General Session – So...Should We Call the Feds?</i> Sheldon J. Sperling, United States Attorney - Eastern District of Oklahoma	
<b>5:30 – 6:30 p.m.</b>	Reception	

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<b>Tuesday, April 20, 2010</b>		
<b>7:30 – 8:30 a.m.</b>	Registration and Continental Breakfast	
<b>8:30 – 9:45 a.m.</b>	<i>General Session – State of the States: State Fiscal Outlook</i> Scott Pattison, Executive Director, National Association of State Budget Officers	
<b>9:45 – 10:05 a.m.</b>	Break	
<b>10:05 – 11:45 a.m.</b>	<i>Performance Audit Roundtable</i> Jeff Brown, Manager, Performance Audit Division, Office of the State Auditor and Inspector, OK	<i>GASB Update 2010</i> Frank Crawford, CPA, President, Crawford & Associates

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11:45 – 12:45 p.m.	Lunch
12:45 – 1:35 p.m.	<i>General Session –</i> Topic/speaker to be determined
1:45 – 2:35 p.m.	<i>General Session – American Recovery and Reinvestment Act</i> Steve Burrage, State Auditor and Inspector, OK
2:35 – 2:55 p.m.	<i>Break</i>
2:55 – 5:00 p.m.	<i>General Session – Effective Communication Through Writing</i> Kevin Dungey, Ph.D., and Harvey Lillywhite, Ph.D., Quality Communications Group, Inc.
5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	Reception

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<b>Wednesday, April 21, 2010</b>	
7:45 – 8:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast
8:30 – 10:10 a.m.	<i>General Session – The Risk Paradox</i> Payson Hall, Consulting Project Manager, Catalysis Group, Inc.
10:10 – 10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30 – 12:10 p.m.	<i>General Session – Data Analysis</i> Chris Pembroke, Deputy Director, Local Government and Special Services Division, Office of the State Auditor and Inspector, OK Hilaire Johnson, Supervisor, Performance Audit Division, Office of the State Auditor and Inspector, OK

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**CPE Information**

**Audit Track**

Conference Objectives: To update state auditors on developments in accounting and auditing issues.

Level of Knowledge: Overview.

Experience/Prerequisite: General understanding of governmental auditing.

CPE Credits: 20 credits for the Audit Track.

**Finance Track**

Conference Objectives: To update state financial staff about developments in accounting, auditing and related technology; to explore current trends and techniques in financial management of state government; and to provide training in management skills.

Level of Knowledge: Overview.

Experience/Prerequisite: General understanding of finance operations in state government.

CPE Credits: 16 credits for the Finance Track.



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