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Register Your Governing Body Members and Senior Staff for Governance Conference 2023

Registration for Governance Conference 2023 (March 5-8 in Orlando, FL) is open.

Pool executives and managers — now's the time to determine who from your pool will attend and invite them to join you in Orlando. We recommend member pools

register and reserve hotel rooms now in order to guarantee your spot in the AGRiP hotel block.

This conference is designed with **governing body members** in mind. We also recommend it for **leadership and senior staff**, and any staff who support **governance activities, member services or key operations**. It's packed with content that's relevant to these roles, and is a unique chance for them to get to know each other, as well as other governing body members and leaders in the field.

QEI Patrons — your primary contact will receive an email next week with your complimentary registration codes and information on how to register and access the hotel block.

ALL attendees will:

- Benefit from spending time with your colleagues and forming relationships with your peers in pooling.
- Leave with a greater understanding of pool governance and the most current issues in the industry, such as:
    - Practices of an ineffective governing body
    - Communication practices that enhance good governance
    - Governing body roles and responsibilities during executive change
    - Environmental, social and governance (ESG) requirements and expectations
    - Pool perspective on nuclear verdict data
    - Using data visualization to improve pool information sharing
    - Reinsurance realities in the current hard market, how to select the right reinsurance retention for your pool, and how to build an effective relationship with reinsurers

Visit the AGRiP website to register or see more information on the program, pricing and hotel.

What's Ahead for Pooling Academy

Join the more than 750 learners who have already expanded their public entity pooling knowledge.

Now is the time to enroll your new hires and governing body members in Pooling Basics before introductory group pricing for 11 or more licenses expires on Dec. 31.

Coming soon — several new Pooling Academy courses will be released early in 2023, including a hot topic on *The Role of Diversity and Inclusion in Pooling*.

In addition, four new courses in finance will cover:

- Operating Budgets — Budget Types and Revenues
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- Internal Controls and Data Management
- Financial Reporting Practices

For more information on group purchasing, our Pooling Basics curriculum or Pooling Academy in general, contact Michelle Bechamps.

Pooling Community Resources

RISK MANAGEMENT GUIDANCE FOR PUBLIC ENTITIES

- Guidance on personal protective equipment (PPE) for winter (Comp Alliance)
- New online library of resources related to injury prevention and safety culture available for members (NIRMA)

- Information on a no-cost toolkit to help prevent slipping on snow or ice (MCIT)
- Tips for creating complex passwords (NDIRF)
- Resources, training and tactics to help prepare for an active shooter (CSD Pool)
- Guidance on how to insure your heating system — including CO detectors — is working properly (LMCIT)

MEMBER-ORIENTED COMMUNICATIONS AND SERVICES

- Resources and guidance on the benefits of health coaching (SchoolCare)
- Information on the new 9-8-8 hotline that connects callers with mental health crisis counselors (LMCIT)
- Article about how a diverse risk pool provides more stability to your members (GSRMA)
- How to reduce exposures through property program grants (PRISM)

INDUSTRY INSIGHTS

- Resource providing information about critical issues facing the healthcare industry (Chubb, CEO-level QEI Patron)
- An exploration of quiet quitting and what it can mean for employers (WTW, CEO-level QEI Patron)
- Article about how to help your public entity members prepare for a catastrophic event (Sedgwick, Legacy-level QEI Patron)
- Guidance on how to help educators deal with stress and mental health issues (STOPit Solutions, CEO-level QEI Patron)

Visit QEI Spotlight for more industry insights.

Career Opportunities

- Special District Management Authority (SDRMA) is seeking a chief financial officer.
- TML Health Benefits Pool is seeking a chief legal officer.
- Alaska Public Entity Insurance (APEI) is seeking an administrative manager.

View more opportunities on our website.

In Case You Missed It

- As a new pool leader (or a new staff person in any role) how do you know what doing a "good" job looks like? This **recently recorded webinar — What Good Leadership Looks Like** from our 2021 resident Steve Trautman — will help you understand the parameters for good leadership and how to achieve it.
- In the Nov. 10 issue of eNews, we announced the **2023 Residency is Measures That Matter**, designed to help pools measure and articulate the value of pooling. We're forming a workgroup with a limited number of pools to determine starting metrics. If you're interested in participating, contact Devereaux Morkunas.

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