



2009 NAAG/NASCO CONFERENCE AGENDA

Omni Austin Hotel – Downtown Austin, Texas

Monday October 19, 2009

CHARITIES IN TROUBLED TIMES

MONDAY OCTOBER 19, 2009		
Time	Topic	Presenters
7:30 – 8:15	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	
8:15 – 8:30	Welcome and Introductions	Chris Cash, <i>NASCO President</i> , Andrew Weber, <i>Texas Attorney General's Office (First AAG)</i> , and Cindy Lott, <i>Charities Law Project of the State Attorneys General Program at Columbia Law School</i>
8:30 – 9:15	IRS Update	Lois Lerner, <i>Internal Revenue Service</i>
9:15 – 9:45	IRS Website Resources	Bobby Zarin, <i>Internal Revenue Service</i>
9:45 – 10:00	BREAK	
10:00 – 11:00	Corporate Governance Developments Affecting Nonprofits	Michael W. Peregrine, Esq., <i>McDermott, Will & Emery LLP</i>
11:00 – 12:00	Application of Charitable Trust Law to Charitable Corporations	Eric Carriker, <i>Massachusetts Attorney General's Office</i> , Marion Fremont Smith, <i>Hauser Center for Nonprofit Organizations</i> , and Evelyn Brody, <i>Chicago-Kent College of Law</i>
Noon – 1:30	LUNCH How Can Charities Deal with the Current Crisis?	Tom McLaughlin, <i>Nonprofit Finance Fund</i>
1:30 – 2:15	Small group discussions	
2:15 – 3:00	Current Issues in Hospital Regulation	David Spackman, <i>Massachusetts Attorney General's Office</i>
3:00 – 3:15	BREAK	
3:15 – 4:00	End of Life Issues for Charities	Tom McLaughlin, Jack Siegel, <i>Charity Governance</i> , Eric Carriker, <i>Massachusetts Attorney General's Office</i> , Susan Staricka, <i>Texas Attorney General's Office</i>
4:00-4:45	Bankruptcy Issues	Ron Sommers, <i>Nathan Sommers Jacobs</i> and Rob Yaquinto Jr., <i>Sherman & Yaquinto, LLP</i>
4:45-5:15	CRA Charities Directorate's Mandate and Compliance Issues	Danie Huppé-Cranford, <i>Canada Revenue Agency</i>
5:30 – 6:30	NASCO RECEPTION	