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Live sessions interspersed among pre-recorded content. Material will be recorded and archived for on-demand viewing later.

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- Panel discussion: Firms' plans for return to office - presented by Cushman & Wakefield
- Update on Oregon legislation re: new taxes - presented by Diana Strassmaier, CPA, CCIFP, Aldrich Advisors
- New covid relief incentives - presented by Justin McAnally, Director, Alliant Group
- How firms can utilize R&D tax credits - presented by Shane Hunt, Moss Adams
- Oregon legislative update - presented by Marshall Coba, CobraCo Government Affairs, ACEC Oregon Lobbyist
- And much more!



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SCHEDULE

Wed, Sept 15

4:00 to 6:00 P.M. – **Welcome Reception**

“Rain or Shine” in the outdoor covered area

The Lodge at Cascade Brewing (formerly Raccoon Lodge)

7424 SW Beaverton-Hillsdale Hwy., Portland, OR 97225

Thurs/Fri, Sept 16 & 17

8:00 A.M. to 12:00 NOON – **Conference** (virtual)



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WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This series is ideal for project managers, designers and engineers who are:

- Interested in a leadership track in their career
- Shifting their focus from projects to organizational and financial goals of the firm

**Develop your firm’s future leaders!
Enroll them in the Leadership Development Series**

Series of seven programs kicks off October 13.

Will be a hybrid of in-person* (in the Portland metro area) and on-line programs.

*In-person programs are subject to change due to COVID conditions.

OVERVIEW

- Presenters are key industry professionals.
- CPDs – Each session is good for accruing Continuing Professional Development credits.
- Individuals who attend the entire series will receive a certificate of completion and be recognized at the annual business event in May.

SAVE THE DATES

- Challenged by competing priorities
- Being asked to take on more responsibilities with the same resources
- New to managing multiple or complex projects
- New to managing people and teams

“The biggest challenge facing A/E firms today is development of our future leaders. We had several of our emerging leaders attend the ACEC Leadership Development program and the feedback I received was extremely positive. In particular, it helped them gain a broader perspective on the business aspects of consulting and we are already realizing the return on this investment in their leadership development.”

--Larry Fox, PE, COO, DOWL

COURSE OUTLINE: AT-A-GLANCE

Oct 13 - Enhancing Leadership Versatility & Personal Effectiveness

Nov 17 - Managing Time & Relationships

Dec 8 - Demystifying Business Development

Jan - OFF (no program)

Feb 9 - Political Involvement & QBS

Mar 9 - Risk Management for A/E Firms

Apr 13 - Financial Management for A/E Firms

May 11 - From Doer to Leader: Lessons Learned

PAST PARTICIPANTS SAY

“The series helped me by providing insightful methods, processes, practices and ways of thinking to continue to develop as a leader. Additionally, learning personality types and how to build a successful team with a well-rounded balance of different personality types was very insightful. I also gained knowledge about the Oregon political landscape, lobbying, how to have a voice and the state legislature.”

-- Craig Heimbucher, PE, Associate Engineer, Terraphase Engineering

“The ‘Enhancing Leadership Versatility and Personal Effectiveness’ session has helped me as I work with different team members. I have a new appreciation for different personalities and understand how they each can contribute to a positive project outcome.”

--Jared Trowbridge, PE, Project Manager, DOWL

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- [Lockton’s Kevin Holland Discusses the Surge in Cybercrime and How to Protect Your Firm](#)
- [Strong Towns’ Charles Marohn on Traffic Congestion, Federal Transportation Funding, and Stroads](#)

UPCOMING / SAVE THE DATE

- Sept 8 – [Duty to Defend update](#)

- Oct 7 – Salary & Benefits Survey Review (*morning educational program*)



COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENT

ODOT is hiring a new Communications Manager.

This position is responsible for leading a team of professionals in development and execution of ODOT's comprehensive strategic communications program. This position works closely with ODOT's executive team, staff across the agency, media, and external partners.



MORE INFO

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