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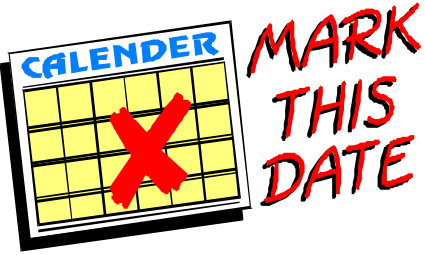
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**KENTUCKY SOCIETY
CERTIFIED PUBLIC
MANAGERS®**

**KSCPM SUMMER
LUNCHEON**

Aaron Thompson, Ph.D.

*Senior Vice President for
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Kentucky Council on
Postsecondary Education*

Tuesday, July 12, 2011

**DEPARTMENT OF
CRIMINAL JUSTICE
TRAINING, ECU**

RICHMOND, KY

President's Podium



The KSCPM 2011 Seminar will certainly be remembered as a successful event for our Society. The speakers were truly exceptional and left attendees with practical techniques on "How to make a difference during adverse times." This year's theme certainly mirrored our present day work environment. Managers must constantly challenge themselves to find innovative ways to create an environment of hope.

Fostering a positive forward thinking work atmosphere begins with communication. As shared throughout the conference, building relationships and creating a feeling of unity is essential.

As a Society, we are also facing challenges. The Personnel Cabinet's sponsored Certified Public Manager® Program has been placed on hold until a thorough review and possible redesign has been completed. The CPM Advisory Council met with Dr. Cherie Edwards, Chair/Associate Professor for the School of Public Administration, Kentucky State University, on April 14th. Dr. Edwards is gathering information and will be developing a proposal. The Society is hopeful that this proposal will reestablish the CPM Program and

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continue to promote the development of professional managers. Additional information will be shared as it becomes available.

Please mark your calendars for our next KSCPM event. The Summer Luncheon will be held on Tuesday, July 12 at 11:30, with our guest speaker presenting at noon. The luncheon will be held at Law Enforcement Complex, Eastern Kentucky University, Kit Carson Drive, Richmond, Kentucky.

Our Society is certainly moving in a very positive direction. All members are encouraged to remain involved and share ideas to promote continuous growth. With desire and purpose anything is possible.

Jennifer L. Woods, CPM
KSCPM President



KSCPM Board Meeting Minutes
February 8, 2011
Division of Securities Conference Room
1025 Capital Center Drive, Frankfort, KY
11:30 A.M. – 12:40 P.M.

Jennifer Woods, President, called the meeting to order at 11:30 A.M.

Attending: Katy Cave, Cassidy Connell, Gregory Giesler, Robinil Jameson, Lynn Keeling, Margaret Puckett, and Larry Totten

Absent: Carmen Bishop and Ande Godsey

Minutes: The minutes were passed out and Katy Cave made a motion to accept the minutes as presented, and Gregory Giesler seconded. The minutes of the December 7 meeting were accepted as presented.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer, Larry Totten, passed out the Financial statement as of February 8, 2011. Revenue total is \$1,240.83 and Expense total is 797.23. The

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budgeted revenue is \$6,860.00, and budgeted expenses are \$6,600.00, which does not include the \$2,000 budgeted for delegates/officers to attend the AACPM conference, that has not been used for the past two years. Interest rates have improved by a modest amount from .95 to 1.4%. The AACPM assessment has been paid and the dues must be paid in March.

Committee Reports:

Membership: We currently have 57 paid members. A motion was made by Robinil Jameson to spend up to \$250 dollars on a membership gift. The motion was seconded by Katy Cave and passed. Robinil has suggested a small black notebook with gold logo as the gift. There are three new membership packets to be completed. Robinil Jameson and Committee Chair Lynn Keeling will get together for the exchanging of information and assembling the membership packets.

Program: Cassidy Connell, Chair, asked questions, as she is preparing for the events of the year. The group agreed that the seminar should be around the second week in May, after Derby. We want to avoid April 18-20, because the Southern Regional IPMA meeting is in Louisville which represents 11 states.

There was a discussion of adding a third line to the conference registration form for conference registration and membership dues. The board discussed a \$500 cap on gifts for the conference. The History Center was the choice of the group for the May seminar. Ideas for speaker were discussed and a list was started. Cassidy Connell will send a list of theme ideas to the board for ideas or selection.

The July summer meeting was discussed too. Ande Godsey will be the contact at DOJT for reserving a room, which will determine the date.

Finance Committee: Chair, Gregory Giesler, had no report.

Publications and Publicity Committee: Robinil did announce that the Governor's office will be glad to send out the seminar information this year. Cassidy is to get the information to Robinil as soon as possible. KSCPM had an article in the AACPM Newsletter.

Awards: No report

Legislative Update: On February 4, Representative Derrick Graham recognized the Kentucky Society of Certified Public Managers® and professional state employees with a House

Floor Citation. He had the assembled members stand to be recognized. A picture was taken during the event, which will be in the upcoming newsletter. To view the citation you can go to KET's legislative coverage:

http://www.ket.org/cgi-bin/cheetah/watch_video.pl?nola=WGAOS+012034&altdir=&template=

GSC Update: Jennifer Woods contacted Acting Executive Director, Wes Swarner, about setting up a meeting with the new Personnel Cabinet Secretary, Tim Longmeyer. The meeting took place on Thursday, February 3. The group consisting of Jennifer Woods, Robinil Jameson, and Larry Totten were favorably encouraged by the support for the program. Mr. Swarner has a meeting with Dr. Mary Sias, President of Kentucky State University on February 16, about the program. A reestablishment of the KCPM Advisory Council will be helping with the program and working to improve the relationship with GSC and the Society. The representatives from KSCPM will be President Woods, and Larry Totten by an accepted motion of the KSCPM board.

New Business: None

Larry Totten requested events be sent to him for the website calendar once dates have been selected.

Adjournment 12:40 P.M.



KSCPM President Jennifer L. Woods and Rep. Rick Rand

KSCPM Seminar

Society members attended an all day session held at the Kentucky History Center in Frankfort, Kentucky, on May 11. The theme of the seminar was "Making a Positive Difference During Adverse Times." Attendee survey responses were favorable for all five of our guest speakers with such comments as: 'Very useful information', 'Good rapport with audience', 'Truly enjoyable', 'Did better job than expected'. More than one overall comment said that it was by far the best seminar to date. Did you attend?

If you didn't, you missed out on Al Cornish's 'semi-fabulous' prizes. Al is the System Vice President Learning & Organizational Development/Chief Learning Officer with Norton Healthcare. He started the morning off with an exercise to engage minds. Attendees also participated in two brainstorming exercises, the results can be found on the KSCPM webpage.

Other speakers included, Colmon Elridge, Executive Assistant to the Governor, who explored the seminar theme and advised managers to encourage risks, set priorities in difficult times and simplify. Mr. Elridge presented President Jennifer Woods a proclamation issued by Governor Steven L. Beshear, designating Tuesday, May 11, 2011 as Kentucky Certified Public Managers® Day in celebration of the accomplishments of all state employees who have achieved this prestigious designation, and to encourage all agencies of the Commonwealth to continue their participation in the Kentucky Certified Public Managers® Program.

Representative Rick Rand, Chairman of the House Appropriations and Revenue Committee shared his experiences in building and managing relationships with the legislative leadership team. He also pointed out that Kentucky has managed to maintain its level of services in comparison to other states.

After a delicious buffet lunch, attendees had time to tour the exhibits at the History Center or visit the various booths in the resource area, before the next session began. Always a seminar favorite, KSCPM member and GSC instructor, Katy Cave, began the afternoon session with an outdoor exercise, designed to explore the role of trust in adverse times. The final speaker of the day Dr. William H. Crouch Jr., President of Georgetown College, talked to the group about the word 'making' in the seminar title being an action word that makes an impact. He said, "You may be the only person during difficult times with the skills to make a positive difference and must step up."



**Treasurer's Report
Financial Statement
May, 31, 2011**

Wilkinson Scholarships

KSCPM/AACPM members may apply for a one-year Wilkinson scholarship to support educational pursuits. The Deadline is August 1st. KSCPM member Patrick Brown, Department of Criminal Justice Training, was a 2007 Scholarship recipient, Rebecca Conley, Department of Financial Institutions, a 2008 recipient and Lynn Keeling, GAPS, a 2010 recipient. Scholarship funds are up to \$750 per year; an application should soon be on the AACPM website:

<http://www.cpmacademy.org/pdf/Scholarship>.

Spotlight on KSCPM Members

Income:	
Member Dues/2011	\$1,685.00
Member Dues/2012	270.00
Lunch Events	50.00
KSCPM Seminar	3,050.00
Bank Interest	2.34
	<u>\$5,057.34</u>
Total Receipts	\$5,057.34
Expenses:	
Website	450.00
AACPM Dues	1,080.00
Lunch Events	628.78
KSCPM Seminar	1,985.16
Awards & Tokens	285.29
Printing & Postage	261.34
Purchase of Mdse	150.93
Misc	78.07
	<u>\$4,919.57</u>
Total Expenses	\$4,919.57
Net Income	137.77
Beginning Balance	** 9,478.41
Ending Balance	++ <u>9,616.18</u>



Pat Bryan, CPM was elected as President of the Bluegrass West Chapter of the Kentucky Public Retirees in May, 2011 and appointed to the State Board as the Assistant Treasurer.

**Kentucky Public Procurement Association
Board Members**

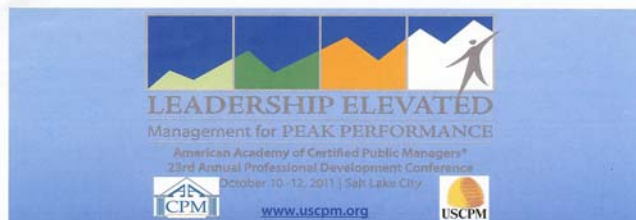
** CD's - \$2,215.80 @ 0.900%
\$2240.02 @ 0.9500%
\$2117.37 @ 1.140%

++ Includes \$5,000/2011 projected Utah Conference HOD expenses



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Term Expires 2013
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Climb to the peak of leadership success in
Salt Lake City, Utah
October 10-12, 2011

<http://www.uscpm.org/CPM-2011-National-Conference.html>

Scenes from
KSCPM 2011 Seminar
May 11, 2011
THOMAS D. CLARK CENTER for KENTUCKY HISTORY
"Making A Positive Difference During Adverse Times"



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Summer Luncheon

Tuesday, July 12, 2011

11:30 a.m. - Lunch

12:00 p.m. - Speaker

Funderburk Building, room 308

Law Enforcement Complex, Eastern Kentucky University

Kit Carson Drive, Richmond

Check-in will be in the main lobby of the Funderburk Building. Permits will be issued for parking.

Special Guest Speaker

Aaron Thompson, Ph.D.

Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs

Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education

Box lunch will be served. Cost: \$8.50

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Payment and Registration form must be received by Friday July 8, 2011. **Payment must accompany registration.**

Reservations: Member Guests: _____ Amount: \$_____

NAME: _____

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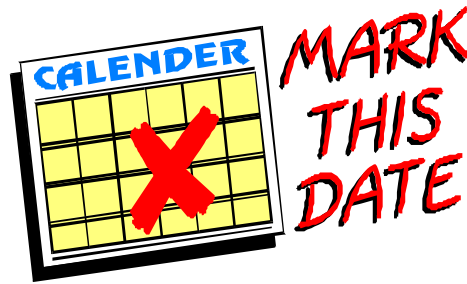
Kentucky Society 2011 Calendar – Dates to Remember

Summer Luncheon – July 12, 2011
Department of Criminal Justice Training, ECU, Richmond, KY

AACPM Professional Development Conference – October 10-12, 2011
Salt Lake City, UT

Fall Luncheon – September, 2011
Date & Location TBA, Frankfort, KY

KSCPM Annual Membership Meeting – December, 2011
Frankfort, KY



The mission of the **Kentucky Society of Certified Public Managers®** is to establish, promote, enhance, and recognize the management profession through comprehensive training, networking, professional growth, and ethical standards of behavior; to promote service consistent with efficient and effective management practices; and to demonstrate vision and competence in professional management.

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