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March 27, 2013 Dinner Meeting Information

Location:

Rainier Golf & Country Club
11133 Des Moines Memorial
Drive South
Seattle, WA 98168

Dress Policy: No Jeans Please

Agenda:

5:30-6:30
Social Hour & Networking
6:30-7:30
Dinner & Announcements
7:30
Speaker
8:30
Adjourn

Menu:

Entrée: Chicken Crepes a la
Fontina
Vegetarian Entrée: Wild
Mushroom Strudel

March Dinner Meeting:

Wednesday, March 27, 2013

Speakers:

Joseph Cunha & Jamie Carnell
City of Seattle

Department of Finance and Administrative
Services, License and Tax Administration

Topic:

Multi-City Business License and Tax Portal & Seattle Tax Audit Process

Joseph Cunha has been with the City of Seattle for seventeen years, four and a half as an auditor and over twelve as a Tax Manager. Prior to joining the City of Seattle, Joseph spent seven years with the US Department of Treasury as an IRS agent in Los Angeles.

City of Seattle Senior Tax Policy Advisor Jamie Carnell has worked for the City of Seattle since 1994. Jamie reports to the City Finance Director and fills several new roles for the City of Seattle's tax administration team. First and foremost, she oversees the development of the new, multi-city business license and tax filing system (the tax

Dessert: Rainier Brownie Sundae

Reservation Deadline:

Please make your reservation no later than 5pm on Thursday, March 21, 2013. **NO reservations after the deadline please - we have to give a firm count to catering.**

We are charged for all meals reserved, therefore cancellations must be received no later than noon on the Monday before the meeting. No-shows and late cancellations will be billed.

[Click here to make your secure reservation online using our new Formstack account](#)

--- If you need to get a message to the Arrangements Committee, 3 options:

1) use the message field in the online res form

2) email:

reservations@aswaseattle.org

3) leave voicemail on the voicemail line at 206-467-8645

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portal). Jamie also provides staff support to the City of Seattle's tax advisory committees. Finally, Jamie oversees the City of Seattle's efforts for outreach and education to taxpayers, the broader business community, and elected officials. Jamie has an extensive background in information technology, communications, and project management. She received her Bachelor of Arts from Seattle Pacific University.

[Click here](#) to make your reservation and (New!) to pay online using our secure Formstack account. Also please check out the additional dinner meeting info below.

Announcements

Nominating Committee

Our Nominating Committee is hard at work putting together the slate of officers and directors and committee chairs and members to be nominated for the 2013-2014 year which begins July 1. To keep our chapter vital and relevant to us in our careers, we need our members to take a role in running the organization. We need the newer, younger members to get involved in committees and take on committee chair positions, learning how the chapter operates and preparing to take leadership roles in the future.

The Nominating Committee, chaired by Tina Polf, hopes to talk to as many members as possible. If you are interested in serving and have not heard from the Nom Comm, email nominating@aswaseattle.org or fill out the Volunteer Sign Up Form in the Quick Links section of this newsletter. WE need YOU!

Calendar of Events:

2013:

April 24 - April Dinner Meeting

April 26 - Accounting & Finance Seminar at [North Cascades Chapter](#)

May 17-18 - [NW Regional Conference](#) at Hotel Murano in Tacoma hosted by Tacoma Chapter

May 22 - May Dinner Meeting

Sept. 25 - September Dinner Meeting - [Scholarship Dessert Auction](#)

Oct. 20-23 - [AFWA Annual Conference](#) in Indianapolis

Other Dinner Meeting Information:

[New Secure Online
Reservation Form
\(using Formstack\)](#)

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Reservations must be made no later than 5pm on Thursday, March 21, 2013. You will receive an acknowledgement when your reservation is received. You can also sign up for the convenience of a Standing Reservation at any time (and save a dollar).

We are charged for all reserved meals, therefore no-shows, which includes anyone with a Standing Reservation, will be billed.

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