



# Western Intergovernmental Audit Forum

Spring 2007 Conference

Agenda

Tempe Mission Palms Hotel

## Thursday • May 31 • 2007

7:15 – 8:00	<b>Registration and Continental Breakfast</b>	<b>Room</b>
8:00 – 8:10	<b>Welcome and Announcements</b>	<b>Abbey</b>
	<i>Melanie Chesney, 2007 Chair, WIAF and Director, Performance Audit Division, Arizona Office of the Auditor General, Phoenix, Arizona</i>	
8:10 – 9:10	<b>The Million Dollar Breach of Trust: A Case Study of Public Corruption in Local Government (An Inside Look at Personal Greed)</b>	<b>Abbey</b>
	<i>George G. Graham, CFE, Manager, Special Investigative Unit, Arizona Office of the Auditor General, Phoenix, Arizona</i>	
	<i>Holly Frook-Graham, CPA, CFE, Phoenix, Arizona</i>	
9:10–9:25	Networking Break	<b>Abbey</b>
9:25 –10:45	<b>Update on 2007 Revisions to the Yellow Book</b>	<b>Abbey</b>
	<i>Gail Flister-Vallieres, Assistant Director, Financial Management and Assurance, U.S. Government Accountability Office, Washington D. C.</i>	
10:45–11:00	Networking Break	<b>Abbey</b>

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11:00 – 12:00	<b>An Update on Tribal Audit Issues</b>  <b>U.S. HUD Office of Inspector General Reviews of Tribal Housing</b>  <i>Charles Johnson, Assistant Regional Inspector General for Audit, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Inspector General, Phoenix, Arizona</i>  <b>Audit Issues From the Navajo and Tohono O’odham Nation</b>  <i>Ryan Claw, Interim Treasurer, Tohono O’odham Nation, Sells, Arizona</i>	<b>Abbey</b>
12:00 – 1:15	Lunch	<b>Cloister</b>
1:15 – 2:15	<b>Fiscal Wake-Up: What Auditors Need to Know About the Nation’s Fiscal Condition</b>  <i>Phil Smith, National Grassroots Director, The Concord Coalition, Atlanta, Georgia</i>	<b>Abbey</b>
2:15 – 2:30	Networking Break	<b>Abbey</b>
2:30 – 3:20	<b>An Overview of Jim Collins' Monograph, "Good to Great and the Social Sectors"</b>  <i>Maude Haggerty, Director, Accounting Services Division, Arizona Office of the Auditor General, Phoenix, Arizona</i>	<b>Abbey</b>
3:20 – 3:30	Networking Break	<b>Abbey</b>
3:30 – 5:00	<b>Performance Audits Roundtable</b>	<b>Palm D</b>
3:30 – 5:00	<b>Financial, Compliance, and IT Audit Roundtable</b>	<b>Palm C</b>
5:00 – 6:30	<b>Reception</b>	<b>Cloister</b>

## Friday • June 1 • 2007

7:15 – 8:00	<b>Continental Breakfast</b>	<b>Abbey</b>
8:00 – 9:30	<b>Effective Briefing and Presentation Skills for Auditors</b>  <i>John Turcotte, President of Turcotte Public Administration Consulting and Training, Tallahassee Florida</i>  This workshop will provide a strategy for delivering effective briefings by auditors to executives, legislators and other top managers. The workshop will cover John's <i>Power Briefing Techniques</i> which will allow participants to plan, construct and deliver more stimulating and compelling briefings.	<b>Abbey</b>
9:30 – 9:50	Networking Break	<b>Abbey</b>
9:50 – 10:50	<b>Effective Briefing and Presentation Skills for Auditors (continued)</b>	<b>Abbey</b>
10:50 – 11:10	Networking Break	<b>Abbey</b>
11:10 – 12:00	<b>Effective Briefing and Presentation Skills for Auditors (continued)</b>	<b>Abbey</b>
12:00	<b>Concluding Remarks and Adjournment</b>	<b>Abbey</b>