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AGA Charleston Newsletter

President's Message

As the 2015-2016 program comes to a close, I'd like to say farewell as President and thank you to all who have supported me and the chapter this year. The chapter continues to move upward and I'm eager to see how much we accomplish in the next coming year. Welcome to Sheena Kennedy who is the 2016-2017 President and to all of the new and reoccurring chapter executive committee members. I encourage all of our members in joining one of our committees this year. It truly is a rewarding experience to be part of such a wonderful group of people. We can accomplish great things in great numbers! Here's to another great year.



Sarah Mollohan
Chapter President



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Thank You

Thank you Sarah and the 2015-2016 Chapter Executive Committee for your leadership and dedication to the AGA Charleston Chapter. We appreciate all you have done during the past program year!





AGA produces publications to keep members at the forefront of news and trends in the profession. The *Journal*, AGA's award-winning quarterly publication, calls on experts and decision-makers to share insights on the present and future of the industry.

Communications

- ◆ Please take a minute to log on to your account on the AGA national website and verify your information. The email address that is used to communicate information to you about the chapter comes directly from the membership report. If you would like us to use a different address, please contact one of the members listed on the Chapter Executive Committee. Thank you!



Our Chapter's Facebook page is updated with pictures and information relating to our current and future events. Please visit our page and follow us for the latest information!

<https://www.facebook.com/agacharlestonsc>

Join us on LinkedIn! 

<http://www.linkedin.com/groups?gid=5127400>

Connect with the AGA Charleston Chapter on LinkedIn! The page is designed to keep chapter members connected, and to provide a platform to

Chapter Website - Changes coming soon!

<http://www.agacharlestonsc.org>

Our chapter was selected to participate in a pilot program where AGA National will be hosting the websites for each AGA chapter. We will need content and information from most of you during this process. We have a website design plan saved on Google Docs, where you can review the pages that we are developing and which CEC members we will need input from. Please contact Jamie Turner or Sheena Kennedy for details at TurnerJA3@state.gov or KennedySD@state.gov.

Education

Mini Professional Development Training (PDT) Event

The AGA Charleston Chapter is in the initial planning stages for our first ever mini Professional Development Training (PDT). This event will be held in November on The Citadel campus and will be a great opportunity to network with other financial professionals while earning valuable CPEs. Stay tuned for upcoming information regarding cost and registration.



Community Service News

AGA Community Service Event - PDT Basket for silent auction

Request for Donations

Each year, the chapter creates a basket to represent our chapter for the National Professional Development Training (PDT) event held by AGA National each year. Donations from the silent auction are used for scholarships, donations to national charities and matching donations from chapter events. Items are available for bidding throughout the event started Sunday evening in the Exhibit Hall at the Community Service Booth. This year the PDT is being held in Anaheim, California from July 17-20th. For more information, please refer to the link below.

The last couple of years, the chapter has themed it's basket "Charleston" and it's been a success. We're reaching out for member contributions to complete its "Charleston" basket. Any monetary or donations are welcome. If you do not work at the Federal Complex and you're interested in donating, please let me know and we'll work out a pick up/drop off.

For more information on the PDT please visit:

www.agacgfm.org/PDT-2016.aspx



2015 Basket

2016 Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure - Team AGA Charleston



AGA Charleston has accepted the challenge to participate in the Komen Lowcountry Race for the Cure & raise funds in support of Komen's vision of a world without breast cancer. Please help support our Chapter by becoming a member of our team! Contact Laurel Sutton at SuttonLA@state.gov for more info!

Join AGA Charleston Team or Donate

Chapter Recognition Program!

CONGRATULATIONS !

The objective of the AGA Chapter Recognition Program (CRP) is to support, encourage and promote AGA's mission, and to provide flexible guidelines for a well-rounded chapter. The AGA Charleston chapter will be presented with the Silver Chapter Designation plaque at the PDT in July for the 2015-2016 program year. Thank you to all of our members who volunteered and helped make our chapter a success again!



Interested in earning your Certified Government Financial Manager (CGFM) certification? Contact the CGFM Committee Chair, Peg Kendra at KendraPM@state.gov.

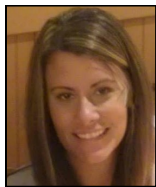


New 2016-2017 Chapter Executive Committee

We are pleased to introduce the following new leaders for the upcoming program year, which begins on July 1:

President

Sheena Kennedy, CMA, CGFM
The MIL Corporation



President-Elect

Osby Mosley
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers



Secretary

Courtney Brown
The MIL Corporation



Treasurer

Cathy Myzell, CPA, CGFM
Haynes, Incorporated



Events Director

Megan Jones
Haynes, Incorporated



Membership Director

Ward Logan, CGFM
The Citadel



Awards Director

Regina Mack
Haynes, Incorporated



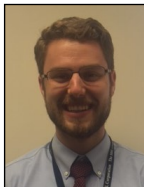
CGFM Director

Peg Kendra, CGFM
The MIL Corporation



Accountability Director

Matt Smith
The MIL Corporation



Community Service Director

Laurel Sutton
CGI Federal



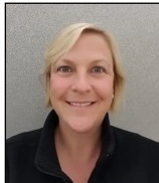
Education Director

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U.S. Dept. of State



Webmaster

Jamie Turner
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Treasurer's Report

By: Julie Starkweather

Account balance as of June 30, 2016

Treasurer's Report

Beginning Balance on April 1, 2016:	\$3,558.69
Deposits:	\$340.01
Withdrawals:	\$0.00
Ending Balance as of June 30, 2016:	<u>\$3,898.70</u>

Account Balance: \$3, 898.70

Socializing

New and prior year CEC members came together on June 29 at the Rutledge Cab Company Restaurant. We would like to thank those who served on the 2015-2016 committee and welcome our new President, Sheena Kennedy and the other new members and officers into their new roles for the 2016-2017 program year!



New Members

We are pleased to introduce the following new members who have joined AGA Charleston Chapter since April 2016:

Desmond Harris
Jeremy Mackey
Courtney Brown

Colleen Bridges
Laurel Sutton



If you are not a member and wish to experience what AGA can offer you at every stage of your career, please visit the national AGA website www.agacgfm.org to join. Please make sure to select "Charleston SC" as your chapter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the AGA Charleston Chapter Membership Committee Chair, Ward Logan at loganf@citadel.edu.

<http://www.agacgfm.org/Membership/Join-or-Renew.aspx>.

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