

## VA Peninsula Chapter CGFM Program 2023-2024

### CGFM Exam 3 Governmental Financial Management and Control

**We will meet via Zoom on Mondays and Wednesdays from 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM EST.**

The Zoom link for registration will be published two weeks prior to the commencement of each exam study group session via the chapter's website and social media presence.

#### **Study Group Format**

Read ahead materials will be sent via email to registered participants the Thursday/Friday before. Participants are encouraged to read the materials and come prepared to discuss the topic, to obtain clarification on anything that was not understood, to the level in which the participant could be able to explain to someone else. This is to encourage deep understanding of the topic and to have a successful outcome on the exams. We will not do memorizations, instead, we will work to understand the topics to be able to recall the information on exam day.

Study sessions will be recorded, and a link to the recording will be provided via email to the participants. This helps support participants who cannot meet for a session due to schedule conflicts, or for participants who want to revisit at their leisure, while reviewing for the exams. Recordings are removed after two weeks, so participants are encouraged to download and save them to their computers. The Chapter CGFM Chair keeps a repository of the recordings and will provide on request to chapter members.

The study group is open to all CGFM candidates, but the VA Peninsula chapter members will receive additional exam preparation materials and support.

There is a pause between exams, to allow time for participants to take the exam reviewed, if they choose to.

#### **Exam 3 Study Group Schedule**

Jan 22 - Mar 20 (No study group on 19 Feb)

Week 1- Jan 22<sup>nd</sup>: Section I Financial Management Functions Part 1

Jan 24<sup>th</sup>: Section I Financial Management Functions Part 2

Week 2- Jan 29<sup>th</sup>: Section I Financial Management Functions Part 3

Jan 31<sup>st</sup>: Section I Financial Management Functions Part 4

Week 3- Feb 5<sup>th</sup>: Section II Financial and Managerial Analysis Techniques

Feb 7<sup>th</sup>: Section III Internal Controls Part 1

Week 4- Feb 12<sup>th</sup>: Section III Internal Controls Part 2

Feb 14<sup>th</sup>: Section IV Performance Measurement/Service Efforts and Accomplishments Part 1

Week 5- Feb 21<sup>st</sup>: Section IV Performance Measurement/Service Efforts and Accomplishments Part 2

This Free CEC Supported CGFM Study Group, a service/benefit we provide to our valued chapter members!!!

- Week 6- Feb 26<sup>th</sup>: Section V Auditing: Part 1  
Feb 28<sup>th</sup>: Section V Auditing: Part 2
- Week 7- Mar 4<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Final Review Section I
- Week 8- Mar 11<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> Final Review Sections II & III
- Week 9- Mar 18<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> Final Review Sections IV & V

\*\* Mar 25, 27 & 29: Days on reserves (Banked dates for unforeseen circumstances) \*\*

Register in advance for this meeting:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYtd-ChqjwjEtWQnL9hmyb\\_3PW\\_FK1vUm1g](https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYtd-ChqjwjEtWQnL9hmyb_3PW_FK1vUm1g)