



2010 SGMP Central FL Chapter Program Schedule***

DATE	PROGRAM	PRESENTER	LOCATION	SPONSOR
Thurs, Jan 21	<u>The Government Meeting Toolbox</u> Come take a guided tour of the newly re-vamped SGMP National website and learn what tools are there for your use.	Ann Koralewski, CMP, CGMP	Springhill Suites by Marriott	Springhill Suites by Marriott
Thurs, Feb 18	<u>Another Meeting?</u> Productive Meeting Facilitation	Rossana Passaniti, CMP	Springhill Suites by Marriott	Springhill Suites by Marriott
Thurs, Mar 18	<u>University of Florida Video & Collaboration Services</u> You don't know what this is or what they can do for you? Then you definitely don't want to miss this meeting. Learn how UF can help you take your meetings virtual.	Mark McCallister - Assistant Director, UF Academic Technology	Hippodrome State Theatre	Daytona CVB
Thurs, Apr 15 <i>Luncheon**</i>	<u>Social Media Applications for Business</u> Back by Popular Demand and with more time to get into the details: How to Use Facebook, Linked In and Twitter to Grow Your Business	April Broussard - Speakin Up	Thomas Center	Visit Gainesville
May 19-21*	<u>2010 National Education Conference and Trade Show</u> Don't miss out on one of the industry's best opportunity to meet government and contract planners from around the country in one location.		Kansas City, MO	
Thurs, Jun 17 <i>Installation of Officers</i>	<u>Ethics and Do We Have to Have Them?</u> The word "ethics" is thrown around a lot, but what does it mean to me as a Meeting Planner.	TBD	Hilton University of Florida Conference Center	Hilton University of Florida Conference Center
Thurs, Jul 15 <i>Luncheon</i>	<u>ADA Compliance</u> Just because a property says they are compliant do they meet the standards that meeting planners should expect. Learn from an expert the things you should look for when selecting an ADA compliant property.	Catherine Leigh Graham, MEBME Rehabilitation Engineer USC - School of Medicine	Cabot Lodge	Cabot Lodge
Thurs, Aug 26*	<u>Risk Management and Crisis Planning for Special Events</u> Do you make it common practice to have a plan in place for the unforeseen? This program will tell you why you should or if the one you have is the right one.	David Lucier Assistant Director for the Stephen C. O'Connell Center	Residence Inn Gainesville	Residence Inn Gainesville & Marketing Mud
Thurs, Sep 16	<u>Meeting Planning Timeline: Six to Twelve Months Out</u> So you've decided to have a meeting... what do you do now and when do you need to do it.	Laurie Brown	Best Western Gateway Grand	Best Western Gateway Grand
Thurs, Oct 21 <i>Luncheon</i>	<u>The Hazards of PowerPoint Overkill and Organizational Storytelling</u>	Pat Breslin & Ann Scroggie	Sweetwater Branch Inn	Hilton Cocoa Beach Oceanfront
Thurs, Nov 18	Education Day or Regional Conference	TBD	Best Western Gateway Grand	Multiple Opportunities - Please contact the Program Committee Chair for information
Thurs, Dec 9*	<u>Holiday Social, Supplier Appreciation, Awards Ceremony</u> Gift Drive for Charity		Sweetwater Branch Inn	St. Pete Clearwater CVB/Tradewinds Resort

*Date does not coincide with third Thursday of the month.

**This meeting is a half day workshop. The schedule will be lunch & networking followed by the Chapter Business Meeting. The Education component will run from 1pm-4pm. You are welcome to attend any portion or all of the meeting based on your availability. If you have a laptop computer we recommend bringing it with you so you can follow along as April shares her knowledge.

***This schedule is tentative. Locations, topics and speakers are subject to change. Please visit this site and look for email updates for revisions.

Unless otherwise noted meeting times are from 5:30-7:30pm. Luncheon's are from 11:30am-1:00pm.