GCAT CONFERENCE 2017

CRUISING THROUGH COLLECTIONS

(Agency for 2017 Conference, SUBJECT TO CHANGE)
May 8, 2017 - Monday

8:30am - 12:00pm       Early Registration for Conference **Downstairs in lobby **
12:00pm - 1:30pm       Lunch on your own
1:30pm - 3:00pm        What to do When you Don’t Know What to Do - Karen Williams, Harris County
3:00pm - 3:30pm        Break
3:30pm - 4:30pm        Welcome to GCAT – Stephanie McCormick GCAT President
                        Introduction of the Officers and Board, Agenda Overview, Importance of networking and Discuss Meet and Greet

Dismiss for the day

6:00pm - 9:00pm        Meet and Greet - Riverboat Rides, Appetizers and Drinks will be served

May 9, 2017 - Tuesday

8:00 am               Early Bird Giveaway
8:15 am - 9:15am       Legislative Updates – Jim Lehman
9:15am - 9:45am        Break
9:45 am - 10:45 am     Vendors - Netplea, RevQ, MVBA & iPlow 15 minutes each
10:45am - 11:45am      Changes in Collections - Don McKinley
11:45am - 1:00 pm      Lunch on your own

Breakout Sessions 1:00pm – 2:30pm
1. City/JP Courts - Collection Rule Changes, Indigency, Community Service and Alternative Means, Judge Ed Spillane, College Station, Texas
2. County Court – County Collections, Andrea Weilacher, Denton County
3. District Court – Court Collections, Judge Steve Smith, Brazos County District Court Judge

2:30pm – 3:00pm        Break
Breakout Sessions 3:00pm – 4:30pm

2. County Courts – Applications, Interviews, Payment Plans and Scenarios – Stephanie McCormick
3. District Courts – Applications, Interviews, Payment Plans and Scenarios – Tanya Skinner

Dismiss for the day

May 10, 2017 - Wednesday

8:30am - 9:00am  Membership Meeting and Voting
9:00am- 10:00am  CIP Rules – Cynthia Montes
10:00am - 11:00am  OCA Audit – David Cueva
11:00am – 11:15am  Break
11:15am – 12:00pm  OCA Round Table – OCA
12:00pm – 2:00pm  Luncheon/Awards on the Patio
2:30pm - 3:30pm  Court Collections: Battling Ideologies – Jim Lehman
3:30pm – 4:00pm  Break
4:00p.m.-5:00p.m.  Dream work vs. Teamwork – Dee Hobbs, Williamson Co. Attorney

May 11, 2017- Thursday

8:30am - 10:00am  Office Behavior – Judge Janice Sons, Wichita, Texas
10:00am - 10:15am  Break
10:30am - 11:30am  Last Day Round table Discussion with OCA/GCAT Board
11:30am  End of Conference