



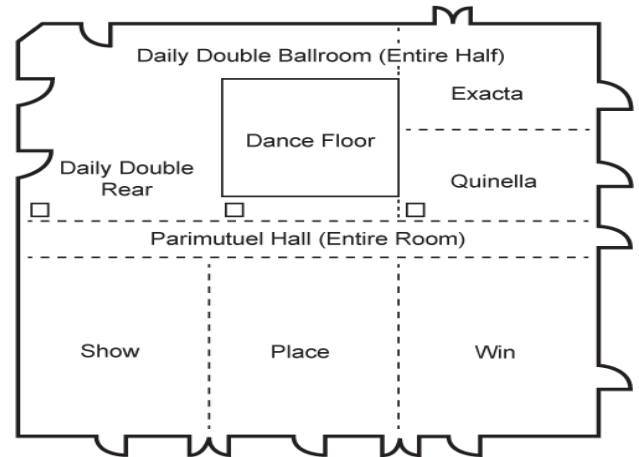
# 89<sup>th</sup> Annual IPMA-HR Eastern Region Training & Development Forum

*Welcome to the  
Saratoga Springs Holiday Inn*

**Saturday, June 3, 2017**

**Developing Competencies for Success!**  
(Approved pre-registrants only)

<i>When</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Location</i>
7:30 – 8:00	Registration	Show
8:00 – 4:30	Developing Competencies	Show
10:15 – 10:30	Mid-Morning Break	Show
12:00 – 1:00	Competencies Luncheon	Place
2:45 – 3:00	Mid Afternoon Break	Show



**Sunday, June 4, 2017**

<i>When</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Location</i>
8:00 – 4:30	Developing Competencies for HR Success	Show
12:00 – 1:00	Competencies Luncheon	Place
1:00 – 6:00	Registration	Back Stretch Lobby
1:00 – 1:30	CPS Luncheon with Executive Board	Win
1:30 – 5:00	CPS-HR Chapter Leadership Workshop	Win
1:30 – 4:00	Eastern Region Executive Board Meeting	Exacta
4:00 – 6:30	Exhibitor Set Up	Daily Double
4:30 – 5:30	Conference Program Committee Meeting	Exacta
6:00 – 7:00	Eastern Region President's Welcome Reception	Daily Double
8:00 – 11:00	Host Hospitality	Suite 742

**Monday, June 5, 2017**

*Visit our Exhibitors; Open 7:30 – 3:00*

*Daily Double*

6:00	Wellness Walk with Cheryl Cepelak	Back Stretch Lobby
7:30 – 8:30	Registration	Back Stretch Lobby
7:30 – 8:30	Continental Breakfast	Quinella
8:30 – 9:00	Opening Ceremonies	Daily Double
9:00 – 10:30	<b>Opening Plenary</b> <b>HR Leadership Lessons from H.o.I.I.y.w.o.o.d</b> Andy Masters, MA, CSP; Sponsored by IPMA-HR	Daily Double
10:30 – 10:45	Morning Break	
10:45 – 4:30	Developing Competencies for HR Success	Show
10:45 – 12:00	<b>Concurrent Sessions</b>	
Session A	<i>Strategic HR in the New Economy</i> ; Andy Masters, MA, CSP Sponsored by the Connecticut Chapter IPMA-HR	Win
Session B	<i>Teamwork at the Turning Point</i> ; John Kolm; Sponsored by Team Results USA	Place
Session C	<i>Government Affairs Update</i> ; Neil Reichenberg; Sponsored by IPMA-HR	Exacta
12:00 – 1:30	NeoGov Sponsored Luncheon (free to Conference Registrants)	Daily Double
1:30 – 2:45	<b>Concurrent Sessions</b>	
Session A	<i>Diversity Today, Being More Inclusive Tomorrow</i> ; Mauricio Valasquez, MBA Sponsored by the IPMA-HR Patuxent River Basin Chapter	Win
Session B	<i>Launching a Successful Onboarding Initiative</i> ; Pamela Kubiak; Sponsored by NeoGov	Place
Session C	<i>Changing the KM Tides and Why it Matters</i> ; Kelley Smith & John Grill	Exacta
2:45 – 3:00	Afternoon Break	Quinella

## Monday, June 5, 2017 (Continued)

<i>When</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Location</i>
3:00 – 4:15	<b>Concurrent Sessions</b>	
Session A	<i>Energy Leadership</i> , Cheryl Stevens, MPA, CPC, ELOMP Sponsored by the Montgomery County Chapter IPMA-HR	Win
Session B	<i>How to Solve Government Recruiting Needs</i> Vincent VanAuker; Sponsored by NeoGov	Place
Session C	<i>Cost Containment Strategies for Benefits Packages</i> Melissa Constante & Mike Patrick; Sponsored by Colonial Life	Exacta
6:00 –	"A Night on the Town"	
9:00 – 11:00	Host Hospitality	Suite 742

## Tuesday, June 6, 2017

*Visit our Exhibitors; Open 7:30 – 3:00*

*Daily Double*

<i>When</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Location</i>
6:00	Wellness Walk with Cheryl Cepelak	Back Stretch Lobby
7:30 – 8:30	Registration	Back Stretch Lobby
7:30 – 8:30	Continental Breakfast	Quinella
7:30 – 8:30	Past President's Breakfast (By invitation only)	Bookmaker's Dining Rm
8:30 – 9:00	Morning Announcements	Daily Double
9:00 – 12:00	Developing Competencies for HR Success	Show
9:00 – 10:15	<b>Concurrent Sessions</b>	
Session A	<i>What Motivates Me? Life is Short, Rejuvenate Your Work</i> Beth Rudy; Sponsored by Insights Management	Win
Session B	<i>Networking Roundtable: HR 2020 Strategies for the Future</i> William Cole, IPMA-SCP	Place
Session C	<i>Recruiting and Retaining Senior Executives</i> Christine Major, IPMA-SCP	Exacta
10:15 – 10:45	Morning Break	Quinella
10:45 – 12:00	<b>Concurrent Sessions</b>	
Session A	<i>Building a Culture of Employee Engagement in Government</i> Bob Lavigna; Sponsored by CPS Consulting	Win
Session B	<i>Latest Trends in Labor &amp; Employment Law</i> David Ritter; Sponsored by Barnes & Thornburg, LLP	Place
Session C	<i>Journey to Optimal Health &amp; Productivity</i> Melanie Keller, Susan Boyer, & Shirley Mast Sponsored by- Take Shape for Life and the IPMA-HR New Jersey Chapter	Exacta
12:00 – 1:15	Lunch on your own	
12:00 – 1:15	Chapter Leadership Luncheon (By Invitation Only)	Bookmaker Dining Rm
1:15 – 2:30	<b>Plenary: Creating Safe Zones for Sexual and Gender Minority Employees</b> Deb Chew; Sponsored by Montgomery County Chapter IPMA-HR	Win, Place, and Show
2:30 – 3:00	Afternoon Break & Exhibitor Prize Drawings	Win, Place, and Show
3:00 – 5:00	Eastern Region Awards Program; Business Meeting & Elections	Win, Place, and Show
5:30 – 6:30	2018 Eastern Region Conference Host Reception	Win, Place, and Show
6:30 – 11:00	2017 Eastern Region Conference Dinner Dance	Daily Double

## Wednesday, June 7, 2017

8:30 – 9:30	Registration	Back Stretch Lobby
8:30 – 9:30	Continental Breakfast	Quinella
8:30 – 11:45	Developing Competencies for HR Success	Show
9:30 – 10:45	<b>Closing Plenary</b> <i>Feedback is a Gift, But I'd Rather Get Chocolate</i> Cindy Mahar & Carol Grannis – Sponsored by West Virginia Chapter IPMA-HR	Daily Double
11:00 – 11:45	Eastern Region Conference Closing Ceremonies	Daily Double
12:00 – 3:00	Eastern Region Executive Board Luncheon and Meeting	Win