



2012 California Probation, Parole, and Correctional Association

81st Annual Training Conference & Vendor Show

Our Time to Shine

Oakland Marriott City Center

September 18 —21, 2012

Call for Presentations

About CPPCA

Since 1917, CPPCA has been the leader and only community corrections organization in California representing the exclusive interest of adult and juvenile, state and local, field and institutional correctional personnel and those other citizens and critical stakeholders interested in the professionalism of corrections.

Our primary areas of interest are legislative advocacy and professional development.

CPPCA is a vital voice in California corrections, with a membership composed of line staff, supervisors, managers, support staff and administrators from probation, parole and correctional agencies across the state.

As a consistent and resonant voice of impact within the California Legislature, our circle of influence continues to grow.

Each year, CPPCA monitors more than hundreds of proposed bills that affect probation, parole, corrections, and juvenile justice.

Overview of the 81st Annual Training Conference & Vendor-Exhibitor Show

The 81st Annual Training Conference & Vendor Show is confirmed for September 18 through 21, 2012 at the Oakland Marriott City Center in Oakland, California.

CPPCA's annual training conference & vendor show is the organization's primary venue for bringing our members the opportunity to network with peers, be introduced to our vendors, new technologies and services, and most importantly to take advantage of the tremendous training opportunities that the conference offers.

The theme of the 81st Annual Training Conference & Vendor-Exhibitor Show is "Our Time to Shine." We are seeking training presentations that capture the future state of the field, that offer participants a unique view of mandates and requirements such as Disproportionate Minority Contact, Prison Rape Elimination Act as well as cutting-edge research-based models that address the various issues and concerns that affect not only community corrections but all public safety, educational, judicial, social service, and health/mental health professionals.

Target Audience

Most of the conference participants are active duty or retired probation officers, parole agents, or correctional officers. This year, we expect to have a significant number of social workers, therapists, educators, and law enforcement professionals. In addition to 16 hours of STC credit, in 2012, we plan to certify all training for MFTs and LCSW for Continuing Education Units (CEUs), MCLEs for attorneys and POST for law enforcement professionals.



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Selection Process

The CPPCA Conference Training Committee will review and select presentations that demonstrate the greatest potential to contribute to the quality of conference. The conference theme should be kept in mind. Topics must be consistent with CPPCA's mission and be of value and benefit to our members and conference attendees.

The committee will give the greatest consideration to proposals that incorporate and represent Evidence-based Practices, Best Practices, proven solutions or would add to the professional development of CPPCA's membership.

All submissions will be judged on the following criteria:

- Overall Quality
- Timeliness and relevance of the topic
- Participant engagement and appeal
- Well-defined focus with clearly stated learner objectives
- Presenters professional background and presentation experience

CPPCA reserves the right to edit accepted proposals and biographical sketches prior to publication.

CPPCA's programs are strictly non-commercial. If your program is selected, you will be required to refrain from the direct marketing and promotion of your products and services during your session.

Presenters are also required to refrain from use of harsh language or pointed humor that disparages the rightful dignity or social equity or status of any individual or group.

Notification

Approximately twelve proposals will be selected for presentation at the conference.

You will be notified of the Conference Planning Committee's decision in writing on or about April 15, 2012.

Conference Schedule

All presentations will be four hours in length including scheduled breaks. Training will take place on the following dates: Wednesday 9/19/12, Thursday 9/20/12, and during a plenary session from 8 am to 12 noon on Friday 9/21/12.

Registration

As a non-profit organization, CPPCA does not provide an honorarium for presenters. Selected presenters will be reimbursed for travel-related expenses including meals and lodging. Presenters are encouraged to participate in the entire conference at the full conference rate. Registration forms will be available on our website at cppca.org.



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Presentation Themes

Proposals submitted will be reviewed upon the listed themes

- Disproportionate Minority Contact
- Prison Rape Elimination Act
- Effective research-driven models
- Street Gangs
- Alternatives to incarceration
- Ethics
- The connection between abused youth, children's exposure to violence/domestic and criminal justice system
- Evidence-based Practices and Research
- Best Practices for Emerging Young Adults Effective reentry programs
- Victims of Crime
- Service Integration (i.e., cost effective leveraging of various public and community-based programs)
- Line Officer Health and Safety
- Effective use of technology
- Leadership and Management
- Effective programs for mentally ill offenders
- Effective community partnerships that incorporate faith-based programs
- Education programs
- Successful prevention and intervention programs

Gender specific/responsive programs related to any/all of the above

Request to Present

Requests must be submitted electronically to CPPCA Deputy Executive Director, Michelle Nesbitt at michelle@cppca.org. Using the guidelines below please submit by midnight **March 30, 2012**.

For questions or concerns, please call Michelle Nesbitt at (916) 448-5810 x1.

- Cover sheet with Presenters contact information.
- Proposals must be typed or word processed.
- Handwritten or faxed proposals will not be considered.
- The presenters curriculum vitae/resume and a biography must be included with the proposal.
- A syllabus, lesson plan, learning objectives. (Please be reminded that each course is four hours in length.)
- Because CEUs are being offered, instructors must meet at least 2 of the following criteria:
 - Have a current, valid license, registration or certificate, free from disciplinary action, in an area related to the subject matter of the course.
 - Have a masters degree or higher from an educational institution in an area related to the subject matter of the course.
 - Training, certification, and/or experience in teaching subject matter related to the course
 - Have at least two years experience in an area related to the subject matter of the course.

Please provide all requested information. Incomplete proposals will not be considered.

All proposals must be sent by email to: michelle@cppca.org

Submission Deadline: March 30, 2012