

Join Your Colleagues for the 2006-2007 CMA Los Angeles Chapter Management Training and Networking Events

September 14, 2006

Attracting and Retaining Good People

Speaker: Sylvia Nash

Is there anything more key in our organizations than both attracting AND retaining good people? Come to our September meeting and learn key principles and strategies for doing just that! Our speaker, Sylvia Nash, has served for 10 years as an organizational, leadership, management consultant with Lillestrand and Associates serving non-profit and for-profit organizations helping them achieve their vision. Prior to joining the Lillestrand and Associates team, Sylvia served as CEO of Christian Management Association for thirteen years and two years as CEO of Christian Healthcare Network.

November 9, 2006

Making your Organization One of the Best, Most Effective Places to Work in the World

Speaker: Al Lopus

Al Lopus is the President and cofounder of the Best Christian Workplaces Institute.

The Institute provides research-based measurement tools and strategic advisory services with a single vision: to help Christian organizations set the standard as the best, most effective workplaces in the world. At BCWI, AI has conducted the broadest-ever employee opinion survey of Christian workers. The comprehensive survey includes 300 Christian organizations representing over 40,000 full time employees. This survey is the basis for the list of Christianity Today's "Best Christian Places to Work." AI is a recognized author, speaker and consultant on the topic of developing organizations into better, more effective workplaces.

January 11, 2007

Annual Panel on What's Hot and What's Not for 2007

Speaker: A panel of speakers who are experts in their field

This is an annual favorite pick of our chapter attendees. One of our panelists will be Nick Nicholaou. Nick is President of Ministry Business Services, a team of management consultants specializing in ministry management and operations. While in executive service for the

American auto manufacturing industry, he and his wife Grace sensed God's call to found Ministry Business Services. Since 1986 Nick and his team have been serving ministries in consultative and hands-on roles in most areas of operations and administration. His specific areas of expertise include organizational management, crisis resolution, and strategic implementation of technology. Nick is also the Chair of the Information Technology Section for CMA.

March 2007

No Meeting, See you at CMA 2007 Palm Springs!

May 10, 2007

Risk Management!

Speaker: Bob Lipps

Mr. Lipps serves with Lockton Insurance Brokers as Executive Director of Lockton Alliance for Ministry Protection (L.A.M.P.) in San Francisco. He is responsible for the strategy and new business development of Lockton's religious practice group, which provides strategic risk management and insurance solutions to the religious community.

Especially Designed for:

- ✓ Managers and leaders of Christian organizations
- ✓ Senior pastors, executive pastors, church business administrators and department managers
- ✓ Business representatives that serve nonprofits and churches

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Time and Location Information

All of our meetings are held at Sierra Madre Congregational Church
170 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.
Sierra Madre, CA 91024
Phone: (626)355-3566
Directions at: CMAonline.org/la

Our meetings start with registration and networking at 11:30 AM and finish by 1:30 PM

For the most up to date information on our chapter including our meeting details, online registration, signing up for email alerts, and a wealth of other information; please visit us at www.cmaonline.org/la.

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Registration Form

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- Yes! I will attend
- In addition I will bring a staff/board/volunteer team of _____ people. (Please attach individual names, titles, and email addresses.)

REGISTER TODAY

Contact Person _____
 Organization _____ Title _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Office Phone _____ Fax _____ Email _____

CHECK YOUR MEMBERSHIP STATUS:

| Register Early and Save \$\$\$! | Total People | EARLY BIRD FEE (postmarked 7 days prior to meeting) | REGULAR FEE | YOUR TOTAL FEE |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> CMA MEMBER RATE (Our organization is a CMA Premier, Gold or Founders Council Member so all of our participants—staff/board members and volunteers—qualify for CMA member rates both at chapter meetings and the national conference.) | | \$14/person | \$18/person | \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NON-MEMBER RATE (Join Today! Mention "CMA L.A. Chapter" for a special introductory rate. Call 800/727-4CMA or visit CMAonline.org for membership information and application forms.) | | \$16/person | \$18/person | \$ |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Full Payment enclosed. | \$ |
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REMINDERS

* **Cancellations.** In the event you need to cancel, a refund (less 20%) will be given to all written or faxed requests received 15 days in advance. After that date, we are unable to give refunds. To keep our rates low, all reservations without advance payment, are considered firm RSVPs and we will bill you for any unpaid no-shows.

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