



Office of the State Controller

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

To: Chief Fiscal Officers, Vice Chancellors, and Business Managers

From: Dr. Linda Combs, State Controller *Linda Combs*

Date: May 9, 2018

Subject: 2018 Professional Ethics and Conduct Webcast

On July 18, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:40 a.m., the North Carolina Association of CPAs (NCACPA) will offer an ethics course by webcast exclusively for State government employees. This course, 2018 Professional Ethics and Conduct, will satisfy the State CPA Board's annual two-hour Ethics CPE requirement [NCAC 08G.0410 Professional Ethics and Conduct CPE]. To register for this webcast:

- Attendees **must pre-register** for the webcast on the Office of the State Controller website at <https://www.osc.nc.gov/2018-professional-ethics-and-conduct-webinar-pre-registration>. The pre-registration **deadline is May 31, 2018**. (Payment **should not** be made at this time).
- On June 6, 2018, all pre-registered attendees will receive notification by email (from NCACPA) to register for this webcast. NCACPA will provide registration instructions and payment options in their email. NCACPA accepts payment by credit card (MasterCard, Visa, and American Express) and by check (payable to NCACPA). The registration fee is **\$52 per attendee**. Only those individuals who complete the NCACPA registration and payment process will be permitted to participate in this activity.

Cal Christian, PhD, CPA, will be the course instructor. He is a Professor of Accounting at East Carolina University teaching Intermediate Accounting, International Accounting, and Accounting for Decision Makers. He is a registered CPA in the states of North Carolina and Mississippi, and has over 10 years of experience in both the public accounting profession and industry. He also teaches continuing education classes for the NCACPA, AICPA, CPA firms, and publicly traded companies—and has been recognized as an NCACPA Outstanding Chapter Speaker, NCACPA Outstanding Conference Speaker, and an NCACPA Outstanding Discussion Leader. See Mr. Christian's full bio in the attachment.

On November 14, 2018, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:40 a.m., the NCACPA will offer a second ethics course via webcast, exclusively for State government employees. More information about this webcast will be forthcoming.

If you have any questions regarding the pre-registration process, please contact Joy Darden at (919) 707-0520 or by email at joy.darden@osc.nc.gov. **For registration or payment questions, please contact an NCACPA representative at (800) 469-1352.** Thank you for your service to our State.

Attachment

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