49h National Conference

Orlando, Florida

Wednesday, May 30, 2018

*State Assembly Leadership Forum*

*Seven (7) CE Credits*

7:15 – 7:45 AM **Continental Breakfast for SALF Registrants **

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7:45 - 8:00 AM **Welcome and Introductions**

HOLLY FALCON, CST, FAST, AST PRESIDENT

8:00 – 9:50 AM **Lobbyist Lowdown: Meet the Insiders Who Give AST a Voice**

**Down at the Capitol**

**STEPHANIE WHALUM, ESQ., AST DIRECTER OF GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS**

**SARAH WOLFE,** MCGUIREWOODS CONSULTING LLC

JULIE ERICKSON, AMERICAN COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, INC

9:50 - 10:00 AM Break

10:00 – 10:50 AM **The Importance of Certification**

BEN PRICE, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

NATIONAL BOARD OF SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY

AND SURGICAL ASSISTING

11:00 – 11:50 AM **Emotional Intelligence: How to Connect, Communicate, and Captivate**

MARY GARDNER, CEO

MARY GARDNER COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

NOON - 12:50 PM **Lunch**

Provided to SALF All-Day Registrants

1:00 - 1:50 PM **The Game Plan…Solutions, Strategies, Results**

DR. RICK GOODMAN, CSP

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2:00 - 2:50 PM  **Leadership Award: Breakthrough to Excellence**

STATE ASSEMBLY LEADERSHIP COMMITTEE

2:50 - 3:00 PM **Break**

3:00 – 4:00 PM **Networking: Sharing Solutions**

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