Could you use some color in your wardrobe? Are you feeling out of style professionally? Come learn with us about how to fill your professional shopping bag with tools that will help you stay runway ready!



2012 MAPCR Fall Convention

October 12-13

Somerset Inn Troy, Michigan

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2012 Fall Convention

Convention Agenda

Friday, October 12

9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Board Meeting

1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Strategic Planning Meeting

4:00 p.m.

Sixth Annual Realtime Contest

Detailed information will be provided to contestants one week prior to the contest. (up to .75 PDCs possible)

5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Sue Perrish, CSR, RMR, CRR, CBC Pat Hyland, CSR, RPR, FAPR

Trivia/Vocabulary/Spelling Challenge

Calling all cruciverbalists, philonoists and logophiles!! Want to test your knowledge? This is your chance! This trivia - spelling - vocabulary challenge will be divided into three categories: Trivial Trivia, Vocabulary I.Q. and Spelling Smarts - and to top it off, a Bonus Round for the winners of each category. Earn credits AND win prizes, while having a brobdingnagly good time!! (FYI: Cruciverbalist: A lover of word games; Philonoist: one who seeks knowledge; Logophile: a lover of words; brobdingnagly: immensely) (.15 CEUs)

Saturday, October 13

8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.

Continental Breakfast & Registration

8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.



Marybeth Everhart

Battling the Heebie-Jeebies

Do you suffer from the test day
heebie-jeebies? Feel like you fall apart
at the mere thought of a speed test?

Then you need this seminar! Learn
some tricks that will help you battle the

heebie-jeebies in school and throughout your reporting career! (.15 CEUs)

10:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. Vendor/Break

10:15 am to 11:45 am



Lesia Mervin
K.I.S.S. - Keep It Short Steno
A unique approach to perfecting your realtime skills. Learn to write smarter by tweaking your own writing style to write cleaner and edit less. (.15 CEUs)

6:45 p.m. 8:15 p.m.

Brian Osuch, PRP Wine Wine Tasting Event

Join us while Brian pours us samples of wine from across the world. We will be learning some general wine knowledge and tips on food and wine pairing.

9:30 p.m.

Euchre Tournament

Calling all card sharks! Bring a friend along to compete for cash prizes at this event that's quickly becoming a MAPCR tradition. Don't forget to check the box on the registration form so we can plan appropriately.

11:45 a.m. to 1:45 p.m.

Lunch, Vendors & Business Meeting & Awards

1:45 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.



Michael Appelman
StenoCast
How to make realtime technology
feasible for every reporter. (.15 CEUs)

OR

Shari Pavlovich, CSR, RPR Student Session

Come and get the questions answered that you might not learn in the classroom. We will be covering a wide range of topics from tips on record keeping to interview questions.

3:15 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Vendor/Break

3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.



Jennifer Zumbrink Optimize Energy, Prevent Disease This health and wellness presentation is designed to guide people toward living a more balanced life. This presentation helps people understand health from a holistic perspective and will enhance

their lives both personally and professionally. (.1 CEUs)

4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.



NCRA Representative Ethics First

During this session we'll discuss NCRA's Ethics First program and

NCRA's advisory opinions that have been issued and discuss actual situations. (.15 CEUs)

Hotel Information

Somerset Inn

2601 West Big Beaver Road Troy, MI 48084 (248)643-7800 || (800)228-8769 www.somersetinn.com

To make your reservation, please call 800.228.8769. The MAPCR room rate is \$99++ per night for either a Tower Room or an Executive Room. Remember to mention MAPCR when making your reservation. The cutoff date for room reservations is **September 21**, **2012**. Any reservations received after this date, will be accepted on a space or rate available basis.

Relax at the Somerset Inn while enjoying exemplary customer service. You will find everything you need is within reach including

world class shopping, a wide range of dining choices, a par 30 golf course, an executive fitness room, a functional business center, and proximity to many of Metropolitan Detroit's businesses.

The Somerset Collection is adjacent to the hotel and features Neiman Marcus, Saks Fifth Avenue, Nordstrom, Macy's, and Tiffany along with many other distinctive stores and magnificent restaurants.

Check-In Time

The hotel's check-in time is 3:00 p.m. Room assignments prior to that time are on an availability basis.

Check-Out Time

Other Information

Sixth Annual MAPCR Realtime Contest

The test will be five minutes of literary, legal opinion and testimony material dictated at varying speeds from 220 to 280 words per minute. Any writer of shorthand who is a member of MAPCR in good standing for the preceding two years is eligible to compete. Please register on the convention registration form. Per NCRA, qualifiers are eligible to receive .25 PDCs per leg passed. An individual may only receive a maximum of .75 PDCs per three-year NCRA cycle for any contests. Other contest rules and regulations will be provided at the convention. If you would like to see the complete list of contest rules, please contact the MAPCR office at 734.498.2627 or go to our website at www. maper.org. The fee is \$25 and must be paid by the registration deadline. There will be no onsite registration.

Euchre Tournament

To register for the Euchre Tournament, please indicate on the registration form that you wish to compete. The registration fee will be \$20 per person. Your entrance fee will be divided 50/50, with 50% awarded to the top scorer and 50% being used for MAPCR's scholarship fund.

Conference Attire

Casual wear is appropriate throughout the convention.

Parking

All parking is complimentary at the hotel.



Registration Form

materials, refreshment breaks, meals for Friday and Saturday. First-time members only; no renewals.)

Please fill out and return to: MAPCR

P.O. Box 366, Pinckney, MI 48169 • Phone: 734.498.2627, Fax: 734.498.8415

REGISTRANT INFORMATION	SOCIAL ONLY Saturday Lunch - \$35 Yes, I would like an additional lunch ticket for
Name First-Time Attendee? Yes No	a guest. # of tickets @ \$35 = \$
Certifications (CSR, RPR, etc.)	(Professional and Student registration includes the Friday appetizers and Saturday lunch.)
Company/School/Court	Friday Euchre Tournament - \$20 Yes, I would like to sign up for the Euchre Tournament.
Home Address	# of tickets @ \$20 = \$
City/State/ZIP	REALTIME CONTEST - \$20 ☐ Yes, I would like to compete in the Realtime Contest75 PDCs for qualifiers 1 @ \$25 = \$
Phone	SPONSOR A STUDENT □ \$80 □ \$100 \$
	PAYMENT INFORMATION
Fax	TOTAL: \$(add \$25 if after September 28th)
Email	Please add the section totals and place sum in space provided above.
Dietary Restrictions	☐ Money Order ☐ Check ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard:
REGISTRATION FEES	Card #:
Registration fees include sessions, refreshment breaks, lunch, and Saturday reception. Early registration rates apply to all registrations received by the office	Exp. Date: 3-Digit Code:
no later than September 28, 2012. All registrations received after September 28, 2012, will be charged a	Street Number:ZIP Code:
\$25 late registration fee.	Signature:
FULL CONFERENCE: .85 CEUs Member Nonmember	Date:
Professional \$200 \$350 Student Rate \$80 \$100 (Students: If four or more register together, the fee will be reduced to \$75/person.)	Please make checks payable to MAPCR. EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE is September 28, 2012. All registrations received after September 28, 2012, will be charged a \$25 late registration fee. Please note: No refunds after October 1, 2012. Questions? Call the
FULL CONFERENCE + JOIN Become a Professional Member \$300 (Includes one-year membership, registration, all materials, refreshment breaks, meals for Friday and	MAPCR office at 734.498.2627. Return registration form and payment to: MAPCR, P.O. Box 366, Pinckney, MI 48169 Fax: 734.498.8415. You can also register online at www.mapcr.org.