



American Association for Budget and Program Analysis Fall Symposium:

Austerity: Budget, Analysis, and the Great Recession

Wednesday, November 16, 2011; 8AM - 4:30PM

Capital Hilton Hotel - 16th and K Streets, NW, Washington, DC
Farragut North Metro, Red Line or McPherson Square, Orange/Blue Line

See <http://www.aabpa.org/symposium-home> to register and for the latest information and updates

Last minute agreements to avoid shutdowns, standoffs on the debt ceiling and high stakes for the Super Committee have been the headlines for the past six months. It is clear that a new picture of the U.S. Federal spending has arrived. Fiscal constraints, agency priorities, and transparency expectations will be pieces of this new picture. Join fellow budget and program professionals for a day of educational speakers and panels and opportunities to share strategies across the government and private sector at AABPA's Fall symposium on November 16, 2011.

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

8:00-8:45 Registration, Coffee, Collection for Toys for Tots
8:45-9:00 Welcome
9:00-10:15 Morning Plenary: **Addressing Budget Issues in the Current Environment**
10:15-10:30 Networking Break
10:30-11:45 Concurrent Panel Sessions
11:45-12:00 Networking Break
12:00-1:30 Lunch Plenary: **The Community Speaks: Results of the Inaugural AABPA / Grant Thornton Survey of Federal Budget Professionals**
1:30-1:45 Networking Break
1:45-3:00 Concurrent Panel Sessions
3:00-3:15 Networking Break –Ice Cream Bar
3:15-4:30 Afternoon Plenary: **Lessons for Feds: Budget and Performance from the State and Local Perspective**

Panel Sessions

Continuing Resolutions: Ask the Experts	Next Round in Budget Debate: Joint Select Committee on the Deficit
Budgeting and Accounting: Changes Approaching	Building a Better Budget Office: How to be Strategic Without Starting Over
Translating Success Through Performance Budgeting	The Future of Transparency

Confirmed Speakers:

Ricardo Aguilera, National Defense University iCollege; **Sarah Binder**, Brookings Institute; **Dustin Brown**, OMB; **Kevin Donahue**, Department of the Treasury; **Linda Gileau**, Department of Defense; **Jeff Hoge**, Department of the Treasury; **Katherine McFate**, OMB Watch; **Andy Schoenbach**, OMB; **Jeffrey A. Simon**, Commonwealth of Massachusetts; **Jason Pequet**, Committee for a Responsible Federal Budget; **Robert Mahaffie**, Department of Treasury; **Julia Matta**, GAO; **Michelle L. Light**, New York City Office of Management and Budget and many more!



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