

CALL FOR PROPOSALS
MICHIGAN CAPITAL AREA CHAPTER
AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
“REINVIGORATING PUBLIC SERVICE IN MICHIGAN: 2011 AND BEYOND”

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The Michigan Capital Area Chapter of the American Society for Public Administration solicits proposals for panels, roundtables and papers for a day-long conference to be held in Lansing Michigan at the Cooley Law School Temple Conference Center on September 30, 2011. We are encouraging proposals from practitioners and academics, both faculty and graduate students.

“Reinvigorating Public Service” seeks to explore themes of re-energizing the public sector in the wake of the economic downturn. Presentations from all public sectors are encouraged, including, but not limited to:

- labor relations;
- education;
- health care and public health;
- implementing 2010 health care;
- non-profit and non-governmental collaboration;
- intergovernmental relations,
- implementing intergovernmental consolidation;
- coping with public sector fiscal stress;
- issues of attrition in the new administration of Governor Rick Snyder
- use of the “third sector” in providing goods and services in the new economy;
- restoring economic growth;
- financing costs of Baby Boomer retirement; and
- rebuilding infrastructure in a changing State.

This Conference aims to begin the conversation of these timely topics and encourages members of the community to attend.

Paper proposals of two (2) pages maximum plus a two (2) page *curriculum vitae* should be sent to micap@mipaforum.org by Friday, June 1st, 2011.