

COURSE #7
FACILITATING VOTER PARTICIPATION

Instructor: Mitchell Brown, Ph.D.
Auburn University
Auburn, AL

Saturday, March 2, 2013 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Sunday, March 3, 2013 8:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m.

In the United States, participation in elections is essential to the proper functioning of the democratic process. This course discusses who votes, who doesn’t, and why. It enables officials to measure participation and why it is important to the democratic process. It also gives suggestions on how administrators might motivate citizens in their area to register and vote.

COURSE #8
IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW PROGRAMS

Instructor: Robert Montjoy, Ph.D.
University of New Orleans
New Orleans, Louisiana

Saturday, March 2, 2013 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Sunday, March 3, 2013 8:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m.

Kowing what needs to be done is only the beginning. Implementation is a system of organizational structures, processes, and routines that put an idea into action. Without implementation, no real change occurs. Unless implementation is successful, the good idea quickly takes a turn for the worse. This course works with actions taken to carry out policies related to election administration and voter registration such as a new on-time project, a new continuous program, or a change to an existing program.

CREDIT FOR THIS COURSE IS GIVEN
ONLY TO GRADUATE STUDENTS
RENEWING THEIR CERA STATUS

COURSE #15
TRAINING IN ELECTIONS

Instructor: Kathleen Hale, J.D., Ph.D.
Auburn University
Auburn, AL

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Training is critical, not just for poll workers, but for everyone in the elections process. This course draws upon recently published material on elections training, best practices, and existing knowledge of adult education to offer principles and examples applicable to election administration. This is a graduate class for the PEP Program, and participants will be expected to share their own experiences and actively participate in discussions and projects, to employ training techniques appropriate for the various training situations in the administration of elections and voter registration.

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Right and Wrong:
Lessons Learned
From Election 2012

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New Orleans, Louisiana

**A Message from
R. Doug Lewis, Executive Director**

One of the realities of life is that Federal legislation and Federal laws continue to greatly affect local and state administration of elections. Since Election 2000, Congress and the states have become very active in shaping ways elections are administered. By looking at the Lessons Learned from Election 2012 we can digest what went right and what went wrong. The near term future of elections depends on how we handle the new requirements from Federal and state mandates – and an increasing number of court decisions.

We always learn new lessons in any major election cycle. Election administration continues to get better as we grow as a profession and this session will be about sharing those lessons so that the 2014 elections -- and beyond – provide better service to America's voters. Finding the right answers now can prevent trouble for you in the near future.

In addition to the workshop will be additional Professional Education Program courses during the weekend. Tuition for those courses is separate from the workshop registration. We continue our commitment to great education in election and voter registration administration and help a great city.

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30-9 Continental Breakfast

9-10	The 2012 Presidential Election Survey Status
10-11	Voter Registration and Elections Litigation from 2012
11-11:30	Break
11:30-12:30	New Ideas and Suggestions for Voters Needing Assistance (And update of RAAV activities)
12:30-2	No Host Lunch
2-3	Presidential Election Clearinghouse Issues from The Election Assistance Commission
3-4	2012 Recounts and Contested Elections: Lessons Learned
4-4:30	Suggestions for 2013 Activities in the Voter Registration and Election Office
Saturday, March 2, 2013	
8-9	Registration Desk
9:-4:30	Course VII Facilitating Voter Participation
9-4:30	Course VIII Implementation of New Programs
9-4:30	Course XV Training in Elections
12-1:30	Hosted Lunch
Sunday, March 3, 2013 Courses Continued	
8-11	Course VII
	Course VIII
	Course XV

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