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Welcome from the AFS President

It is my honor and pleasure to welcome you to the 2015 Academy of Financial Services Annual Meeting, the 29th anniversary of the Academy of Financial Services. We gather at this conference each year because we have a common interest in the teaching and the practice of financial planning and financial services. This conference provides a forum for academics and practitioners to present and discuss their current research, exchange potential research ideas, and catch up with colleagues and friends. Although we have a very full program, I hope you get to enjoy some of the fun Orlando has to offer.

A successful conference does not just happen—it takes a lot of planning and hard work. I would like to take this opportunity to give a very special thanks to Dr. Bob Moreschi, Executive VP – Program, for all of his efforts in putting together a very impressive program. I would also like to thank Dr. Benjamin Cummings, VP – Local Arrangements, for his tireless efforts in working with the Buena Vista Palace to coordinate our meeting spaces, planning our great meals and snacks, and making sure all of the little details have been addressed. Thank you also to two of our newest AFS officers, Dr. Thomas Langdon, VP – Finance and Dr. Martin Seay, VP – Communications. Both jumped into their current roles feet first and have done a fantastic job.

A very big “thank you” to Dr. Lance Palmer, the Immediate Past President of AFS. Lance’s help and support have been invaluable. I would also like to thank Dr. Stuart Michelson, Editor of *Financial Services Review*, for his dedication and hard work on the journal. Finally, I would like to thank some long serving AFS board members: Dr. Thomas Warschauer, Dr. Grady Perdue, and Dr. Larry Prather, who are leaving the Board of Directors. Tom was the first President of the Academy of Financial Services in 1985. Grady served as AFS President in 2003 – 2004. Larry, served in a number of capacities with AFS, and is also leaving the board. Tom, Grady, and Larry... Thank you for the time and talent you have given to AFS. You will all be missed.

The mission of the Academy of Financial Services is threefold:

- 1) To encourage basic and applied research in the area of personal financial planning and financial services;
- 2) To encourage the development of the curricula in the financial services field at the university level; and
- 3) To encourage interaction between financial services professionals and academicians.

If you would like to donate some of your time and talent to enable AFS to continue its mission, please consider running for an officer or director position. Feel free to visit with any of the current board members (listed in this program) for more information.

Thank you,

William T. Chittenden
President 2014-2015, Academy of Financial Services
Texas State University

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Lance Palmer	2013-2014

2015 Annual Program: Meeting-at-a-Glance

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1:00 pm	5:00 pm	AFS Board of Director's Meeting (Officers and Directors only)	Emerald
5:00 pm	8:00 pm	Registration Desk Open	Scotland Foyer
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7:00 am	8:00 am	Continental Breakfast	Scotland C
7:45 am	8:30 am	AFS Opening General Session	Scotland A/B
Note: "Thought Leadership Symposium" Sessions offer 1.5 CFP Credits			
8:45 am	10:15 am	Concurrent A Sessions	
		A1: Thought Leadership Symposium – Behavioral Finance A2: Thought Leadership Symposium – Mutual Fund Issues A3: Retirement Issues A4: Investments	Sussex Knave Scribe Scotland A/B
10:15 am	10:35 am	Morning Break and Refreshments	Scotland C
10:35 am	12:05 pm	Concurrent B Sessions	
		B1: Thought Leadership Symposium – Financial Planning Issues B2: Thought Leadership Symposium – Portfolio Strategy I B3: Financial Literacy	Sussex Knave Scribe
12:15 pm	1:50 pm	AFS Luncheon and Business Meeting	Scotland A/B/C
2:05 pm	3:35 pm	Concurrent C Sessions	
		C1: Thought Leadership Symposium – Insurance Issues C2: Thought Leadership Symposium – Investment Issues C3: Investor Behavior	Sussex Knave Scribe
3:35 pm	4:00 pm	Afternoon Break and Refreshments	Scotland C

4:00 pm	5:30 pm	Concurrent D Sessions	
		D1: Thought Leadership Symposium – Retirement Planning I D2: Institutional Investment D3: Social Issues and Financial Planning D4: Financial Advice	Sussex Knave Scribe Scotland A/B
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7:45 am	8:45 am	Featured Presentations – Poster Session	Scotland C
9:00 am	10:30 am	Concurrent E Sessions	
		E1: Thought Leadership Symposium – Portfolio Strategy II E2: Thought Leadership Symposium – Retirement Planning II E3: Information Effects	Sussex Knave Scribe
10:30 am	10:50 am	Morning Break and Refreshments	Scotland C
10:50 am	12:20 pm	Concurrent F Sessions	
		F1: Thought Leadership Symposium – Life Insurance F2: Planning: Investments and Insurance F3: Eclectic Financial Issues	Sussex Knave Scribe
12:20 pm		Conference adjourned. Thank you for your participation. See you next year in Las Vegas, NV at the 30th AFS Annual Meeting, October 20-21, 2016.	

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8:45 am	10:15 am	<p>Concurrent Session A1</p> <p>Thought Leadership Symposium – Behavioral Finance 1.5 CFP CE Credits</p> <p>Moderator: Jennifer Coats</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Overconfidence, Optimism, and Risk Management Decisions <i>Vickie Bajtelsmit, Colorado State University</i> <i>Jennifer Coats, Colorado State University</i> The Stickiness of Cash Inflow Timing: How Do Source of Inflow and Timing Affect Spending v. Saving? <i>Eugene Bland, Texas A&M University – Corpus Christi</i> <i>Valrie Chambers, Stetson University</i> <i>Marilyn Spencer, Texas A&M University – Corpus Christi</i> The Human Emotions of Fear and Love: 'Drivers' of Individual Investor's Decisions <i>Dev Prasad, University of Massachusetts – Lowell</i> <i>M. R. Shollapur, Siddaganga Institute of Technology</i> <i>Shridevi Patted, Government First Grade College, Tyamgondlu</i> 	Sussex

8:45 am	10:15 am	Concurrent Session A2	Knave
		<p>Thought Leadership Symposium – Mutual Fund Issues 1.5 CFP CE Credits</p> <p>Moderator: David Nanigian</p> <p>1. Is Your Tax-Managed Fund Manager Hiding in the Closet? <i>David Nanigian, The American College</i> <i>Philip Gibson, Winthrop University</i> <i>Dale Domian, York University</i></p> <p>2. Benchmarking Tax Efficient Mutual Funds Using Data Envelopment Analysis Model <i>D. K. Malhotra, Philadelphia University</i> <i>Rashmi Malhotra, St. Joseph's University</i> <i>Vivek Bhargava, Alcorn State University</i></p> <p>3. Management Fees and Portfolio Performance: Who Can Charge Higher Portfolio Management Fees and Why? <i>Russell Gregory-Allen, Massey University</i> <i>Hany Shawky, University of Albany</i></p>	
8:45 am	10:15 am	Concurrent Session A3	Scribe
		<p>Retirement Issues</p> <p>Moderator: Wade Pfau</p> <p>1. Making Sense Out of Variable Spending Strategies for Retirees <i>Wade Pfau, The American College</i></p> <p>2. How Much Retirement Income Do You Need? <i>Chris Robinson, York University</i> <i>Dale Domian, York University</i> <i>Jodi Letkiewicz, York University</i></p> <p>3. How Much Do We Understand About the Retirement Plan(s) We Select? <i>Inga Chira, Oregon State University</i> <i>Andrea Anthony, Oregon State University</i></p> <p>4. The Impact of Age Differences and Race on the Social Security Early Retirement Decision for Married Same-Sex Couples <i>Diane Docking, Northern Illinois University</i> <i>Rich Fortin, New Mexico State University</i> <i>Stuart Michelson, Stetson University</i></p>	

8:45 am	10:15 am	Concurrent Session A4	Scotland A/B
		Investments Moderator: Lai Van Vo 1. Real Asset Liquidity and Firm Innovation <i>Lai Van Vo, Western Connecticut State University</i> <i>Danh Vinh Le, Ton Duc Thang University</i> <i>Huong T. T. Le, Louisiana State University</i> 2. Relationship Between Counterparty Risk, Stock Market, Oil Prices, Home Prices, And Exchange Rates <i>Akash Dania, Alcorn State University</i> 3. When Actions Speak Louder than Words: Currency Management in Non-Financial Corporations <i>Sungjae Francis Kim, Gardner-Webb University</i> <i>Don Chance, Louisiana State University</i>	
10:15 am	10:35 am	Morning Break and Refreshments	Scotland C
10:35 am	12:05 pm	Concurrent Session B1	Sussex
		Thought Leadership Symposium – Financial Planning Issues 1.5 CFP CE Credits Moderator: Sherman Hanna 1. Household Ratio Guidelines for the Amount of Investments <i>Sherman Hanna, The Ohio State University</i> <i>Kyoung Tae Kim, The University of Alabama</i> 2. Children’s College as a Saving Goal <i>Congrong Ouyang, The Ohio State University</i> <i>Sherman Hanna, The Ohio State University</i> 3. Results from the Survey of Household Financial and Risk Management <i>Benjamin Cummings, Saint Joseph’s University</i> <i>Michael Guillemette, University of Missouri</i> <i>Terrance Martin, University of Texas – Rio Grande Valley</i> <i>Russell James III, Texas Tech University</i> 4. Risk Profiling Approaches Used by Canadian Investment Firms <i>Shawn Brayman, PlanPlus Inc.</i>	

10:35 am	12:05 pm	Concurrent Session B2 Thought Leadership Symposium – Portfolio Strategy I 1.5 CFP CE Credits Moderator: Larry Prather 1. Building Optimal Risky and Utility Maximizing TIAA/CREF Portfolios <i>Larry Prather, Southeastern Oklahoma State University</i> <i>Han-Sheng Chen, Southeastern Oklahoma State University</i> <i>Ying-Chou Lin, Southeastern Oklahoma State University</i> 2. Dynamic Dollar-Cost Averaging – New International Stock Markets Evidence <i>Eric Lin, Cal State University - Sacramento</i> 3. Risk and Uncertainty in Style Rotation <i>Timothy Krause, Penn State - Erie</i> 4. The Effect of the Pattern of Goal Savings on Financial Plan Portfolios <i>Thomas Warschauer, San Diego State University</i>	Knave
10:35 am	12:05 pm	Concurrent Session B3 Financial Literacy Moderator: Inga Chira 1. Money: Worries and Perceptions During College Years <i>Inga Chira, Oregon State University</i> <i>Bret Scott, Oregon State University</i> <i>Amy Bourne, Oregon State University</i> <i>Jenna Wiegand, Oregon State University</i> 2. Financial Literacy: A Synthesis Examining Education and Employment in National and International Cross-Sections <i>Colleen Tokar Asaad, Baldwin Wallace University</i> 3. The Impact of Public Policy on Financial Literacy Education <i>Kimberly Turner, The American College</i>	Scribe

12:15 pm	1:50 pm	AFS Luncheon and Business Meeting	Scotland A/B/C
		<p>Buffet Lunch (Food Service Scotland C, Seating Scotland A/B)</p> <p>President's Remarks and Business Meeting <i>William Chittenden, AFS President</i></p> <p>Featured Poster Presentations: Introduction of Presenters <i>Robert Moreschi, EVP-Program</i></p> <p>Luncheon Speaker <i>Walt Woerheide, PhD, ChFC®, CFP®</i> <i>Frank M. Engle Distinguished Chair in Economic Security Research</i> <i>Professor of Investments Academics</i> <i>The American College</i> <i>Presentation: <u>Educating Practitioners and the Role of Designations in the Financial Planning Industry</u></i></p>	
2:05 pm	3:35 pm	Concurrent Session C1	Sussex
		<p>Thought Leadership Symposium – Insurance Issues 1.5 CFP CE Credits</p> <p>Moderator: Swarn Chatterjee</p> <p>1. The Demand for Private Long-Term Care Insurance: Evidence from a National Study <i>Swarn Chatterjee, University of Georgia</i></p> <p>2. Determinants for the Purchase of Long-Term Care Insurance <i>Mary Dorn, U. of Missouri and CDS Group Financial Services</i> <i>Dalisha Herring, University of Missouri</i> <i>Geri Dickey, Park University</i></p> <p>3. Herd Behavior in Auto Insurance Purchase Decision <i>Fan Liu, Shippensburg University</i></p>	

2:05 pm	3:35 pm	Concurrent Session C2	Knave
		<p>Thought Leadership Symposium – Investment Issues 1.5 CFP CE Credits</p> <p>Moderator: Paul Bolster</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Assessing Performance of Morningstar's Star Rating System for Stocks <i>Paul Bolster, Northeastern University</i> <i>Emery Trahan, Northeastern University</i> <i>Pinshuo Wang, Northeastern University</i> 2. Risk-Shifting, Equity Risk, and the Distress Puzzle <i>Jimmy Lockwood, Colorado State University</i> <i>Keming Li, University of Minnesota - Duluth</i> <i>Hong Miao, Colorado State University</i> 3. Structured Products: The Ugly, The Uglier and The Ugliest <i>Nabil Tahani, York University</i> 4. The Individual Investor and the Piotroski-Screen Variables <i>Melissa Woodley, Creighton University</i> <i>Glenn Pettengill, Grand Valley State University</i> <i>Noah Thelen, Grand Valley State University</i> 	
2:05 pm	3:35 pm	Concurrent Session C3	Scribe
		<p>Investor Behavior</p> <p>Moderator: Daniel Huerta</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Investor Sentiment and Mexican Stock Returns A VAR Approach <i>Daniel Perez, University of St. Thomas - Houston</i> <i>Juan Pablo Gutierrez, University of Texas – Pan American</i> <i>Daniel Huerta, College of Charleston</i> 2. After the Great Recession: Financial Sophistication and Housing Leverage Among Middle-aged Households <i>Kyoung Tae Kim, The University of Alabama</i> <i>Martin Seay, Kansas State University</i> <i>Hyrum Smith, Virginia Tech</i> 3. Social Interaction Effects and Individual Portfolio Choice: Evidence from 401(k) Pension Plan Investors <i>Timothy (Jun) Lu, Peking University HSBC Business School</i> <i>Ning Tang, San Diego State University</i> 	
3:35 pm	4:00 pm	Afternoon Break and Refreshments	Scotland C

4:00 pm	5:30 pm	Concurrent Session D1	Sussex
		<p>Thought Leadership Symposium – Retirement Planning I 1.5 CFP CE Credits</p> <p>Moderator: Tao Guo</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Do Habits Impact Retirement Spending? <i>Tao Guo, Texas Tech University</i> <i>Michael Finke, Texas Tech University</i> 2. Efficacy of Publically-Available Retirement Planning Tools <i>Taft Dorman, Texas Tech University</i> <i>Harold Evensky, Texas Tech University</i> <i>Barry Mulholland, Texas Tech University</i> <i>Qianwen Bi, Utah Valley University</i> 3. Time Preference and Retirement Planning Strategies <i>Terrance Martin, University of Texas – Rio Grande Valley</i> <i>Michael Guillemette, University of Missouri</i> <i>Chris Browning, Texas Tech University</i> 4. To Roth or Not: A Review and Analysis of Retirement Plan and Conversion Options <i>V. Sivarama Krishnan, University of Central Oklahoma</i> <i>Julie Cumbie, University of Central Oklahoma</i> 	
4:00 pm	5:30 pm	Concurrent Session D2	Knave
		<p>Institutional Investment</p> <p>Moderator: Tim Alexander Herberger</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Are Momentum Strategies Feasible in Intraday-Trading? Empirical Results from the German Stock Market <i>Tim Alexander Herberger, Bamberg University</i> <i>Matthias Horn, Bamberg University</i> <i>Andreas Oehler, Bamberg University</i> 2. Corporate Governance in Mutual Funds: The Impact of Holdings Disclosure <i>Russell Gregory-Allen, Massey University</i> <i>Kathleen Thompson, Bancorp Treasury</i> 3. Financial Integration and Diversification Benefits: Evidence from China and the ASEAN Countries <i>Elisabeta Pana, Illinois Wesleyan University</i> 4. Public Reaction to Stock Market Volatility: Evidence from the ATUS <i>Patrick Payne, Texas Tech University</i> <i>Chris Browning, Texas Tech University</i> <i>Charlene Kalenkoski, Texas Tech University</i> 	

4:00 pm	5:30 pm	Concurrent Session D3	Scribe
		<p>Social Issues and Financial Planning</p> <p>Moderator: Claire Matthews</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How Young New Zealanders Perceive Political & Financial Wellbeing: A Longitudinal Study Election Year Update <i>Claire Matthews, Massey University</i> <i>Jeffrey Stangl, Massey University</i> 2. Personal Finance Education and Subsequent Financial Decision-Making <i>Janine Scott, Massey University</i> <i>Philip Gibson, Winthrop University</i> 3. Women and Money: <i>Sherman Hanna, The Ohio State University</i> <i>Suzanne Lindamood, The Ohio State University</i> 	
4:00 pm	5:30 pm	Concurrent Session D4	Scotland A/B
		<p>Financial Advice</p> <p>Moderator: Brian Payne</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How Does Investor Fear Travel? Implied Volatility across Geographical Markets and Asset Classes <i>Brian Payne, US Air Force Academy</i> 2. Do Finances Influence the Decision to Divorce or Reconcile? <i>Hannah Pearce Plauche, Louisiana State University</i> <i>Frances Lawrence, Louisiana State University</i> <i>Loren Marks, Louisiana State University</i> 3. Stock Diversification, Brokerage Accounts, and Financial Advice <i>Lawrence Verzani, William Patterson University</i> 4. Expense Ratios and Net Alphas of Large Cap Funds: Do Expenses Add Value? <i>Abhay Kaushik, Radford University</i> <i>Raymond Boisvert, Radford University</i> 	
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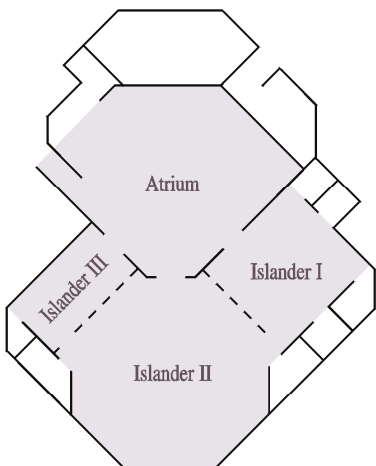
9:00 am	10:30 am	Concurrent E1	Sussex
		<p>Thought Leadership Symposium – Portfolio Strategy II 1.5 CFP CE Credits</p> <p>Moderator: Andreas Oehler</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Are Investors Really Home-Biased when Investing at Home? <i>Andreas Oehler, Bamberg University</i> <i>Stefan Wendt, Bamberg University</i> <i>Matthias Horn, Bamberg University</i> 2. Bargains for Individual Investors in Post-2008 Bond Markets? <i>Robert Dubil, University of Utah</i> 3. Option Writing Equivalence of Rebalancing <i>William Jennings, US Air Force Academy</i> <i>Brian Payne, US Air Force Academy</i> 4. Internationalization of Blue-Chip vs. Mid-Cap Stock Indices: An Empirical Analysis for France, Germany, and the UK <i>Andreas Oehler, Bamberg University</i> <i>Stefan Wendt, Bamberg University</i> <i>Matthias Horn, Bamberg University</i> 	
9:00 am	10:30 am	Concurrent E2	Knave
		<p>Thought Leadership Symposium – Retirement Planning II 1.5 CFP CE Credits</p> <p>Moderator: Benjamin Cummings</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Equity Allocation Decisions During the Great Recession <i>Benjamin Cummings, Saint Joseph's University</i> <i>Chris Browning, Texas Tech University</i> 2. Alternate Approaches for Top Up to Band Withdrawal Strategies <i>Shawn Brayman, PlanPlus Inc.</i> 3. How Risky is Your Retirement Income Risk Model <i>Huy Lam, Schultz Collins, Inc.</i> <i>Patrick Collins, University of San Francisco</i> <i>Josh Stampfi</i> 4. Life Quality and Health Costs in Late Retirement <i>Yuanshan Cheng, Texas Tech University</i> 	

9:00 am	10:30 am	Concurrent E3	Scribe
		Information Effects Moderator: Lee-Hsien Pan 1. Information Disclosure, Product-Market Competition, and Firm Value <i>Lee-Hsien Pan, Keuka College</i> 2. Playing Favorites: Conflicts of Interest in Mutual Fund Management <i>Diane Del Guercio, University of Oregon</i> <i>Egemen Genc, Erasmus University</i> <i>Hai Tran, Loyola Marymount University</i> 3. Stock Liquidity, Market Monitoring and Tax Avoidance: Evidence from Natural Experiments <i>Chi Wan, University of Massachusetts – Boston</i> <i>Shun Sean Cao, Georgia State University</i> 4. Personality Type and Financial Risk Profile <i>Stuart Michelson, Stetson University</i>	
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10:50 am	12:20 pm	Concurrent F1	Sussex
		Thought Leadership Symposium – Life Insurance 1.5 CFP CE Credits Moderator: Ning Wang 1. A Life Cycle Model with Joint Decisions for Household Life Insurance Demand <i>Ning Wang, Valdosta State University</i> 2. Determinants of the Stated Probability of Purchase for Longevity Insurance <i>Michael Guillemette, University of Missouri</i> <i>Terrance Martin, University of Texas - Rio Grande Valley</i> <i>Benjamin Cummings, Saint Joseph's University</i> <i>Russell James III, Texas Tech University</i> 3. Insurance Field Research Proposal <i>Chris Robinson, York University</i> <i>Victoria Zaremba, York University and Government of Ontario</i>	

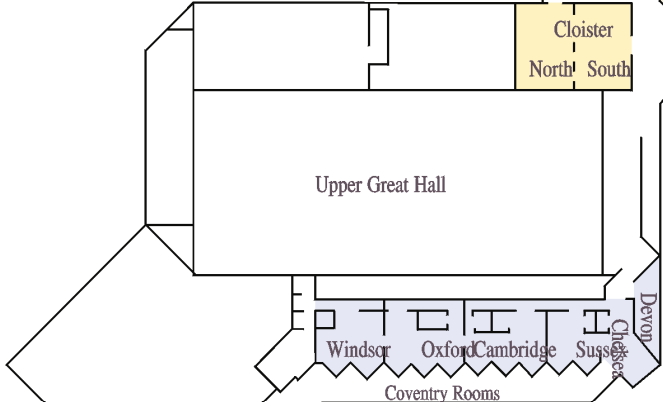
10:50 am	12:20 pm	Concurrent F2	Knave
		<p>Planning: Investments and Insurance</p> <p>Moderator: Stephen James Larson</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Considering Time in a Life Insurance Needs Analysis <i>Stephen James Larson, Ramapo College of New Jersey</i> 2. An Exact, Optimal Strategy for Traditional vs. Roth IRA/401(k) Consumption During Retirement <i>James DiLellio, Pepperdine University</i> <i>Dan Ostrov, Santa Clara University</i> 3. Usage of Financial Planning Advice and Financial Satisfaction: Implications for Financial Planners <i>JingJian Xiao, University of Rhode Island</i> <i>Nilton Porto, University of Rhode Island</i> 	
10:50 am	12:20 pm	Concurrent F3	Scribe
		<p>Eclectic Financial Issues</p> <p>Moderator: Christine Newman</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Executive Compensation: Motivation and Guidance for Casting Say-On-Pay Votes <i>Christine Newman, Auburn University</i> <i>Joseph Newman, Auburn University at Montgomery</i> <i>Raymond Johnson, Auburn University at Montgomery</i> 2. Financial Resiliency Following Bankruptcy: An Examination of the Enabling Capital Structures of Households Emerging from Bankruptcy <i>Swarn Chatterjee, University of Georgia</i> 3. Which Households Could Have Expected a Substantial Income Drop During the Great Recession? <i>Eunice Hong, The Ohio State University</i> <i>Sherman Hanna, The Ohio State University</i> 	
12:20 pm		<p>Conference adjourned</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Thank you for your participation.</i> • <i>See you next year in Las Vegas, NV</i> <i>“The 30th AFS Annual Meeting”</i> <i>October 20-21, 2016</i> 	



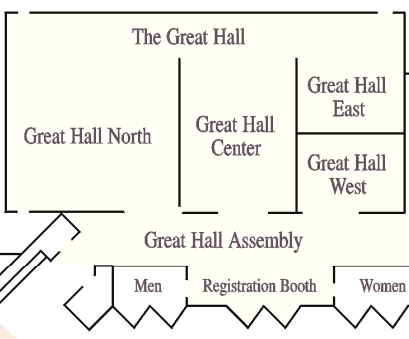
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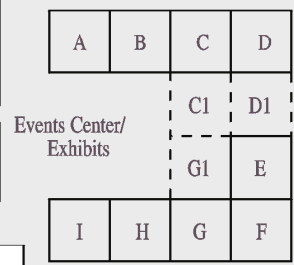
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Call for Papers

THE ACADEMY OF FINANCIAL SERVICES 30th Annual Meeting October 20– 21, 2016, Las Vegas, NV

The Academy of Financial Services will hold its annual meeting in Las Vegas, NV on Thursday and Friday, October 20-21, 2016. Note the Financial Management Association's annual meeting will also be held in Las Vegas, running from October 19-22. The AFS Conference will feature speakers, symposia, several special sessions, posters, and a reception. The academy has, in recent meetings and with generous support of our sponsors, awarded several best paper awards. Furthermore, selected papers will be considered for an expedited review for publication in the *Financial Services Review*.

Call-for Opens – on or about January 1, 2016 Paper Submission Deadline - May 18, 2016

Submission Information: Research papers and abstracts covering all aspects of individual financial management and education are sought for inclusion in the program. Papers in the areas of estate planning, insurance, tax accounting aspects of financial planning, investments, and retirement planning are encouraged. Proposals for panel discussions and tutorials devoted to current issues in individual financial management or the practice of financial planning will also be considered for inclusion in the program. Each submission will be reviewed anonymously by at least two members of the Program Committee, and authors will be notified of the decisions no later than June 30, 2016. Papers already accepted for publication in a refereed journal should not be submitted. There is no submission fee.

Submission Process: Please submit electronically at the following link which will open on or before January 1, 2016. <http://ProposalSpace.com/calls/d/544> To accommodate a blind review, the names and affiliations of the authors should *not* appear on the paper itself. The online submission will record authors' names in a separate section.

Author Responsibilities: All accepted papers **must** have at least one author registered for the conference on or before August 31, 2016. As a courtesy to other authors, presenters of accepted papers should expect to serve as discussants or session chairs. AFS speakers and presenters are very strongly encouraged to stay at the site hotel (TBA) to help AFS meet its contractual obligations to that hotel; this helps keep the registration fees as low as possible.

For further Information: For further information, refer to the AFS website at academyfinancial.org, and for specific questions contact Duncan Williams at jdwilliams@email.wcu.edu.

