

# FEDERAL MANAGERS ASSOCIATION MANAGEMENT TRAINING SEMINAR

Tuesday, March 15, 2016 Crowne Plaza Old Town Alexandria, Virginia Register at: www.fedmanagers.org

# Federal Managers – Developing and Engaging the Workforce

8:00 A.M. Keynote Address

Rep. Stephen Lynch (D-MA)

8:45 A.M. BREAK

# 9:00 A.M. Achieving Hiring Excellence

Learn specific ways in which hiring managers can use a variety of resources to recruit and ensure diverse, quality hires and work effectively with your human resources team to get the best results with hiring.

**Dr. Zina Sutch**, Director of Diversity, Recruitment and Work Life Division Office of Human Resources Management, U.S. Department of Agriculture

**Kim Holden**, Deputy Associate Director Recruitment and Hiring, Office of Personnel Management

10:00 A.M. BREAK

# 10:15 A.M. Engaging and Productive Communications

Communications between manager and employee are a critical factor in morale, engagement, and productivity. Discover how you can apply critical principles to better engage your employees, as well as keep already engaged employees from becoming disengaged.

**Jacob Faibisch**, Program Lead for Management and Supervisor Training Office of Human Resources Management U.S. Department of Agriculture

# 11:15 A.M. Developing and Empowering Your Employees

Learn best practices from top leaders in the Federal government to develop the talent in your organization and implement succession planning.

Federal Chief Learning Officers Panel

Moderator: Renee Johnson, FMA National Vice President

and Region 2 Director

## Panelists:

**Dr. Karlease Kelly**, Chief Learning Officer, Virtual University Office of Human Resources Management, U.S. Department of Agriculture

**Randy Bergquist**, Assistant Director, Learning and Workforce Development Justice Management Division, Department of Justice

**Ben Ficks** (invited), Chief Learning Officer, Training and Development Office Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer, Nuclear Regulatory Commission

#### 12:15 P.M. Awards Luncheon

# 1:45 P.M. **Preparing for Retirement – Financial Planning**

Ron Rothermel, National Sales Manager, GPIS

# 2:15 P.M. UnlockTalent.gov

See how you can find data with easy steps on your organization and your team to help you increase employee satisfaction and employee engagement.

Kimya Lee (invited), Senior Advisor

Research and Evaluation, Office of Personnel Management

## 2:40 P.M. BREAK

# 3:00 P.M. The New IQ for Leaders

Participate in an interactive session to learn about the habits that create an inclusive environment that will help you create a productive workforce.

**Bruce Stewart** (invited), Deputy Director, Training, Compliance and Strategy Office of Diversity and Inclusion, Office of Personnel Management

4:45 P.M. Federal Employee Education & Assistance Fund (FEEA) Raffle

# 5:00 P.M. Closing Remarks

FMA National President Patricia Niehaus