Labor Center

Building the labor movement through education

Iowa Public Sector Collective Bargaining Conference

A two-day collective bargaining school for union leaders, staff and members involved in collective bargaining under Chapter 20 (state and local government and school district workers), presented in cooperation with the Iowa Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO.

Successful bargaining in tough times; topics include:

- Legal update, review of Chapter 20, PERB Rules and recent case law
- Understanding public sector budgets
- Bargaining preparation and research
- Public outreach and media communication
- Mobilizing your members
- Preparing and presenting effective arguments
- Navigating the impasse process; voluntary agreements, mediation and arbitration



Space is limited, register early! (Limited to first 28 registrants)

When:	October 19-20, 2015 (Monday - Tuesday)
Where:	BioVentures Center, University of Iowa Research Park, Coralville, IA
Cost:	\$150/person , includes instruction, materials, parking, and lunch on both days (Housing is not included in the registration fee; see below for hotel information)
Time:	Registration from 8:30-9:00 a.m. on October 19; program will conclude by 4:00 p.m. on October 20

THREE WAYS TO REGISTER: 1) Call the Labor Center at 319-335-4144; 2) email us at <u>labor-center@uiowa.edu</u>; 3) register online at <u>http://www.continuetolearn.uiowa.edu/laborctr/registration/registration.html</u>. When registering by phone or email, please include the name(s) of the participant(s), union name and local #, mailing address, daytime phone #, union title/position, and name of employer. If you pay your registration fee in advance, make your check payable to The University of Iowa and mail it to: Labor Center, The University of Iowa, 100 BioVentures Center, Room W130, Iowa City, IA 52242-5000.

<u>Registration deadline: October 2, 2015</u>. A confirmation letter and program agenda will be sent to each registrant in advance of the program.

HOUSING: There are a number of hotels located near the conference location at UI Research Park in Coralville, including Holiday Inn, Holiday Inn Express, Hampton Inn, and Country Inn & Suites. Please call the Labor Center at (319) 335-4144 if you have questions about housing or need hotel contact information.

If you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation in order to participate in a program, please contact the Labor Center in advance at (319) 335-4144.

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