

# **2013 CONFERENCE**

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# SPONSORSHIP & EXHIBITOR PROSPECTUS

Showcase your products and services to
Washington State's accountants, Enrolled Agents, CPAs,
bookkeepers and tax preparers

**Washington Association of Accountants** 

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### **ABOUT WAA**

The Washington Association of Accountants (WAA) is an organization comprised of accountants, Enrolled Agents, CPAs, bookkeepers and tax preparers. Our members enjoy benefits such as continuing professional education conferences, including conferences in taxation, accounting, estate planning, technology, practice management and others.

Membership also provides an extensive network of accounting professionals, which serves as an invaluable resource for information, assistance and referral. WAA assists the accounting professional by providing the necessary tools to meet the increasing needs of the small business community and the general public.

The 2013 Conference: Affordable Care Act Realities and Taxpayer Relief Act Update will provide timely and relevant educational programming and is expected to draw approximately 100 qualified attendees.

#### **WAA Conference Attendee Demographics:**

Practice Type:
 CPAs: 36%

Accountants: 13% Enrolled Agents: 26%

By sponsoring or exhibiting at WAA Conference you will have personal interaction with more than 100 leading accounting professionals in the Northwest. The Conference gives attendees an opportunity to meet with the leading providers of:

Certified public accountants

Taxation practioners

Accounting educators and students

- Bookkeepers
- IRS experts
- Estate planners

#### WAA supports your exhibitor investment in a variety of ways:

- Full table display (6') for marketing materials and two name badges for company representatives
- Continental breakfast, morning and afternoon refreshment breaks held in exhibit area
- Exhibitors receive two passes to the lunch, where they can network with attendees at their table
- Projection of your company logo on screen during the exhibit hours
- Company listing and website link on WAA website from date of exhibitor registration until the Conference
- Pre-registration list of Conference attendees and excel file of attendee mailing addresses following Conference Exhibitors may only use attendee list to contact attendees by email up to two times

### **EXHIBITOR SCHEDULE**

Exhibitor Registration and Setup 5:30 – 7:00am
Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Area 7:00 – 8:00am
Refreshment Break in Exhibit Area 10:45 – 11:15am
Lunch and Networking (exhibitors eat with attendees) 12:30 – 1:45pm
Refreshment Break in Exhibit Hall 3:00 – 3:15pm

Note: Exhibit hours are subject to change

## **BECOME A WAA CONFERENCE SPONSOR**

In addition to exhibiting, we invite you to become a WAA Conference Sponsor. Commercial support is an excellent way to enhance your company's visibility, gain a more powerful presence in the accounting industry, and increase your impact with WAA members. Support opportunities include:

Premier Sponsor \$5,000

#### Benefits:

- Company logo and link to company website listed on Conference page of WAA website
- Company logo in WAA Conference promotional e-blasts
- Full table display (6') with premier placement at Conference for marketing materials and all exhibitor benefits
- Two complimentary registrations to WAA Conference
- Recognition from the podium at Conference
- Pre-registration list of Conference attendees and excel file of attendee mailing addresses following Conference
   Sponsors may only use attendee list to contact attendees by email up to two times

#### Networking Lunch Sponsor (2 available)

\$2,000

#### Benefits:

- Company logo and link to company website listed as Networking Lunch Sponsor on Conference page of WAA website
- Sign with company logo placed at lunch buffet stations on day of sponsorship
- Full table display (6') at sponsored Conference for marketing materials and all exhibitor benefits
- Recognition from the podium at Conference
- Pre-registration list of Conference attendees and excel file of attendee mailing addresses following Conference
   Sponsors may only use attendee list to contact attendees by email up to two times

#### Coffee Break Sponsor (2 available)

\$1,000

#### Benefits:

- Company logo and link to company website listed as Coffee Break Sponsor on Conference page of WAA website
- Sign with company logo placed at sponsored morning and afternoon Coffee Break stations on day of sponsorship
- Full table display (6') at sponsored Conference for marketing materials and all exhibitor benefits
- Recognition from the podium at Conference
- Pre-registration list of Conference attendees and excel file of attendee mailing addresses following conference Sponsors may only use attendee list to contact attendees by email up to two times

Note Pad & Pen Sponsor

(Gift In-kind)

Benefits:

- Company logo and link to company website listed as Note Pad & Pen Sponsor on Conference page of WAA website
- Full table display (6') at sponsored Conference for marketing materials and all exhibitor benefits
- Pre-registration list of Conference attendees and excel file of attendee mailing addresses following Conference
   Sponsors may only use attendee list to contact attendees by email up to two times
- Sponsor to provide 150 note pads and pens in-kind to be distributed at sponsored Conference

Name Badge Sponsor (Gift In-kind)

Benefits:

- Company logo and link to company website listed as Name Badge Sponsor on Conference page of WAA website
- Full table display (6') at sponsored Conference for marketing materials and all exhibitor benefits
- Pre-registration list of Conference attendees and excel file of attendee mailing addresses following Conference
   Sponsors may only use attendee list to contact attendees by email up to two times
- Sponsor to provide 150 name badge pouches in-kind to be distributed at Conference

Gift Bag Sponsor (Gift In-kind)

Benefits:

- Company logo and link to company website listed as Gift Bag Sponsor on Conference page of WAA website
- Full table display (6') at sponsored Conference for marketing materials and all exhibitor benefits
- Pre-registration list of Conference attendees and excel file of attendee mailing addresses following Conference Sponsors may only use attendee list to contact attendees by email up to two times
- Sponsor to provide 150 cloth gift bags in-kind to be distributed at Conference

For more information about Conference or other WAA sponsorship opportunities, please contact the WAA office at 206-367-8704 or office@waa.org.

# PROGRAM BOOK ADVERTISEMENTS Increase Your Visibility

Show your support for WAA and let Conference attendees know more about you by placing an ad in the printed program book. Exhibitors automatically receive a 1/8-page company listing. Additional ad space is available as follows:

Full Page B&W Half Page B&W Quarter Page B&W

Cost: \$250 \$175 \$125



## 2013 Conference Sponsor & Exhibitor Registration Form Online form also available at www.waa.org

Washington Association of Accountants				
Company Name				
Contact Name				
Mailing Address				
City, State, Zip				
Website				
Names of Exhibit Table Representatives				
>> Please send to a brief company de	scription and a jpeg of your comp	any logo to <u>office</u>	e@waa.org.	
Conference Exhibit Space	Registration Fee	Quantity	Amount	
Single Conference	\$500			
Add power to your table	\$75 each			
Additional Company Representatives (more than 2)	\$50 each			
Total Amount			\$	
Conference Sponsorships	Registration Fee	Quantity	Amount	
Premier Sponsor	\$5,000			
Networking Lunch Sponsor	\$2,000			
Coffee Break Sponsor	\$1,000			
Note Pad & Pens Sponsor	In-kind			
Name Badge Sponsor	In-kind			
Gift Bag Sponsor	In-kind			
Add power to your table	\$75 each			
Additional Company Representatives	\$50 each			
Total Amount			\$	
Conference Program Ads	Cost	Quantity	Amount	
Full Page	\$250			
Half Page	\$175			
Quarter Page	\$125			
Total Amount			\$	
DOOR PRIZES:  ☐ Yes! We will donate a door prize. Description:				
PAYMENT INFORMATION:				
☐ Check: Please make checks payable to WAA and m ☐ Credit Card: WAA accepts Visa, Mastercard, American		address below.		
Name on Credit Card:		Security Code:		
Credit Card #:		Exp Date:		
Billing Address (if different from above):				
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Return completed registration form and payment to:

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