



**North Atlanta Chapter-In its 29th year!
2 Hrs A&A CPE**

When: April 17, 2008



Where: Doubletree Hotel NW Atlanta off Windy Hill Road. From I-75 in Cobb Co. go west on Windy Hill Road (exit #260). Hotel driveway will be on your right located between Popeye's Chicken and Wachovia Bank. Phone: 770-272-9441.

Time: 5:30 p.m. - registration, 6 p.m. First Speaker, 7:30 p.m. Second Speaker

Cost: Students \$15, \$25 for chapter members, with a \$5 member discount available if registered by Monday, April 14th.

Register: [Send email](#) or visit the [chapter's web page](#). Remember to include (1) your name, (2) GSCPA member number and (3) contact phone number.

Dinner Buffet: Couscous Salad, House Salad, Shrimp Pasta, Cheese Stuffed Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Rolls and Butter, Iced Tea and Coffee, Pineapple Upside Down Cake

The chapter wishes to thank Chapter Board Member Alan Grothe for tonight's program.

Speaker Before & After Dinner: (2 hrs A&A CPE):

Ron Clark, professor at Auburn University will speak on:

Fair Value Accounting: Applying The FASB's Framework

Over 40 APB and FASB Statements refer to Fair Value Accounting. FASB 157 redefines how we determine fair value through consideration of various inputs and outputs. This session will present a general framework for applying FASB 157 and identify issues related to the new requirements.

Are The New Auditing Standards Bringing SOX to Non-public Companies?

New Statements on Auditing Standards, especially the Risk Assessment Suite, are having a significant impact on auditors and controllers of non-public companies. We will discuss some of the issues and stumbling blocks in applying these new standards. Defining an audit strategy and the pressure on companies to develop internal controls are just two of the issues we will cover in this session.

Ron Clark, CPA, Ph.D. is professor of accounting at Auburn University. He has taught continuing professional education courses for the AICPA, various state societies, and accounting firms for twenty five years to CPAs in more than thirty states. Ron practiced for thirteen years in public and industry before entering academe and continues to consult with local CPAs on auditing and accounting issues.