



# Chapter News and Events



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Northeast Georgia

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## President's Message

On August 2, 1861 the first income tax was enacted by Congress and the Social Security Act was on August 14, 1935. Is knowledge such as this the reason CPAs are viewed as wise advisors or is it our keen business sense combined with invaluable experience that has laid the foundation for our profession to be held in such high esteem and so trusted by all other professions?

Whatever the reason, any great distinction comes with at least one affliction. No I am not referring to tax season, but to CPE. As you know this is a reporting year, so we have put together a schedule with your needs and interests in mind.

This year our chapter will host seven events, and at the last event we will recognize all members who have participated in every event! We hope to recognize each and every member at this meeting with representatives from the State Society.

Thank you and I look forward to seeing you at the next meeting on August 20.

Jennifer Wilson  
Northeast Georgia Chapter President

## Chapter Meeting Information and Schedule

We have established the following dates and locations for our meetings.

- **Thursday, August 20, 2009** – Georgia Mountain Center in Gainesville, GA – Britton Adams will be presenting some Inventive Estate Planning Information.
- **Tuesday, September 15, 2009** – Continuing Education Center in Athens, GA – Tom Cunningham will provide us with a Riveting Economic Update.
- **Tuesday, October 20, 2009** – Georgia Mountain Center in Gainesville, GA – This will be our Student Night which usually brings around 120 students eager to meet professionals.
- **Tuesday, November 3, 2009** - Brenau University in Gainesville, GA – This is will be an eight hour CPE day that is very informative, local and priced just right. Remember it is a reporting year!
- **December Christmas Party** – Yes all good and hard work should be rewarded with a party. We are interviewing locations and caterers for this party. Choosing a location and the food for a party is very hard work.
- **Thursday, January 21, 2010** – Continuing Education Center in Athens, GA – We have decided to bring back a past tradition and invite other professionals to this meeting. Gubernatorial Candidate, Nathan Deal will be speaking to us. This meeting

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## Upcoming GSCPA Events

[Southeastern Accounting Show](#)

August 26-27, 2009  
Georgia International  
Convention Center  
College Park, GA

is one that you will not want to miss. Spaces will be limited, so be sure to reserve yours and your professional guest's spots early.

• **Thursday, May 20, 2010** – Georgia Mountain Center in Gainesville, GA – Leaders from the GSCPA will be presenting to us about the upcoming year. We will also have our induction of new officers, and don't forget that we will recognize every member who has attended each event this year. I hope that is you!

Please note that our evening meetings will begin with a social and cash bar at 6 p.m. and dinner at 6:30 p.m. Meetings are \$25 per member and due upon reservation unless specified differently. Please RSVP to [John Graham](#) if you plan to attend the meetings or have any questions.

Please note that the RSVP deadline for the August meeting is Thursday, August 13.

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