

2017 ICAA CONFERENCE AT-A-GLANCE

Tuesday, July 18, 2017

Registration/Information	8:00am — 2:30pm
Pre-Conference Meeting	
• Iowa Commission on Community Action Agencies Meeting	8:30am — 11:00am
• ICAA Board of Directors and Commission (Lunch)	11:00am — 12:30pm
Opening Conference Plenary	1:00pm — 2:15pm
• Welcome	
• Arlene McAtee, <i>ICAA Board President and Mid-Iowa Community Action, Inc. Executive Director</i>	
• Keynote Address: Fighting Poverty and Enhancing Dignity in 2017 and Beyond, H. Luke Shaefer, <i>Ph.D., Director of Poverty Solutions at the University of Michigan</i>	
Session 1 Workshops:	2:30pm — 4:30pm
• How to Fight Poverty and Enhance Dignity	
• Connecting a Community Assessment to Promising Anti-poverty Strategies	
• Under Pressure? HR Solutions to Hiring, Firing & Discipline	
• Statewide Community Health Resources	
• Updates from NASCSP on CSBG, WAP, and the CSBG Annual Report	

Wednesday, July 19, 2017

Coffee & Conversations	7:30am — 8:15am
Registration/Information	7:30am — 3:00pm
Silent Auction	8:00am — 5:00pm
Session 2 Workshops	8:15am — 9:45am
• Building ACEs: Building Hope and Resiliency in Iowa	
• Data - Not Just a Four Letter Word: Shifting the Focus Towards a Culture of Evidence	
• Unlocking Conflict Resolution: The Keys to De-Escalation	
• Learning Communities: Lessons Learned and How to Create a Community of Practice at the Local Level	
• New Technology in Weatherization	
Session 3 Workshops	10:00am — 11:30am
• The Changing World of Cybersecurity	
• Road Map to Affordable Housing	
• Building Bonds	
• Storybank: Our Success Their Stories	
• How to Recruit and Retain Subcontractors	
Networking Lunch	12:00pm — 1:00pm
• National Partner Updates (<i>NCAF, NASCSP and Community Action Partnership</i>)	

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Session 4 Workshops:

1:15pm — 2:45pm

- Customer Service that Shines
- Reducing Extreme Economic Inequality & Building Financial Capability for All, Part I of II
- Introduction to ROMA
- Designing Electric Rates that Benefit Households with a Low Income Part I of II
- Historical Highlights of the War on Poverty

Session 5 Workshops:

3:00pm — 4:30pm

- 21 Laws of Leadership
- The Two-Generation Approach to Improving Family Well-Being
- Reducing Extreme Economic Inequality & Building Financial Capability for All, Part II of II
- Working with Volunteers: Legal and Practical Issues
- Designing Electric Rates that Benefit Households with a Low Income Part II of II

ICAA “State Fair” Networking Event

4:30pm — 6:00pm

Thursday, July 20, 2017

Morning Refreshments - Foyer

8:00am — 8:30am

Registration/Information - Foyer

8:00am — 10:30am

Session 6 Workshops:

8:30am — 10:00am

- Hoops & Fences
- Homelessness and the Role of Community Action
- Key New Head Start Performance Standards: What CAA’s Need to Know!
- Child Care Deserts
- Energy Codes 101

Hotel Check Out / Break

10:00am — 10:30am

Awards Brunch

10:30am — 1:00pm

- National Partner Update from CAPLAW
- State of the Association, Lana Shope, *ICAA Executive Director*
- Recognition of Network Leaders: ELITE, NCRTs & CCAPs
- Years of Service Awards
- Friend of Community Action Award
- State Partnership Award
- Robert F. Tyson Memorial Award