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# Human Resources Training Catalog



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## *Introduction:*

It is our pleasure to present you with the 2016 fiscal year Training Catalog. This catalog reflects courses being offered, provided or sponsored by the Department of Human Resources/Training (HR Training).

In the following pages, you will find a variety of courses that support the County's Employee Training and Development Policy (8.00) in its "commitment to provide an environment which encourages the professional and personal growth of its employees".

We invite you to share your thoughts on how we are doing. Please forward any suggestions to HR Training to the attention of:

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## HR Training Mission:

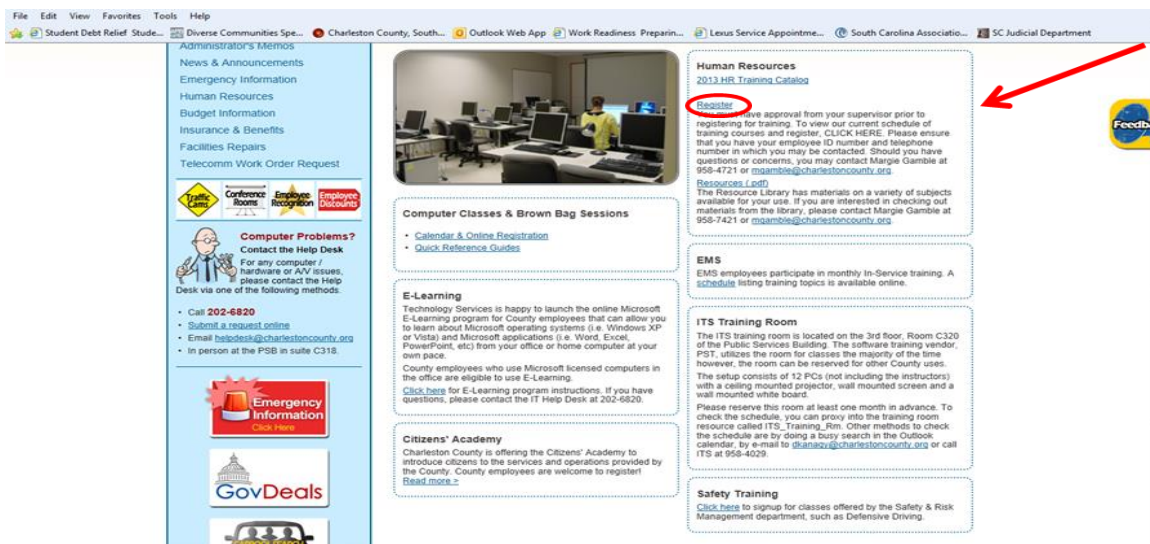
HR Training provides County-wide learning opportunities and resources that will inspire employees to increase knowledge and competencies and improve performance and effectiveness in alignment with the County's Mission and Values.

## Training Registration:

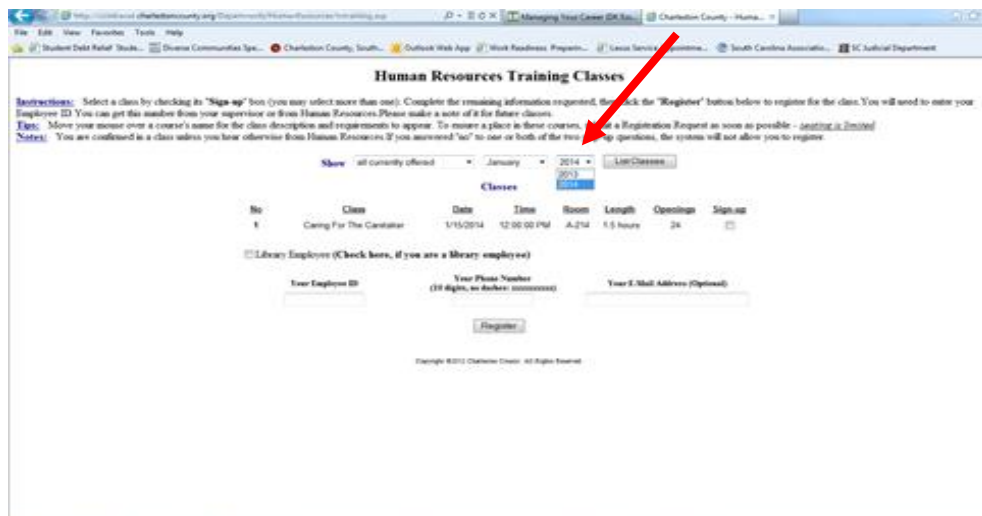
Class schedules are available via the Human Resources Training Catalog or the Charleston County Intranet at <http://ccintranet.charlestoncounty.org/training.php#hr>.

To access the training schedule or enroll in a class,

- Select the word **Register** in the **Human Resources** text box.



- In the year drop box, select the appropriate year for the class in which you are registering.



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In the month drop box, select the appropriate month for the class in which you are registering.

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <http://charlestoncounty.org/Departments/HumanResources/training.asp>. The page title is "Human Resources Training Classes". Below the title, there are instructions, tips, and notes. A "Show" dropdown menu is set to "all currently offered", and a month dropdown menu is set to "January". A red arrow points to the "List Classes" button. Below the button, there is a table of classes. The table has columns: No, Class, Date, Time, Room, Length, Openings, and Sign up. The first row shows class number 1, "Caring For The Caretaker", on 1/15/2016 at 12:00:00 PM in room A-214, with a length of 1.5 hours and 24 openings. Below the table, there is a section for "Library Employee (Check here, if you are a library employee)". This section contains three input fields: "Your Employee ID" (with the value 534321), "Your Phone Number (10 digits, no dashes: xxxxxxxxxx)" (with the value 9437054321), and "Your E-Mail Address (Optional)" (with the value nomena@charlestoncounty.org). A "Register" button is located below these fields. At the bottom of the page, there is a copyright notice: "Copyright ©2012 Charleston County. All Rights Reserved."

No	Class	Date	Time	Room	Length	Openings	Sign up
1	Caring For The Caretaker	1/15/2016	12:00:00 PM	A-214	1.5 hours	24	<input type="checkbox"/>

➤ Click the List Classes button

This screenshot is identical to the one above, showing the same web browser window and registration page. A red arrow points to the "List Classes" button. The table of classes and the registration form below it are also identical to the previous screenshot.

No	Class	Date	Time	Room	Length	Openings	Sign up
1	Caring For The Caretaker	1/15/2016	12:00:00 PM	A-214	1.5 hours	24	<input type="checkbox"/>

- Select the Sign-up box adjacent to the class in which you are enrolling.

A dialogue box will appear with the question, “Have you received your Supervisor’s/Manager’s approval to attend this course?” Should you select the yes button, another dialogue box will appear asking, “If prerequisites are listed for this course, have you completed them?” Should you select the yes button, the dialogue box will disappear and you will be required to enter Your Employee ID, Your Phone Number (10 digits, no dashed) and Your E-Mail Address (Optional) in the appropriate fields.

Should you select the no button to the question, “Have you received your Supervisor’s/Manager’s approval to attend this course?” or “If prerequisites are listed for this course, have you completed them?” you will not be able to register for the class.

**Human Resources Training Classes**

**Instructions:** Select a class by checking its "Sign-up" box (you may select more than one). Complete the remaining information requested, then click the "Register" button below to register for the class. You will need to enter your Employee ID. You can get this number from your supervisor or from Human Resources. Please make a note of it for future classes.

**Tips:** Move your mouse over a course's name for the class description and requirements to appear. To ensure a place in these courses, submit a Registration Request as soon as possible - *seating is limited*.

**Notes:** You are confirmed in a class unless you hear otherwise from Human Resources. If you answered "no" to one or both of the two pop-up questions, the system will not allow you to register.

Show: all currently offered | January | 2014 | List Classes

No	Class	Date	Time	Room	Length	Openings	Sign-up
1	Caring For The Caretaker	1/15/2014	12:00:00 PM	A-214	1.5 hours	24	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

☐ Library Employee (Check here, if you are a library employee)

Your Employee ID:

Your Phone Number (10 digits, no dashes: xxxxxxxxxx):

Your E-Mail Address (Optional):

Register

VBScript: Approval?

Have you received your Supervisor's/Manager's approval to attend this course?

Yes No

***For library employees interested in attending any training sessions, you may register by contacting Susan Bednar at [bednars@charleston.lib.sc.us](mailto:bednars@charleston.lib.sc.us).***

If you do not have access to the County’s Intranet, you may register by sending an email message with your information to Margie Gamble, SHRM-SCP®, SPHR®, MBTI®, [mgamble@charlestoncounty.org](mailto:mgamble@charlestoncounty.org).



## *Course Description Format:*

Each course listed in the catalog includes a brief course content description with the following elements:

- **Course Code:** A three-lettered code identifying the type of course followed by a three-numbered code identifying the specific course. As an example, PRO001 is a professional development course entitled “Developing Effective Communication Skills: Can You Hear Me Now?” Three-letter codes are defined as:

CSE: Customer Service Excellence

DPT: Departmental Training

EAP: Employee Assistance Program Workshops

GEN: General Information

LEA: Leadership Development

MMP: Mid-Management Program

NHO: New Hire Orientation

PDP: Professional Development Certificate Program

PRO: Professional Development

SUP: Supervisor Training Program

WEB: Webinar

- **Course description:** A brief description of the course, the intended audience and the learning outcomes of the course
- **Course Outline:** An outline of the topics covered in the course
- **Prerequisites:** Any prior experience in the course topic or pre-work expected prior to beginning the course
- **Date, Time and Location:** The dates, times and physical locations of each class
- **Competencies or Behavioral Attributes and/or Characteristics:** A set of strengths or skill-sets relevant to the course topic. As an example, a course topic of “Conflict Resolution for Supervisors” would include the competency: *Dealing with Conflict*. This competency’s behavioral attributes and/or characteristics include: *Command skills, managing conflict, Confronting direct reports, and Standing up to conflict.*

**Instructor:** HR Professional and/or Subject Matter Expert conducting the training

## ***Competencies:***

Competencies are included in the course descriptions for professional development and leadership development courses. The following is a complete list of competencies along with their behavioral attributes and/or characteristics:

<b>Competencies</b>	<b>Behavioral Attributes and/or Characteristics</b>
<b>Adaptability/Flexibility</b>	Positive under pressure Open-minded Accepting change Working with change
<b>Customer Focus</b>	Meeting customer's needs Responding quickly Building positive customer relationships Putting customers first External and internal customer focus
<b>Creativity/Innovation</b>	Open-minded Thinking creatively Delivering high-quality results Taking initiative Sharing ideas
<b>Dealing with Conflict</b>	Command skills Managing conflict Confronting direct reports Standing up to conflict
<b>Diversity Management</b>	Diversity awareness and sensitivity Understanding others Acting with fairness to others Avoiding biases and stereotypes Acting on diversity issues Promoting inclusion

Competencies	Behavioral Attributes and/or Characteristics
Emotional Intelligence	Self-awareness Self-controlled Sensitive to others Concern for others Socially appropriate Functioning well under stress
Ethics/Integrity	Aligning self with organizational ethics and values Trustworthy Demonstrating and expecting “right behavior” Unbiased
Getting Work Done Through Others	Delegating Developing direct reports and others Directing others Informing Managing and measuring work
Handling Difficult or Unhappy People	Listening without interruption Maintaining composure Maintaining boundaries Seeking mutual resolution
Inspiring Others	Motivating others Negotiating Building effective teams Managing vision and purpose
Interpersonal Communication	Relating well to others Expressing self well Building rapport Approachable Resolving conflicts effectively Providing clear direction Timely communication Listening
Listening	Listening effectively Avoiding interruption Acknowledging others
Managing Work Processes	Managing processes Managing through systems



Competencies	Behavioral Attributes and/or Characteristics
Negotiation/Persuasion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bartering effectively</li> <li>Negotiating to best outcome</li> <li>Establishing trust</li> <li>Presenting effective solutions</li> <li>Resolving objections</li> <li>Exerting positive influence for best outcome</li> </ul>
Organizing/Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Methodical</li> <li>Strategic thinking</li> <li>Effective planning</li> <li>Attention to detail</li> <li>Prioritizing of tasks</li> <li>Time management</li> <li>Producing under pressure</li> <li>Managing short and long-term tasks</li> <li>Resourceful implementation</li> <li>Staying on track</li> <li>Ensuring completion of tasks or projects</li> <li>Verifying accuracy of work</li> </ul>
Personal Effectiveness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continual learning</li> <li>Internally motivated</li> <li>Setting and reaching goals</li> <li>Excited about work and learning</li> <li>Optimistic and positive</li> <li>Career ambition</li> <li>Teaching others</li> <li>Balancing work/life</li> </ul>
Presentation Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Developing presentations</li> <li>Understanding audience</li> <li>Delivering presentations</li> <li>Customizing presentations</li> </ul>
Problem Solving/Making Decisions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Analytical</li> <li>Searching for improvement</li> <li>Defining and acting on problems quickly</li> <li>Implementing solutions</li> <li>Considering big picture in decision making</li> <li>Acting with fairness and integrity</li> </ul>
Professional Appearance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintaining professional look and apparel</li> <li>Wearing organization-required attire</li> </ul>
Research/Information Finding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Resourceful</li> <li>Delivering key information</li> <li>Good source knowledge</li> </ul>



Competencies	Behavioral Attributes and/or Characteristics
Results Focus	Action oriented Goal oriented Delivering results Perseverant Hard working Risk taking
Team Orientation	Working cooperatively with others Helping others Handling conflict Encouraging group participation Sharing information Embracing diversity
Timeliness	Reliably punctual Reliable attendance Dependable
Understanding the Business	Understanding and working within organizational structure Supporting organizational mission and values
Verbal Communication	Speaking clearly Speaking directly Avoiding excessive personal communication
Written Communication	Effective writing skills Use of appropriate words and grammar Verification of appropriate words and grammar

- **Logistics:** Date, Time, Location, and Registration Deadline for each course. Many classes are offered several times during the year and locations may vary. We are pleased to offer a few classes at the County Office Building (COB) for the convenience of employees who work downtown. We will continue to search for opportunities to offer increased convenience for all employees.

*The catalog may be updated throughout the year to incorporate new classes as they are developed. The catalog is posted on the Intranet on the Training webpage and in the Human Resources folder on the “K” drive. Also, you may check the weekly County Courier for class updates.*



## *Classroom Code and Location*

<b>Lonnie Hamilton Public Service Building (PSB)</b>	
<b>4045 Bridge View Drive</b>	
<b>North Charleston, SC 29405</b>	
<b>First Floor</b>	
<b>A106 – Santee Room</b>	
<b>Second Floor</b>	
<b>A214 – Cooper Room</b>	
<b>B225 – Council Committee Room</b>	
<b>B249 – Council Chambers</b>	
<b>C201 – Edisto Room</b>	
<b>Third Floor</b>	
<b>A309 – Kiawah Room</b>	
<b>B335 – Emergency Operation Center (EOC) Small Conference Room</b>	
<b>B337 – Emergency Operations Center (EOC) Citizen Information Room</b>	
<b>B339 – Emergency Operation Center (EOC)</b>	
<b>B349 – Folly Room</b>	

<b>Code</b>	<b>Location</b>
<b>Judicial Center</b>	
<b>Second Floor</b>	
<b>Meldrum – Media Room</b>	Judicial Center 100 Broad Street Charleston, SC 29401
<b>Third Floor</b>	
<b>CRT 3B – Court Room 3B</b>	Judicial Center 100 Broad Street Charleston, SC 29401
<b>CRT 3E – Court Room 3E</b>	Judicial Center 100 Broad Street Charleston, SC 29405
<b>Fourth Floor</b>	
<b>CRT 4B – Court Room 4B</b>	Judicial Center 100 Broad Street Charleston, SC 29405
<b>CRT 4C – Court Room 4C</b>	Judicial Center 100 Broad Street Charleston, SC 29401

## Courses

### *Customer Service Excellence*

#### **CSE002: Yes...And Then Some Service!**

This course is required for all employees. It focuses on basic service skills to include how to effectively meet and exceed service behaviors that all customers want and expect how to make strong first and lasting impressions, how to work the zone of interaction, the importance of communicating great service (words vs. tone vs. body language), key words and phrases that are guaranteed to wow customers.

#### **Course Outline**

- Define exceptional customer service
- Discuss service levels in America
- Examine the Fish Philosophy
- Identify customers' wants and needs
- Review the zone of customer service
- Discuss the ESEE Method of delivering exceptional customer service
- Develop a personal action plan

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
August 24 , 2015	12:45 PM – 2:15 PM	EOC (B339 – PSB)
December 14, 2015	12:45 PM – 2:15 PM	EOC (B339 – PSB)
May 2, 2016	12:45 PM – 2:15 PM	EOC (B339 – PSB)
Lead Instructor	Margie Gamble, SHRM-SCP <sup>®</sup> , SPHR <sup>®</sup> , MBTI <sup>®</sup> , HR Training Specialist	

*Note: Departmental training is available upon request.*



***Customer Service Excellence*****CSE003: Dealing With Difficult People**

This course is for all employees and follows “Yes...And Then Some Service!” It focuses on how to handle people (customers/co-workers) who are angry, upset, frustrated and are taking it out on YOU. It includes sharing some of the participants’ experiences in dealing with challenging customer situations, what happens when people get angry, seven steps in dealing with difficult people, how to avoid “trigger” words and phrases and use “calmers”, and a critique of a real-life situation on the frontlines of service.

**Course Outline:**

- Discuss the reasons why people become angry
- Review the Right Brain/Left Brain theory
- Learn the seven principles of dealing with difficult customers
- Identify words and phrases that may upset customers
- Observe how a major company deals with difficult customers

**Required Prerequisite:** None

**Date, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
August 2, 2015	2:15 PM – 3:45PM	EOC (B339 – PSB)
December 14, 2015	2:15 PM – 3:45 PM	EOC (B339 – PSB)
May 2, 2016	2:15 PM – 3:45 PM	EOC (B339 – PSB)
Lead Instructor	Margie Gamble, SHRM-SCP <sup>®</sup> , SPHR <sup>®</sup> , MBTI <sup>®</sup> , HR Training Specialist	

*Note: Departmental Training is available upon request.*





## *Customer Service Excellence*

### **CSE007: Employee Engagement Retreat**

This course will use Charleston County's Mission and nine Values (Trust, Commitment, Communication, Versatility, Accountability, Teamwork, Safety, Diversity and Customer Service Excellence) in a fun and entertaining way through team activities and puzzles. Two options for training are offered:

- Option 1: Outdoor Challenge Course at James Island County Park
- Option 2: Indoor Classroom Setting in Room B339 of the Public Services Building

Selection of participants will be a combination of Employee and Supervisor of the Quarter winners, nominees from department heads and open registration.

#### **Competencies:**

- Customer Focus
- Inspiring Others
- Interpersonal Communication
- Listening
- Problem Solving/Making Decisions
- Team Orientation

**Required Pre-Requisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times and Locations:**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Location</b>
<b>April 22, 2016 (Indoor Version)</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	EOC (B339 – PSB)
<b>April 29, 2016 (Outdoor Version)</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	James Island County Park – Challenge Course



## NEW OFFERING!

### PER 003: How to Maximize Your Performance

This course will provide information about Charleston County's performance-based pay system (longevity and merit programs), tips for maximizing performance, and techniques for receiving constructive feedback. Emphasis is on maintaining a spirit of openness and mutual respect. This course is a pre-requisite for enrolling in the Professional Development Program.

#### Course Objectives:

- Gain understanding of the County's performance-based pay system and how it impacts you
- Learn how to get the most out of your performance by setting priorities, and focusing on achievement
- Recognize the purpose of constructive feedback and how it is defined
- Learn various techniques for receiving constructive feedback with a spirit of openness and respect

#### Competencies:

- Adaptability/flexibility
- Emotional intelligence
- Interpersonal communication
- Listening
- Results focused
- Team orientation

**Required Pre-Requisite:** None

#### Dates, Times and Locations:

Date	Time	Location
December 7, 2015	9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon	A214
March 29, 2015	9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon	A214



## *Certificate Programs*

Charleston County Government Human Resources Training Division offers several targeted certificate programs to provide employees with the opportunity to develop in-depth understanding of a particular subject area and build skills relevant to performance in that area. The following certificate programs are available:

Program	Program Coordinator
<b>PDP001: Professional Development Program</b>	Margie Gamble, SPHR <sup>®</sup> , SHRM-SCP <sup>®</sup> , MBTI <sup>®</sup> <a href="mailto:mgamble@charlestoncounty.org">mgamble@charlestoncounty.org</a>
<b>PDP 2.0: Professional Development Program II</b>	Margie Gamble, SPHR <sup>®</sup> , SHRM-SCP <sup>®</sup> , MBTI <sup>®</sup> <a href="mailto:mgamble@charlestoncounty.org">mgamble@charlestoncounty.org</a>
<b>SUP001: Supervisor Training Program I</b>	Roslyn Harris, SPHR <sup>®</sup> <a href="mailto:rharris@charlestoncounty.org">rharris@charlestoncounty.org</a>
<b>SUP002: Supervisor Training Program II</b>	Roslyn Harris, SPHR <sup>®</sup> <a href="mailto:rharris@charlestoncounty.org">rharris@charlestoncounty.org</a>
<b>PER003: Performance Management for Leaders</b>	Roslyn Harris, SPHR <sup>®</sup> <a href="mailto:rharris@charlestoncounty.org">rharris@charlestoncounty.org</a>

The details of these programs are listed throughout the catalog. Eligible employees may enroll in the certificate program of their interest by contacting the program's coordinator.



## *Professional Development*

### **Professional Development Program (PDP)**

The ***PDP001: Professional Development Program*** is a certificate program for all Charleston County employees who are interested in improving their professional, as well as their personal effectiveness. Participants will participate in 30 hours of instruction designed specifically for Charleston County employees and delivered by outstanding professional instructors. They will have the opportunity to expand their network, and participate in highly interactive discussions and learning exercises. Classes may be taken at the employee's leisure during the period of April 2015 through March 2016. Employees may take each course separately (with the exception of the Capstone course) without enrolling in the program. However, in order to attend the PDP Capstone class and be awarded the PDP certificate, you must enroll in the program.

**Requirements:** The PDP consists of the following core courses and a minimum of 1 elective:

Component Courses	
Core Courses	Electives
<b>PRO018: Business Writing Essentials</b>	PRO019: Assertive Training
<b>PRO021: Workplace Etiquette</b>	PRO020: Designs for Effective Decision Making
<b>PRO024: Managing Your Time</b>	PRO022: Navigating Intercultural Communication
<b>PRO026: Principles of Records Management</b>	PRO023: Managing Anger
<b>PRO027: Presentation Skills</b>	PRO025: Meeting and Event Planning
<b>PRO028: Civility, Ethics and Values</b>	PRO029: Strategies for Successful Interviewing
<b><i>PRO030: Professional Development Capstone*</i></b>	////////////////////////////////////

**Certificates:** An overall certificate in the Professional Development Program is awarded upon completion of the seven (7) core courses and any one (1) elective course. You may obtain a copy of your course history by contacting Margie Gamble, SPHR® at [mgamble@charleston.org](mailto:mgamble@charleston.org).

***\*Participants must complete Seven (7) core courses and (1) elective prior to enrolling in this course.***



## *Professional Development*

### **PRO018: Business Writing Essentials**

This course is designed as an introduction to business writing and the process involved in composing letters, memos and e-mails. Participants will review common errors in spelling and grammar and will receive tips and resources for continuous improvement. Participants will also have an opportunity to assess and practice writing skills.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Identifying and practicing general conventions of effective business writing
- Reviewing general guidelines
- Paragraph revision (getting to the point)
- Writing for clarity
- Active v. passive voice
- Identifying common errors in writing and strategies to remember writing rules
  - ✓ Punctuation
  - ✓ Tone
  - ✓ Avoiding redundancies
- Professional email etiquette

#### **Competencies:**

- Written Communication
- Research/Information Finding

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
August 4, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 - The Cooper Room
November 4, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 - The Cooper Room
Instructor	Johnna Murray, Program Manager for Community Development	

## *Professional Development*

### **PRO019: Assertiveness Training**

Assertiveness, a powerful skill to possess, is the underpinning of professional communication. This practical application course looks at the difference between assertive, passive or aggressive types of communications.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Define and recognize assertive interpersonal communication techniques
  - ✓ Discuss the definition of assertiveness
  - ✓ Examine Specific tools and characteristics of communication
- Differentiate between aggressive, assertive and passive response styles
  - ✓ Examine traits of each style of communication
  - ✓ Role play responses elicited by each style
  - ✓ Examine appropriate times to use each style and potential benefits v. harm
- Practice applying assertive skills in a practical setting
  - ✓ Construct assertive communication
  - ✓ Role play scenarios
  - ✓ Examine case studies

#### **Competencies:**

- Dealing with Conflict
- Emotional Intelligence
- Interpersonal Communication
- Verbal Communication

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
<b>September 1, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>January 19, 2016</b>	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Barrett Tolbert, Director of Procurement	

## *Professional Development*

### **PRO020: Designs for Effective Decision Making**

This course examines techniques and models that will assist you in analyzing a decision situation, identifying alternatives and making the most effective decision.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Defining effective decision making
- Identifying the differences between intuitive and systematic decision making
- Describing the steps involved in the decision making process
- Applying tools and techniques to enhance your decision making process

#### **Competencies:**

- Creative Innovation
- Managing Work Process
- Personal Effectiveness
- Problem Solving/Making Decisions

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
September 30, 2015	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
March 24, 2016	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
Instructor	LaShanda Hicks, Contract Manager, Sheriff's Department	

#### **Tips for Attending Training**

- Bring pen/pencil and paper.
- Arrive on time.
- Dress comfortably (temperature of room may vary).
- Bring snack items if desired (no snack or beverages permitted in Council Chambers or Court Rooms).
- Participate; class discussions are vital to our training sessions.
- Be respectful of others perspective.

## ***Professional Development***

### **PRO021: Workplace Etiquette**

#### **Course Description:**

In this course, we will cover workplace expectations, acceptable behaviors, appropriate business dress and grooming, verbal communication, telephone skills, and general professional demeanor.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Define appropriate and inappropriate office behavior
- Describe appropriate dress
- Demonstrate professional use of the telephone in a business
- List steps for dealing with difficult people
- Identify and rephrase blunt wording for more professional communication
- Discuss methods of handling typical interruptions (visitors, phone calls, requests)
- Develop an action plan to improve professionalism in work areas.

#### **Competencies:**

- Ethics/Integrity
- Interpersonal Communication
- Professional Appearance
- Personal Effectiveness
- Team Orientation

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
<b>November 12, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>May 10, 2016</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214- The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Sarah Gainey, LPC, CEAP, Employee Assistance Program Counselor	
<b>Instructor</b>	Margie Gamble, SHRM-SCP <sup>®</sup> , SPHR <sup>®</sup> , MBTI <sup>®</sup> , HR Training Specialist	





## *Professional Development*

### **PRO022: Navigating Intercultural Communication**

#### **Course Description**

This course provides a fundamental framework that helps to recognize the factors and influences of culture on communication. Participants will gain insights to the value of effectively communicating with people from diverse cultures and learn strategies for resolving differences for better relationships and increased productivity at work.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Identify the dimensions of culture
- Examine the stages of cultural awareness
- Distinguish barriers that impact intercultural communication
- Provide a framework and strategies for communicating effectively and appropriately across cultures to improve relationships and workplace productivity

#### **Competencies:**

- Diversity Management
- Interpersonal Communication
- Listening
- Verbal Communication

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
<b>October 22, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>June 16, 2016</b>	9:00 am – 12:00 pm	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Edrian Trakas, ABL, Deputy Tax Collector	

***Professional Development*****PRO023: Managing Your Anger in the Workplace****Course Description:**

In this course, participants will learn why managing anger in the workplace is essential to both professional and personal success, how to identify warning signs of anger, and learn methods to manage their anger and diffuse anger in others. This course will be taught by an Employee Assistance Program Counselor.

**Course Outline:**

- Increase awareness and understanding of anger
  - ✓ Define anger and its different components
  - ✓ Learn and understand the different responses to anger and how this differs between individuals
  - ✓ Review myths about anger
- Improve ability to recognize and understand anger in the workplace
  - ✓ Review signs of anger in the workplace
  - ✓ Review- common sources of anger in the workplace
- Review tools to manage anger
  - ✓ Discuss techniques used to diffuse anger
  - ✓ Learn how and when to appropriately implement anger management techniques, including when threatened

**Competencies:**

- Dealing with Conflict
- Creative Innovation
- Interpersonal Communication
- Negotiation Persuasion
- Problem Solving/Making Decisions

**Required Prerequisite:** None

**Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
<b>December 2, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>June 23, 2016</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Tracy Grantham, LPC, PHR <sup>®</sup> , Employee Assistance Program Counselor	
<b>Instructor</b>	Margie Gamble, SHRM-SCP <sup>®</sup> , SPHR <sup>®</sup> , MBTI <sup>®</sup> , HR Training Specialist	



## Professional Development

### PRO024: Managing Your Time

#### Course Description:

In this course, participants will learn skills, tools and strategies for managing their time appropriately, setting priorities, and making time spent in meetings more beneficial.

#### Course Outline:

- Understand time management
  - ✓ Define time and time management
  - ✓ Discuss various factors that influence your use of time
  - ✓ Learn theories that help define your personal strategies
- Setting priorities
  - ✓ Learning about what is most important
  - ✓ Discussing tools for managing priorities
- Exploring common time management tools
- Learning strategies for managing time spent in meetings

#### Competencies:

- Adaptability/Flexibility
- Managing Work Process
- Organizing/Planning
- Timeliness

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### Dates, Times & Locations:

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
October 12, 2015	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
April 13, 2016	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Sarah Gainey, Employee Assistance Program Counselor	
<b>Instructor</b>	Margie Gamble, SHRM-SCP <sup>®</sup> , SPHR <sup>®</sup> , MBTI <sup>®</sup> , HR Training Specialist	

## ***Professional Development***

### **PRO025: Meeting and Event Planning**

#### **Course Description:**

The purpose of this training is to provide tools and resources that will allow participants to think through the planning process; identify tasks, timelines, and resources needed to execute successful meetings and events as well as conduct follow up activities. Participants will also learn to create a contingency plan for those unexpected incidents.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Planning meetings and events
  - ✓ Key components of a meeting or event
  - ✓ Identify strategies and resources available
  - ✓ Establish contingency plans
- Executing meetings and events
  - ✓ Discuss the role of the coordinator
  - ✓ Examine strategies for working with others\Post meeting or event activities
- Post meeting or event activities
  - ✓ Discuss follow up activities

#### **Competencies:**

- Creativity/Innovation
- Getting Work Done Through Others
- Inspiring Others
- Interpersonal Communication
- Organizing/Planning
- Problem Solving/Making Decisions
- Timeliness

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
<b>September 15, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>January 7, 2016</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Margie Gamble, SHRM-SCP <sup>®</sup> , SPHR <sup>®</sup> , MBTI <sup>®</sup> , HR Training Specialist	

## ***Professional Development***

### **PRO026: Principles of Records Management\***

#### **Course Description:**

This course will begin with an overview of records management; its basic principles, and its benefits. A thorough discussion of the specifics of the records management program at Charleston County Government will follow.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Records Management Basics
  - ✓ What is a “Record”?
  - ✓ What do we mean by “Records Management”?
  - ✓ Lifecycle of a Record
  - ✓ Components of a Records Management Program
  - ✓ Record Retention Schedule
  - ✓ Electronic Records
- Why Records Management?
  - ✓ Laws and regulations in which we should be aware
  - ✓ Audits
- Records Management at Charleston County Government
  - ✓ Overview of Charleston County Records Management Program
  - ✓ Navigating Records Retention Schedule
  - ✓ Storage and Destruction
  - ✓ How to make use of Charleston County Records Management

#### **Competencies:**

- Managing Work Processes
- Organizing/Planning
- Research/Information Finding

**Required Prerequisite:** None

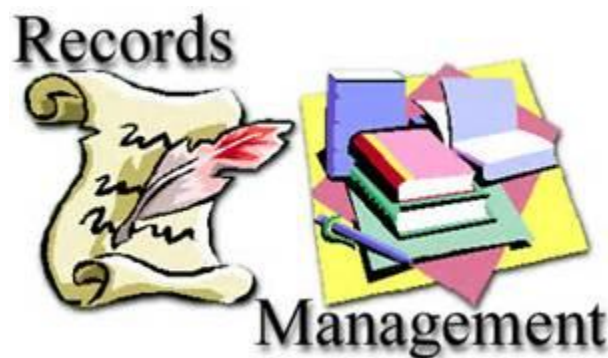
## ***Professional Development***

### ***PRO026: Principles of Records Management Continued***

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
October 8, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
Instructor	Haley Doty, Records Manager for Records Management	

*\*This course is accompanied by a required 3 hour lab. Dates and times for the lab will be determined at a later date.*



#### **For a positive learning experience, please:**

- Turn off or silence cell phones and electronic devices
- Participate in group discussions and activities
- Be on time for class
- When returning from breaks, keep sidebar conversations on hold

## *Professional Development*

### **PRO027: Presentation Skills**

#### **Course Description:**

This course provides techniques and practices for delivering effective oral presentations. Participants will make a presentation using various media.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Preparing and delivering more effective oral presentations
- Using visual aid effectively
- Gaining Self Confidence in making presentations
- Demonstrating different presentations; introduction, group and formal presentations
- Identifying presentation concerns and fears

#### **Competencies:**

- Creativity/Innovation
- Interpersonal Communication
- Presentation Skills
- Verbal Communication

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
October 27, 2015	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
Instructor	Johnna Murray, Program Manager for Community Services	

## ***Professional Development***

### **PRO028: Civility, Ethics and Values**

#### **Course Description:**

This course has the intended goal of reinforcing the importance of establishing and maintaining civility in the workplace. Discussing ethics and values is also a critical part of this course as it will help employees to understand how the stated ethics and values of Charleston County Government applies to them and how implementing these standards produces a more productive workforce. Participants will be able to engage in scenarios that deal with ethical/unethical situations.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Define civility, ethics, and values
- Provide overview of official Charleston County Government ethics and values policy guidelines
- Discuss the positive impact of having civility, ethics, and values policies in the workplace/Discuss the negative impact of an organization not enforcing civility, ethics, and values policies
- Stage an activity to reinforce the significance of company ethics and values
- Have class attendees complete a quiz on workplace civility, ethics & values

#### **Competencies:**

- Ethics/Integrity
- Emotional Intelligence
- Interpersonal Communication
- Team Orientation

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
<b>November 19, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>February 11, 2016</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	
<b>Instructor</b>	Susan Steed, IPMA-CP, HR Manager of Training & Employee Relations	
<b>Instructor</b>	Roslyn Harris, SPHR®, HR Generalist	





## *Professional Development*

### **PRO029: Winning Strategies for Successful Interviewing**

#### **Course Description:**

This course is designed to help Charleston County employees effectively deal with the challenges of job interviewing. Charleston County is committed to helping motivated employees become good candidates for internal promotion and advancement. Participants will develop effective responses to interview questions and will learn how to project a professional image. Interviewing skills and practices will be shared to better prepare participants on how to speak more confidently and better market themselves. Participants will have the opportunity to engage in practice interviews.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Preparing for a job interview
- Preparing for a job interview through research
- Projecting a professional image
- Making the best first impression at the interview
- Developing effective responses to interview questions
- Answering difficult questions

#### **Competencies:**

- Creativity/Innovation
- Interpersonal Communication
- Organizing/Planning
- Personal Effectiveness
- Professional Appearance
- Research/Information Finding
- Verbal Communication
- Written Communication

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
August 19, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Margie Gamble, SHRM-SCP <sup>®</sup> , SPHR <sup>®</sup> , MBTI <sup>®</sup> , HR Training Specialist	
<b>Instructor</b>	Dominic DiSandro, SHRM-CP <sup>®</sup> , PHR <sup>®</sup> , HR Manager of Compensation and Employment	

## ***Professional Development***

### **PRO030: Professional Development Program Capstone**

#### **Course Description:**

This course is a summarization of all program required components for the Professional Development Certification Program. The Capstone provides the participant with the “big picture” of how the individual program components work together to improve job satisfaction and performance.

***This workshop is limited to individuals enrolled in the Professional Development Certification Program who have completed all program requirements, including the required courses.***

#### **Course Outline:**

- Review and Summary of Professional Development Concepts

#### **Required Prerequisites:**

Business Writing, Efficiency and Procrastination, Managing Your Time, and Principles of Records Management and Presentation Skills

#### **Date, Time & Location:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
<b>March 10, 2016</b>	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	B339 – Emergency Operation Center
<b>Instructor</b>	Margie Gamble, SHRM-SCP®, SPHR®, MBTI®, HR Training Specialist	

Upon completion of the Professional Development Program, participants will receive a certificate of completion. This certificate will be awarded to participants at a graduation ceremony on March 31, 2016.

## Professional Development

### NEW OFFERING!

#### Professional Development Program II (PDP2.0 – Certificate Program)

The **PDP2.0: Professional Development Program II** is a certificate program for employees who have successfully completed PDP00: Professional Development Program. With a foundation of *Myers-Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI) Assessment*, **PDP 2.0** provides participants with insights of themselves and how they interact with others. It provides a powerful framework for building better relationships, driving positive change, harnessing innovation, and achieving excellence.

Classes will be scheduled over a 6 months period. Unlike the **PDP001: Professional Development Program**, courses will only be offered once per cycle. There will be no makeup work. The following are the courses offered in the PDP 2.0 Program:

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| • Introduction to Myers-Briggs Type Indicator Workshop | 8 Hours |
| • Dealing With The Impact of Organizational Change     | 3Hours  |
| • Stress Management: Get A Grip                        | 3 Hours |
| • Assertiveness Training II                            | 3 Hours |
| • Onboarding Process                                   | 3 Hours |
| • Safety & Risk Process                                | 3 Hours |
| • Leave Process  | 3 Hours |
| • Business Writing II                                  | 3 Hours |

**Prerequisite:** PDP001: Professional Development Program, MBTI Counseling and PER001: Performance Management For Leaders or PER003: Maximizing Your Performance for Employees

**Dates and Locations:** Will be determined at a later time.

*At the conclusion of each course, participants will receive an assignment that will determine a pass or fail grade.*



## ***Supervisor Training Program***

### **SUP001: Supervisor Training Program I (Certificate Program)**

#### **Course Description:**

This course provides the principles and content information necessary to be a successful supervisor in Charleston County. It incorporates leadership styles with the skills and competencies needed to be an effective leader, coach, facilitator and resource provider. This class meets for four hours every week for six weeks (2 classes are held during the last week of the program).

Participants of this program will understand role as a supervisor and leader, practice positive motivational techniques and avoid negative techniques, recognize individual differences and the importance of diversity in resolving conflicts, and know County policies and procedures or be able to use the Human Resources Department as a resource for policy guidance.

A certificate of completion of the program will be provided and a short graduation ceremony with lunch included will occur on the last day of class. Graduates will be eligible to participate in future management (MGT) classes.

This course is designed for employees who are formally in a people management role with less than two years of experience, experienced supervisors with a desire to refresh their knowledge and skills, and employees aspiring to become supervisors.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Week 1: The Role of an Effective Supervisor
- Week 2: Situational Leadership
- Week 3: Building Your Team
- Week 4: Effective Conversations
- Week 5: Review and Practice Skills
- Week 6: Department Overviews and Processes

Leadership Competencies –Customer Focus, Inspiring Others, Organizing/Planning, Presentation Skills, Managing Diversity, Problem Solving/Making Decisions. Small groups will be assigned one of these topics to research and teach back to the class.

## ***Supervisor Training Program***

### ***SUP001:001 Supervisor Training Program I Continued***

**Competencies:**

This program addresses most of the competencies listed on pages 9 - 12 of the catalog.

**Required Prerequisite:** None

**Dates, Times and Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
October 1, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
October 8, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
October 15, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
October 22, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
October 29, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
November 5, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
November 6, 2015	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Roslyn Harris, SPHR <sup>®</sup> , HR Generalist	
<b>Instructor</b>	Susan Steed, IPMA-CP <sup>®</sup> , Manager of Employee Relations and Training	

Note: If registration is full, contact Roslyn Harris, [rharris@charlestoncounty.org](mailto:rharris@charlestoncounty.org), to be placed on the waiting list.



## ***Leadership Courses***

### **SUP002: Supervisor Training Program II – Employment Laws for Leaders (Certificate Program)**

#### **Course Description:**

This certificate program is the next level of supervisor training. In this program, supervisors will gain an understanding of the various employment laws, legal complexities/frequent changes in the laws and how employment laws impact their success as supervisors.

This program is offered to supervisors and managers and employees who have completed the first supervisor training program. Each topic will be offered once in 2014 and 2015 and participants will have two years to achieve their certificate.

#### **Program Topics:**

- Behavioral Interviewing
- EEO, Harassment, Diversity and Inclusion for Leaders
- ADA for Leaders
- FMLA, Medical Leave of Absence, Limited Duty (Return to Work) for Leaders

*Attendance at any of these topics within the last three years will be credited to the participants as part of the certificate program. Please refer to pages 37 – 41 for each course description and schedule.*

*To enroll in this program, contact Roslyn Harris at [rharris@charlestoncounty.org](mailto:rharris@charlestoncounty.org) or (843) 958-4703.*

## *Leadership Courses*

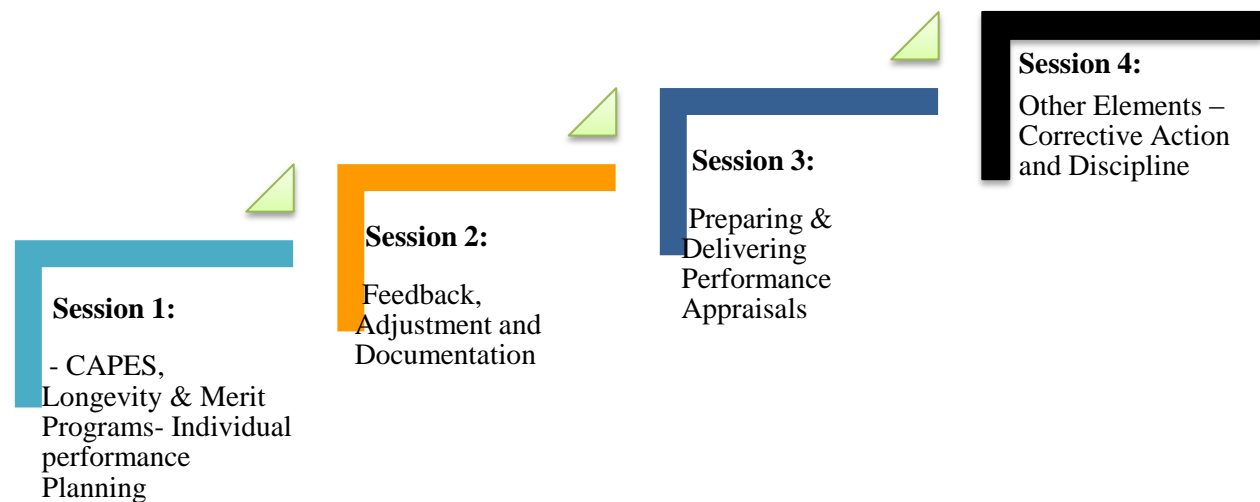
### **NEW OFFERING!**

#### **PER 002: The Performance Management Cycle for Leaders**

With the introduction of CAPES (Committee for Auditing Performance and Evaluation Standards) and its recommendations, the Human Resources Department presents a four-module certificate training program which describes the history and purpose of CAPES, and the importance of an effective and operational performance management process to support its recommendations.

For successful outcomes, managers, supervisors, and employees must be invested in and systematically follow the process. The program is built around four major activities, which, if followed, increases the probability of success of the merit system, improved performance, and employee engagement.

The four modules of the certificate program are:



## Session 1

- CAPES history and purpose
- Changes to the longevity plan; introduction of merit program
- The Performance Management Cycle and its importance
- Individual performance planning
  - Class Specifications
  - Planning Stages
  - Measures (determining performance standards/goals)
  - Employee Development Plans

## Session 2

- Types of feedback
- Value of feedback
- Fearless feedback
- Steps for effective feedback
- When and how to document

## Session 3

- Valuable steps for performance appraisal preparation
- Using the performance appraisal form(s)
- How to conduct an effective performance appraisal discussion

## Session 4

- **Handling variations in performance throughout the year**
  - when and how to use corrective action plans/performance improvement plans
  - When and how to use disciplinary processes
  - When and how to use the termination process

These Sessions are designed to complement each other and are most effective when attended one following the other

## Competencies:

- Strategic skills – Understanding the Business as a Supervisor/Manager
- Making Decisions-Problem Solving
- Planning and Organizing – Time Management, Planning Work
- Getting Work Done Through Others – Delegation, Developing Direct Reports, Directing Others, Informing, and Managing and Measuring Work
- Dealing with Conflict – Conflict Management, Confronting Direct Reports



- Communicating and Relating Effectively – Providing Constructive Feedback, Giving Recognition, Approachability, Caring about Direct Reports
- Managing Diverse Relationships – Managing Diversity, Fairness to Direct Reports, Understanding Others
- Inspiring Others – Motivating and Engaging Others, Negotiating, Building Effective Teams

Dates, Times and Locations:

Course	DATE	TIME	LOCATION
<b>Module 1</b>	December 9, 2015	9:00 AM – 12:30 PM	A214
<b>Module 2</b>	January 13, 2016	9:00 AM – 12:30 PM	A214
<b>Module 3</b>	February 10, 2016	9:00 AM – 12:30 PM	A214
<b>Module 4</b>	March 9, 2016	9:00 AM – 12:30 PM	A214
	Instructor	Susan Steed, IPMA-CP, HR Manager of Training & Employee Relations	
	Instructor	Roslyn Harris, SPHR, HR Generalist	



## *Leadership Courses*

### **LEA002: Behavioral Based Interviewing**

#### **Course Description:**

This interactive course provides participants with the necessary tools to use in hiring the right people. This course is designed for all employees involved in the Charleston County Interviewing/Selection Process.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Define Interviewing
- Discuss Interviewer Biases
- Examine Employment Laws
- Discuss Permitted and Prohibited Interview Questions
- Review Charleston County Hiring/Selection Policy and Procedures
- Examine Behavioral Based Interviewing Techniques
- Develop Behavioral Based Interviewing Questions

#### **Competencies:**

- Personal Effectiveness
- Diversity Management
- Understanding the Business
- Problem Solving/Making Decisions
- Results Focus

**Required Prerequisite:** None

#### **Date, Time and Location:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
<b>September 3, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 12:30 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>December 3, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 12:30 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>March 23, 2016</b>	9:00 AM – 12:30 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>June 21, 2016</b>	9:00 AM – 12:30 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Margie Gamble, SHRM-SCP <sup>®</sup> , SPHR <sup>®</sup> , MBTI <sup>®</sup> , HR Training Specialist	

## ***Leadership Courses***

### **LEA003: ADA for Leaders**

#### **Course Description:**

This course provides an overview of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and the ADA Amendments Act to promote an understanding of working effectively with employees and customers.

This course is designed for employees who are formally in a people management role or who have completed the Supervisor Training Program and employees who are involved in the County's disability management process.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Understanding ADA and its Requirements
- Understanding Charleston County's procedures and legal obligations
- Reasonable Accommodations in the Workplace
- Needs of Employees and Customers with Mental, Physical and Sensory Disabilities
- Utilizing Effective Communication

#### **Competencies:**

- Diversity Management
- Customer Focus
- Interpersonal Communication
- Emotional Intelligence
- Personal Effectiveness

**Required Prerequisite:** Must be a supervisor, a department HR Rep. or have completed Supervisor Training I.

#### **Date, Time & Location:**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
<b>November 17, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Susan Steed, IPMA-CP, HR Manager of Training and Employee Relations	

## ***Leadership Courses***

### **LEA005: EEO, Harassment, Diversity & Inclusion for Leaders**

#### **Course Description:**

This “hands on” workshop addresses what it takes to build an inclusive workplace in the County and covers the core elements of Equal Employment Opportunity, Affirmative Action, Diversity and Inclusion.

This course is designed for employees who are formally in a people management role or employees who have completed the Supervisor Training Program and • Department Human Resources Representatives involved in Employee Relations situations.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Equal Employment Opportunity & Affirmative Action:
  - ✓ Application of EEO laws and policies to the workplace
  - ✓ Latest legal updates and trends
  - ✓ A leader’s role in handling discrimination and harassment complaints
  - ✓ Initiatives by the County, departments and others to increase the diversity of our workforce
  - ✓ Highlights of the County’s Affirmative Action Plan
- Diversity and Inclusion:
  - ✓ The meaning of diversity and inclusion as a County and the impact on employees and citizens
  - ✓ Key concepts impacting diversity and inclusion such as generational differences, micro-inequities, micro-affirmations and multiculturalism

#### **Competencies:**

- Diversity Management
- Ethics/Integrity
- Team Orientation

Understanding the Business

## ***Leadership Courses***

### ***LEA005: EEO, Harassment, Diversity & Inclusion for Leaders Continued***

**Required Prerequisite:** Must be a supervisor, department HR Rep. or have completed Supervisor Training I.

**Date, Time and Location:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
<b>November 12, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>March 10, 2016</b>	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Susan Steed, IPMA-CP, HR Manager of Training and Employee Relations	



## *Leadership Courses*

### **LEA009: Family and Medical Leave Act for Leaders**

#### **Course Description:**

This “hands on” workshop addresses the role of a supervisor in facilitating Family and Medical Leave (FMLA) for employees. It covers the legal aspects of FMLA, policies and procedures for administering FMLA.

This course is designed for employees, who are formally in a people management role, employees who have completed the Supervisor Training Program I, or department Human Resources representatives involved in Employee Relations situations.

#### **Course Outline:**

- Family and Medical Leave Act
  - ✓ Overview – What Every Supervisor Should Know
  - ✓ Defines employee eligibility and rights and employer responsibilities
  - ✓ Practice using DVD – based on real life scenarios
  - ✓ Charleston County’s Best Practices
  - ✓ Available Resources

#### **Competencies:**

- Diversity Management
- Managing Work Processes
- Understanding the Business

**Required Prerequisite:** Must be a supervisor, department HR Rep. or have completed Supervisor Training I

#### **Dates, Times & Locations:**

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
<b>September 29, 2015</b>	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>February 16, 2016</b>	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM	A214 – The Cooper Room
<b>Instructor</b>	Susan Steed, IPMA-CP, HR Manager of Training & Employee Relations	
<b>Instructor</b>	Cassandra Robinson, HR Specialist	

## *Leadership Courses*

### **LEA010: Five Levels of Leadership**

#### **Course Description:**

We are excited to present John Maxwell's 5 Levels of Leadership. "True leadership isn't a matter of having a certain job or title. Being chosen for a position is only the first of the five levels every effective leader achieves." – John Maxwell.

John Maxwell leads the series with a DVD training curriculum, teaching participants the five stages of leadership and explaining how to maximize each one to become more influential, respected and successful.

#### **Course Outline:**

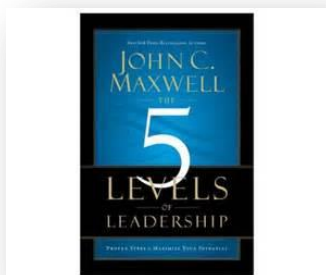
- Position – People follow because they have to.
- Permission – People follow because they want to.
- Production – People follow because of what you have done for the organization.
- People Development – People follow because of what you have done for them personally.
- Pinnacle – People follow because of who you are and what you represent.

#### **Competencies:**

- Emotional Intelligence
- Inspiring Others
- Getting Work Done Through Others
- Interpersonal Communication
- Organizing/Planning

**Required Prerequisite:** None

*Available upon request*



## ***New Hire Orientation Program***

### **NHO001: New Hire Orientation**

#### **Program Description**

This program includes a welcome to new employees by the County Administrator or designee. Employees will receive information on the County's organizational structure. Other topics include the EEO, Workplace Harassment and Diversity, the Safety and Risk program, Health Care benefits, Retirement and other benefits. Time is provided for completion of required new hire forms.

#### **Program Agenda**

<b>DAY 1</b>		<b>DAY 2</b>	
<b>TOPICS</b>	<b>TIMES</b>	<b>TOPICS</b>	<b>TIMES</b>
<b>New Hire Paperwork</b>	8:00 – 8:30	<b>Welcome Back</b>	8:30 – 8:50
<b>Welcome &amp; Introductions</b>	8:30 – 9:00	<b>County Mission, Values and Ethics</b>	8:50 – 9:35
<b>EEO Workplace Harassment &amp; Diversity</b>	9:00 – 9:30	<b>Break</b>	9:35 – 9:50
<b>Diversity Committee Presentation</b>	9:35 – 9:45	<b>Employee Perks</b>	9:50 – 10:00
<b>Break</b>	9:45 – 10:00	<b>Employee Assistance Program</b>	10:00 – 10:15
<b>Safety &amp; Risk Policies</b>	10:00 – 11:00	<b>IT Environment &amp; Usage Guidelines</b>	10:15 – 10:45
<b>County Overview</b>	11:00 – 12:00	<b>Leave</b>	10:45 – 11:05
<b>Lunch</b>	12:00 – 1:00	<b>Break</b>	11:05 – 11:15
<b>Safety Program Overview</b>	1:00 – 2:30	<b>Performance Management</b>	11:15 – 11:45
<b>Break</b>	2:30 – 2:45	<b>Lunch</b>	11:45 – 12:45
<b>Deferred Compensation</b>	2:45 – 3:05	<b>Customer Service Excellence</b>	12:45 – 3:45
<b>Short Term Disability</b>	3:05 – 3:30	<b>Complete Paperwork</b>	3:45 – 5:00
<b>Retirement &amp; Insurance</b>	3:30 – 5:00	////////////////////	////////////////////
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## ***New Hire Orientation Program***

### **NHO001: New Hire Orientation Continued**

#### **Dates and Locations:**

<b>DAY 1</b>		<b>DAY 2</b>	
<b>DATE</b>	<b>LOCATION*</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>LOCATION*</b>
<b>July 24, 2015</b>	B339 - EOC	<b>July 27, 2015</b>	B339 – EOC
<b>August 21, 2015</b>	B339 – EOC	<b>August 24, 2015</b>	B339 – EOC
<b>September 18, 2015</b>	B339 – EOC	<b>September 21, 2015</b>	B339 – EOC
<b>October 30, 2015</b>	B339 – EOC	<b>November 2, 2015</b>	B339 – EOC
<b>December 11, 2015</b>	B339 – EOC	<b>December 14, 2015</b>	B339 – EOC
<b>January 23, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC	<b>January 25, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC
<b>February 19, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC	<b>February 22, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC
<b>March 18, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC	<b>March 21, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC
<b>April 19, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC	<b>May 2, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC
<b>May 27, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC	<b>May 30, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC
<b>June 24, 2016</b>	B339 – EOC	<b>June 27, 2016</b>	B339 - EOC

*\*Location may be subject to change.*



## **Introducing... Off –The– Shelf Training Kits for Departments**

We now have training kits available on a variety of topics for you to utilize during staff meetings or as department workshops. Each topic comes with:

- PowerPoint presentation with speaker notes
- Trainer/Facilitator Guide
- Employee Handouts
- Quiz Sign in Sheet (to track attendance)

Contact Human Resources Training to receive a training kit on the topic of your choice. Once you or your group has completed the course, send us the names of your attendees so that we may credit them with course completion.

### **Topics for Employee Development:**

- DPT010: Business Ethics – What Employees Need to Know
- DPT011: Conflict Resolution and Consensus Building
- DPT012: Conflict Resolution for Employees
- DPT013: Customer Service
- DPT014: Organizing and Planning for Success
- DPT015: Problem Solving for Employees
- DPT016: Teambuilding for All Employees
- DPT017: Time Management Skills for Employees

### **Topics for Supervisor Development:**

- DPT018: Attendance Management – What Supervisors Need to Know
- DPT019: Dealing with Change – How Supervisors Can Help
- DPT020: Effective Communication for Supervisors
- DPT021: Effective Meetings
- DPT022: Negotiation Skills for Supervisors
- DPT023: Leadership Skills
- DPT024: Problem Solving for Supervisors
- DPT025: Reducing Turnover and Increasing Retention – Tips and Tactics for Supervisors
- DPT026: Teambuilding for Supervisors
- DPT027: Time Management for Supervisors
- DPT028: Coaching for Superior Employee Performance
- DPT029: Encouraging Employee Input
- DPT030: Managing Challenging Employees

- DPT031: Motivating Employees – Tips and Tactics for Supervisors  
DPT032: Professional Behavior – What Supervisors Need to Know  
DPT033: Workplace Ethics for Supervisors



## *Departmental Training/ Needs Assessment*

The County's Training and Development program, sponsored by Human Resources (HR Training), is structured in accordance with the County's Mission and Values. Within this structure each department has a unique set of challenges and opportunities occurring regularly within a changing environment.

Upon request and with available resources and staffing, HR Training will work with departments to create and/or customize training and learning opportunities to meet the department's unique programmatic needs, both from a classroom perspective and self-study.

Request a Training Needs Assessment for your department by contacting Susan Steed, 958-4715, [ssteed@charlestoncounty.org](mailto:ssteed@charlestoncounty.org), Roslyn Harris, 958-4703, [rharris@charlestoncounty.org](mailto:rharris@charlestoncounty.org), or Margie Gamble, 958-4721, [mgamble@charlestoncounty.org](mailto:mgamble@charlestoncounty.org).



### **Customized Training**

We will customize training to fit your needs.

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