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CUPE Calgary District Council

is proud to sponsor

A Fall School

SEPTEMBER 21 & 22, 2013 IN CALGARY, ALBERTA

Fall Workshops for CUPE Calgary District Council

PLEASE choose ONE workshop for the weekend A, B or C

WORKSHOP A – STEWARD LEARNING SERIES (SLS) – (day and ½)

These three-hour modules will give stewards a wide range of knowledge and skills to represent members and respond to situations in the workplace. Some of these modules are mandatory for the Steward Learning Series Certificate, and some are optional. Members <u>must</u> have taken the Introduction to Stewarding workshop prior to taking the SLS.

Handling Discipline and Discharge

For many stewards, discipline and discharge cases are the hardest grievances to handle. Learn about:

- key legal concepts and terms
- the role of a steward during the employer's investigation; when discipline is given; and during grievance meetings
- how to develop effective arguments

What's Our Duty?

Stewards' roles and responsibilities are covered by various labour laws. Where do stewards get their authority in the workplace? What is the Duty of Fair Representation? What other legislation covers the workplace?

What Stewards Need to Know about Arbitration

Although most grievances get settled, some do go to arbitration. In this module, stewards become familiar with the arbitration process, arbitration terms, mediated settlements, and the steward's role before and during arbitration.

WORKSHOP B - PREPARING FOR BARGAINING (day and ½)

Collective Bargaining - Preparing for Bargaining

What can your CUPE local do to get ready for bargaining? How do you choose a committee, prepare proposals and build membership support for bargaining? This workshop will help you answer these questions and prepare your local for bargaining.

WORKSHOP C – FINANCIAL OFFICERS (two full days)

This workshop is for secretary-treasurers and trustees. You will practice:

- keeping a monthly ledger
- filling out the per capita tax form
- preparing a budget
- auditing the books

Good idea to bring your current collective agreement AND a calculator to class.

INFORMATION

DATE: September 21 & 22, 2013

LOCATION: CUPE Local 37 Office, 5112 3 Street SE in Calgary, Alberta

REGISTRATION \$50.00 – includes lunch on Saturday and Snacks on Sunday

FEE: **Lunch will be provided for those members registered in

the Financial Officers workshop on Sunday**



SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. - REGISTRATION 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon - CLASSES 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m. - LUNCH 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. - CLASSES

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. - CLASSES/SNACKS Financial Officers will continue until 4:30 p.m. and Lunch will be provided for members registered in the Financial Officers workshop

Please Direct Any Questions/Concerns Regarding Workshops to:



Ed Hanson, Education Representative CUPE Calgary Area Office 240N 3015 5 Avenue NE CALGARY AB T2A 6T8 403-235-6955 or ehanson@cupe.ca







REGISTRATION FORM

CUPE CALGARY DISTRICT COUNCIL – FALL WORKSHOPS CALGARY – SEPTEMBER 21 & 22, 2013

\$50.00 per member cheque payable to CUPE CALGARY DISTRICT COUNCIL

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS THURSDAY- SEPTEMBER 12, 2013

NAME	ADDRESS <u>WITH</u> CONTACT PHONE NUMBER	LOCAL	WORKSHOP CHOICE A, B OR C	
Example: John Smith	7899 Road to Paradise, Millet, AB T2B 0K9 780-999-5566	0909	FIRST Choice	SECOND Choice

PLEASE register for only ONE workshop – It is <u>important</u> to indicate A, B or C for your workshop choice and to indicate a second choice as workshops fill up fast

WORKSHOP A: SLS Series or

WORKSHOP B: Preparing for Bargaining or WORKSHOP C: Financial Officers (FULL DAY)

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PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR CHEQUE MADE PAYABLE TO:

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