



TRAINING CALENDAR 2026

Date & Time	Training Topic	Location	Type	Credit
January 14 12:00pm – 1:00pm	Make “IT” Make Sense	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)
January 15 10:00am – 11:00am	Ask the RFP Dr trainings by Center 4 Procurement: Understanding Vendor Profit: What Procurement Needs to Know	CPE Register Now	Center 4 Procurement Free	1 hour (External)
January 15 12:00pm – 1:00pm	LACE: Unlocking Millions in Savings for California Public Agencies	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)
January 15 1:00pm – 2:00pm	DocuSign Webinar – 5 Advanced Features	Register in Eureka Join via Zoom	Zoom	1 hour (Internal)
January 20 10:00am – 11:00am	Procurement Under Grants Training: Introduction for Non-Disaster Grants	FEMA Register Now	FEMA Free	1 hour (External)
January 21 11:00am – 12:00pm	Streamlining Public Procurement: Harnessing Automation to Maximize Value and Minimize Risk	BAPA Register Now	Bay Area Procurement Alliance	1 Hour (External)
January 21 11:00am – 12:30pm	Politics, Pressure and Procurement – The Real P3	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
January 21 12:00pm – 1:00pm	Adapting to What’s Next: Modern Prevailing Wage Practices for California Public Agencies	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)
January 22 9:00am – 10:00am	Reimagining the Basics: How to Get Public Procurement Right	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)
January 22 11:30am – 1:30pm	Professional Business Writing Workshop In-Person: Anaheim	NIGP SoCal Chap. Register Now	Free Very limited spaces available	2 hours (External)
January 29 8:00am – 9:00am	Procurement Under Grant Training: Common Mistakes	FEMA Register Now	FEMA Free	1 hour (External)
January 29 11:00am – 12:00pm	Defend the Spend: A 2026 Roadmap for Grant Integrity	DRS Academy Register Now	Free Virtual	1 hour (External)
January 29 11:00am – 12:15pm	Executive Briefing – Public Procurement 2026: Key Trends Shaping the Future	NIGP Register Now		1 hour (External)
January 29 1:30pm – 2:30pm	DPA Download	Request & Launch via Eureka	MS Teams Eureka	No DPA Credit



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February 1-4	2026 Annual CAPPO Conference in San Diego, CA	CAPPO Register Now	Member: \$595 Non: \$740	5 hours (External)
February 4 9:00am – 10:00am	Procurement Under Grants Training: Emergency or Exigency	FEMA Register Now	FEMA Free	1 hour (External)
February 4 11:00am – 12:30pm	Strategic Leadership in Procurement: From Analyst to Influencer	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
February 10 11:00am – 1:00pm	Procurement Under Grants Training: Navigating the Procurement Lifecycle	FEMA Register Now	FEMA Free	2 hours (External)
February 10 11:00am – 12:30pm	Protests and Appeals	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
February 11 11:00am – 12:30pm	Stronger Together: Unlocking Innovation & Expanding Access through AI Procurement	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
February 11 12:00pm – 1:00pm	After Disaster Strikes: How Job Order Contracting Can Help Your Agency Recover	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)
February 12 11:00am – 12:15pm	Executive Briefing – Using Procurement to Strengthen Grant Compliance and Audit Readiness	NIGP Register Now	Free	1 hour (External)
February 12 12:00pm – 1:00pm	Procurement Intelligence: The New Operating Model for 2026	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)
February 18 11:00am – 12:30pm	Comprehending the Law and UCC Gap Fillers	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
February 18 12:00pm – 1:00pm	Pathways to Leadership: Real Stories of Growth, Resilience & Impact in Public Procurement	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)
February 19 10:00am – 11:00am	Ask the RFP Dr. Training: The Known Unknown	CPE Register Now	Center 4 Procurement Free	1 hour (External)
February 19 10:00am – 1:00pm	Procurement Under Grants Training: Workshop	FEMA Register Now	FEMA Free	3 hours (External)
February 24 12:00pm – 1:00pm	AEP Application – Tips, What's Needed, Q&A, etc.	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)



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February 25 8:00am – 9:00am	Procurement Under Grants Training: Introduction	FEMA Register Now	FEMA Free	1 hour (External)
February 25 11:00am – 12:30pm	Optimizing Procurement Operations – Choose Your E: Strategies for Enhanced Efficiency, Effectiveness and Efficacy	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
February 25 12:00pm – 1:00pm	Cooperative Procurement: What I Wish I Had Known!	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)
February 26 12:00pm – 1:00pm	Policies Don't Deliver, People Do: Leading Successful Procurement Teams for Real Results	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)
March 4 9:00am – 10:00am	Procurement Under Grants Training: Introduction for Non-Disaster Grants	FEMA Register Now	FEMA Free	1 hour (External)
March 10 11:00am – 12:15pm	Out of the Box: Challenging Our Traditional Approach to Procurement and Project Management	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
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March 12 11:00am – 12:00pm	Procurement Under Grants Training: Common Mistakes	FEMA Register Now	FEMA Free	1 hour (External)
March 17 10:00am – 11:00am	Procurement Under Grants Training: Emergency or Exigency	FEMA Register Now	FEMA Free	1 hour (External)
March 17 11:00am – 12:30pm	Procurement of Construction Services: Selecting the Appropriate Project Delivery Method	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
March 18 12:00pm – 1:00pm	Relationships vs. Results in the Workplace	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)
March 19 10:00am – 11:00am	Ask the RFP Dr. Training: A Primer on Alternative Delivery	CPE Register Now	Center 4 Procurement Free	1 hour (External)
March 19 11:00am – 12:15pm	Executive Briefing – 7 Procurement Pitfalls That Could Cost You and How to Avoid Them	NIGP Register Now	Free	1 hour (External)
March 25 12:00pm – 1:00pm	Negotiation as a Leadership Skill in Public Procurement: Beyond Win-Lose	CAPPO Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$ 65	1 hour (External)



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March 31 9:00am – 12:00pm	Procurement Under Grants Training: Workshop	FEMA Register Now	FEMA Free	3 hours (External)
April 15 11:00am – 12:15pm	Debriefs Demystified: From Missed Opportunity to Meaningful Practice	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
April 16 10:00am – 11:00am	Ask the RFP Dr. Training: Looking Deeper into the Supply Chain	CPE Register Now	Center 4 Procurement Free	1 hour (External)
May 13 11:00am – 12:15pm	ADHD in the Workplace	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
May 20 11:00am – 12:15pm	Technology Procurements: What Could Possibly Go Wrong?	NIGP Register Now	Member: Free Non: \$195	1 hour (External)
May 21 10:00am – 11:00am	Ask the RFP Dr. Training: IT Disasters: Paper Deliverables	CPE Register Now	Center 4 Procurement Free	1 hour (External)
June 18 10:00am – 11:00am	Ask the RFP Dr. Training: Avoiding Pretests	CPE Register Now	Center 4 Procurement Free	1 hour (External)
July 16 10:00am – 11:00am	Ask the RFP Dr. Training: People Will Leave	CPE Register Now	Center 4 Procurement Free	1 hour (External)
TBD	Notice to Cure Contract Non-Compliance Procedure	Registration Coming Soon in Eureka		1 hour (Internal)
Self-Paced	Various Training under Catalog	NASPO Catalog	NASPO	Various (External)
Self-Paced	Introduction to Negotiations	https://www.naspo.org/procurement-u/course-catalog/104-introduction-to-negotiations/	NASPO (Free of Charge)	1 hour (External)
Self-Paced	Integrating FEMA: Elevate Your Property Risk Management Strategy	The DRS Academy Register Now	DRS Academy Free	1 hour (External)
Self-Paced	ARPA Compliance and the Obligation Deadline	The DRS Academy Register Now	DRS Academy Free	1 hour (External)



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Self-Paced	FEMA Procurement and Contracting Essentials	The DRS Academy Register Now	DRS Academy Free	1 hour (External)

[Vendor Information Day](#)

1st Thursday of every month 1:00 pm–2:00 pm*

* The County Procurement Office conducts presentation In-person at County Administration North Building

DPA training credit, RSVP required

Toastmasters

Every Wednesday 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

County Administration North 5th Fl. Room 501

*No DPA Credit

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For DPA training credit:

1. Register in Eureka
2. Complete Postwork

→ For the latest calendar updates, check in [CPO's intranet](#)

→ CPO computer training – bring the following:

1. VPN link
2. Device that has the Authenticator app/function (if applicable)
3. Computer Log-In information (User ID/password)

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