

Conrad selected as Training Manager for NIGC

WASHINGTON, March 25, 2013 - Randall "Randy" Conrad has been named as the Training Manager for the National Indian Gaming Commission. In this position he will be responsible for the Agency's Training and Technical Assistance Programs, developing and implementing training strategies and training events for tribes and tribal regulators in the Indian gaming industry.

"Randy brings an extensive combination of education and training experience that spans more than 20 years," said Chairwoman Tracie Stevens. "He has first-hand knowledge of what it takes to implement a successful training program. We are pleased Randy has joined our team."

Conrad comes to NIGC from the Department of Veterans Affairs, where he served as the Education and Training Specialist for the Office of Compliance and Business Integrity. In this capacity, he was responsible for education and training functions through oversight of updates, design and content of training programs. He also served as the subject matter expert on education and design issues related to pre-existing training courses.

"Training and technical assistance is vital to the NIGC mission," said Conrad. "I'm looking forward to enhancing delivery methods and designing course offerings to better meet the needs of the Agency, tribes and tribal regulators."

Conrad holds a Masters of Business Administration (MBA) and a Bachelors of Science in Management, graduating both *cum laude*, from the University of Phoenix. Conrad also has an Associates degree in Criminal Justice, Allied Health Sciences and Instructor of Technology and Military Science from the Community College of the Air Force.

The <u>National Indian Gaming Commission</u> is committed to the prompt and efficient regulation of the Indian gaming industry spanning more than 420 gaming establishments, associated with nearly 240 tribes across 28 states. The Commission's dedication to compliance with the <u>Indian Gaming Regulatory Act</u> ensures the integrity of the \$27 billion Indian gaming industry. Visit our website at <u>www.nigc.gov.</u>

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The National Indian Gaming Commission is an independent regulatory agency established within the Department of the Interior pursuant to the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988.