

# PORTLAND TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

## NEW! *TICS/SICS TRAINING COURSE*



**May 16<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>, 2018**



The National Indian Gaming Commission is pleased to announce a two day (12 hr.) workshop opportunity, hosted by the Yakama Tribe, presented at no charge for all gaming tribes. This event gives the Indian gaming community access to training which builds a foundation for understanding gaming regulation and compliance assurance related to development of tribal internal controls (TICS) and systems of internal controls (SICS).

This course will discuss elements of control and how to recognize areas in the TICS and SICS where detailed procedures should be written so that there is a reasonable assurance that assets are protected. It includes application of the concepts through interactive activities that help participants internalize learning so they can apply what they learn upon return to their gaming facilities.

**Who should attend?** The training is appropriate for: Tribal Gaming Commissioners & Compliance Officers, and Tribal Gaming Operations Managers & Staff.

**Course Objectives:** At the end of this course, participants will be able to identify:

- Fraud and risk and how they apply to gaming operations
- Gaming regulations that are in place to safeguard against fraud
- Commonly used acronyms for the various levels in internal controls
- How to write internal controls for their specific operations

**Check-in:** begins at 8:30 AM on May 16<sup>th</sup>. Instruction begins at 9:00 AM each day.

**Certificates:** Certificates of attendance will be available on the last day (Thursday) for those who pre-registered.

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### **Registration**

ATTACHED REGISTRATION FORM – Complete and return via the “submit by email” button at the bottom of the form

ONLINE – from the [NIGC Events Calendar](#). Under **Upcoming Events**, click the date for the training then **scroll** to the bottom of the page and select **Registration**.

Seating is not reserved until the Registration form is completed and received by NIGC. A notification verifying receipt and completed registration will be sent to participants approximately ten days prior to the training course.

My staff and I are looking forward to meeting you and presenting the training. If you have any questions about the Training contact Vicki Naval-Geistlinger at 503-326-5095.

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