National Indian Gaming Commission TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT REGIONAL TRAINING CONFERENCE New Format

February 11 – 13, 2020



WinStar World Casino and Resort 777 Casino Ave, Thackerville, Oklahoma 77459

The National Indian Gaming Commission is pleased to announce a new format to our Regional Training Conferences (RTC's). Moving to a new, two track training will give attendees increased flexibility and choice of attending all or just some of the days. Days one and two will consist of Audit & Compliance training with the third and final day focusing on Regulating Gaming Technology (RGT). In addition to the RGT track, NIGC will be providing a comprehensive training on the Criminal Justice Information System, (CJIS) FBI requirements. The CJIS course is designed to educate Tribes and Operations on the requirements for handling CHRI and ensuring compliance with NIGC and FBI regulations. NIGC hopes that this new training format will allow more tribal members to attend the trainings, and the ones that they may truly need, thus cutting back on extra time and money spent attending the previous three day/three track format.

In addition to many new courses the NIGC is bringing back additional updated courses. This agenda is designed to be appropriate for, and the NIGC highly encourages, attendance by tribal leaders, gaming commissioners, commission staff, operations staff & managers of the tribe and tribal facility. For more detailed information on the agenda please review the course descriptions tab.

Virtual attendance through Adobe Connect continues this year!

The NIGC is continuing to take strides in meeting the Commission's initiative of staying ahead of the technology curve and creating a strong work force. In an effort to assist and accommodate all of our regulatory partners and tribal leaders, you can choose to attend select trainings virtually through Adobe Connect.

Access to the virtual trainings *requires prior individual registration* using the virtual training tab under this announcement. Once registered, access will be provided via a classroom link.

Check-in: 8:00 AM on February 11th and instruction begins at 9:00 AM each day.

Training Topics: The agenda and course descriptions can be viewed on the <u>NIGC Events Calendar</u>, simply locate the date for the training and use the tabs to locate each agenda.

Certificates: A certificate of completion will be available for those who attend.

Again, for your convenience, registration is online! Each person attending must register separately

In-Person Attendance - Use the link to register:

https://nigc.adobeconnect.com/e8i00a7gfs5g/event/registration.html

Virtual Attendance – Use the link located in the table below for each course you wish to attend. Virtual attendance is limited so please register early.

Course Title	Date	Time (CST)	Hours	Registration Link
NIGC FAQ Panel	2/11	9:00 – 9:50 am	1	https://nigc.adobeconnect.com/exca pxlegncp/event/registration.html
Emergency Preparedness – How to Prepare for the Unthinkable	2/11	10:00 am – 12:00 pm	2	https://nigc.adobeconnect.com/e9zb o2je4ntv/event/registration.html
CMP-117: Gamesmanship	2/11	2:10 – 4:00 pm	2	https://nigc.adobeconnect.com/e9g4 jl3b055t/event/registration.html
AUD-111: Best Practices of Operations	2/12	9:00 am – 12:00 pm	3	https://nigc.adobeconnect.com/egz vpnc7xhzh/event/registration.html
IT-116: Mobile Gaming & Auditing IT Systems	2/13	9:00 – 10:20 am	1.5	https://nigc.adobeconnect.com/eor9 pjlmkdmb/event/registration.html
IT-117: Commission Preparation for GM Certification & Approval	2/13	1:00 – 1:50 pm	1	https://nigc.adobeconnect.com/eirb bmzfsokv/event/registration.html

Seating is not reserved until registration is completed and received by NIGC. A notification verifying completed registration will be sent to participants.

All attendees registered in advance will have the choice between a printed instructional guide and a USB flash drive. **NOTE:** All attendees will be able to download the training materials to their portable electronic devices from the NIGC website.

My Staff and I are looking forward to meeting you and presenting the training. If you have any questions about the Regional Training Conference please contact <u>traininginfo@nigc.gov</u>

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