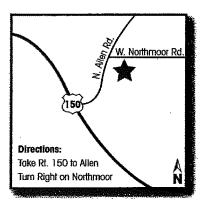
# Registration Information (Please print legibly.)

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I will be [ ]flying in [ ]driving; [ ]commuting daily.  A block of rooms have been reserved for us April 6-9 at Country Inn & Suites North Peoria 6309 West Landens Way,
Peoria, IL 61615 (309) 589-0044
Special rate of \$89.00 per night – Mention "block for APA" The block will be released March 6.
Amenities: Airport shuttle, free hot buffet breakfast, fitness center, swimming pool, business center, free internet, free parking, Gold Points reward program.
Contact hotel for shuttle from Peoria airport; shuttle also available for transport to UPC from the hotel.
[ ] If you'd like a roommate to share expenses, mark this box, and we'll let you know who else is looking for a roommate.





# **Greater Midwest Region APA Conference**

**April 7-9, 2011** 



**United Presbyterian Church** 2400 W. Northmoor Peoria, IL 61614 309-693-2002

#### **About APA**

Administrative Personnel Association is a professional association for administrative and support staff of churches, governing bodies, agencies and institutions of the PC(USA). APA's goal is to improve the quality of professionalism in the offices that are usually the first points of contact with congregations, governing bodies, and agencies of the Church.

The Greater Midwest APA Region includes the states of Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, and Wisconsin. Visitors or inquirers are welcome to participate in any conference.

Annual dues and certification fees must be paid before any classes count toward your certification.

When you are within ten (10) hours of completion of your current level, you may begin study in the next level. The \$25 national certification application fee, payable to APA (National Office), should be sent with the application form as you begin each level of certification (see: pcusa-apa.org).

### **Certification Program**

#### Level I

- 5.0 Church History
- 5.0 Theology of the Church
- 5.0 Polity I
- 2.5 Office Administration I
- 2.5 Spiritual Growth and Discipline
- 20.0 Core Hours (20 additional <u>elective</u> hours required for Level I certification)

#### Level II

- 5.0 PC(USA) History since Reunion
- 2.5 Polity II
- 2.5 Office Administration II
- 2.5 Spiritual Growth and Discipline
- 2.5 Legal Matters
- 2.5 Directory for Worship
- 17.5 Core Hours (27.5 additional <u>elective</u> hours required for Level II certification)

#### Level III

- 2.5 Book of Confessions
- 2.5 General Assembly Entities
- 2.5 Polity III
- 2.5 Spiritual Growth and Discipline
- 2.5 Safety in the Workplace
- 12.5 Core Hours (37.5 additional <u>elective</u> hours required for Level III certification)

#### **Conference Schedule**

### Thursday, April 7, 2011

12:15-1:00 p.m. Registration & Welcome

1:00-3:45 p.m. *Session 1* Break 2:15-2:30 p.m.

4:00-6:45 p.m. Session 2 Break 5:15-5:30 p.m.

7:00 p.m. - \*Dinner / Fellowship Time

#### <u>Friday, April 8, 2011</u>

9:00-11:45 a.m. *Session 3* Break 10:15-10:30 a.m.

12N-1:00 p.m. \*Lunch

1:00-3:45 p.m. *Session 4* Break 2:15-2:30 p.m.

3:45 p.m. - Free time / Outing (opt.)

#### Saturday, April 9, 2011

9:00 a.m. Regional Business Meeting
Certifications
Installation of Officers

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# **Registration Form**

#### **Register me for the following:**

- [ ] 1) Book of Confessions (2.5 hr.)
- [ ] 1) Supporting the "Executive Staff" (2.5)
- [ ] 2) Office Administration I (2.5 hr.)
- [ ] 2) Emotional Mastery (2.5 hr.)
- [ ] 3-4) PC(USA) History Since Reunion (5 hr.)
- [ ] 3) Christology I (2.5 hr.)
- [ ] 4) Hymnology (2.5 hr.)



## **Registration Deadline ~ March 15, 2011**

- [ ] \$85.00 Registration Fee
- [ ] \$ 15.00 Meals\* (4/7 dinner, 4/8 lunch)
- [ ] \$\_\_\_\_\_Donation to Scholarship Fund
  - **\$\_\_\_\_**Guest meals (\_\_)
  - \$\_\_\_\_Total enclosed

## Make your check payable to:

Greater Midwest Region APA

# Mail with Registration Information & Registration Form to:

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Keep a copy of this form for your records!