

# **MDGFOA Summer Conference Agenda**

**Wednesday, June 20, 2018**

**1:00 pm – 2:40 pm: Computer Training**

- Presenter: Judy Borsher or other speaker from BLI
- Description:

**2:40 pm – 3:00 pm: Break**

**3:00 pm – 4:40 pm: Computer Training Continued**

- Presenter:

**Adjourn**

**Thursday June 21, 2018**

**8:00 am – 8:05 am: Welcome and Introductions**

- Speaker: Lenny Moore, President, MDGFOA

**8:05 am – 8:55 am: Morning Session with Clifton**

- Speaker: Keith Novak, Partner, CliftonLarsonAllen, LLP
- Description: Open, Alternative Investments from the Audit side?

**8:55 am – 9:10 am: Break**

**9:10 am – 10:50 am: Ethics**

- Speaker: Speaker from BLI
- Description:

**10:50 am – 11:05 am: Break**

**11:05 am – 12:45 pm: Ethics (Continued)**

**12:45 pm – 1:15 pm: Networking Reception**

**1:15 pm – 2:20 pm: Lunch**

**2:20 pm – 3:10 pm: GFOA and What It can Provide for You**

- Speaker: Chris Morrill, Executive Director, Government Finance Officer Association
- Description: This session will provide an overview of the national GFOA and will utilize online polling software to conduct real-time polling of attendees on their greatest challenges, training needs, and more.

**3:10 pm – 3:30 pm: Business Meeting**

**Adjourn**

**Friday, June 22, 2018**

**9:00 am – 10:00 am: Hold for VIP**

- Speaker: Hogan, Brinkley, Gill, or Franchot
- Description:

**10:00 am – 10:20 am: Break**

**10:20 am – 11:10 pm: Medical Marijuana**

- Speaker: Local Official
- Speaker: Representative from a producer or dispensary
- Speaker: Patient Advocate?
- Description: Maryland's medical marijuana industry is now in its first year of operation and local governments continue to adapt. This session will provide an overview of the program and will discuss how all of the segments in the industry can fit into the local community. Special focus will be given to the fiscal impact to local jurisdictions as well as the economic impact derived from the industry.

**11:10 am – 12:00 pm: Fraud (open)**

- Speaker: Joseph Gardemall, III, Managing Director, Alvarez, Marsal Disputes and Investigations, LLC
- Description:

**12:00 pm – 1:30 pm: Lunch**

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