

Mentor the Future through Speed Coaching: A Professional Development Session for Aspiring **Local Government Leaders** Honor the Future at the IAMMA/Metro **Holiday Luncheon**



Brought to you by: ILCMA Professional **Development Committee**

BRING YOUR ASPIRING LEADERS

Who: Municipal and County Managers/

Administrators, Department Heads, Senior Staff, Division Managers and Aspiring Local Government Leaders

What: A chance for aspiring leaders to

connect one-on-one with Municipal and County Managers/Administrators and

Department Directors

When: Wednesday, December 11, 2019

10:30 am to 11:30 am

This session will be immediately before the IAMMA/Metro Holiday Luncheon

Where: Harry Caray's in Lombard

Yorktown Shopping Center

Lombard, IL

Why: In the spirit of building the leadership

bench, we know that networking opportunities provide new ideas and excitement to advance the careers of

emerging leaders

Cost: \$30 per person for the Speed Coaching

and Luncheon

Interns are free for Speed Coaching;

RSVP:

By Friday, Dec. 6th by going to: https://2019-holiday-lunch-

ilcma.eventbrite.com

Registration 10:15 am

Speed Coaching 10:30 to 11:30 am

Participants will have the opportunity to network with City/County Managers and Administrators in a fun yet time-sensitive format!

Bring Business Cards!

IAMMA/Metro Holiday Luncheon 11:30 am

Attendance for both the Speed Coaching and Luncheon will be \$35!





How to Make the Most out of Speed Coaching....and have fun doing it!

Congratulations on your decision to join in the fun of the Speed Coaching and Networking Lunch for Aspiring Government Leaders.

You will be engaging with local government leaders from various disciplines across the Chicago Metropolitan area. Here are a few suggestions to help you get the most out of this lively, fast-paced opportunity to expand your network and develop professional connections:

- 1. Arrive on time for the event so you can receive instructions, pick up resources and informally mingle
- prior to the speed coaching.
 You'll participate in 10-minute coaching sessions. Come with a playful spirit; this is intended to be a high-level, low-risk way to get acquainted.
 Think about what you'd like to give and take from the 10-minute sessions. This is intended to be a
- high energy, low-risk way to get acquainted.
 - Pick one or two items from a particular session.
 - Make up your own ideas or questions.
 - Just be yourself.
 - If you don't click with someone, no worries; you'll move onto someone else soon.

*** FOR ASPIRING LOCAL GOVERNMENT LEADERS, YOU MIGHT THINK ABOUT...

- Hopes you'd like to realize in your career.
- Some career issue you'd like to get different perspectives about.
- Feedback about options you're considering.
- Connections for volunteer coaches to help you make to advance your interests.
- Gratitude for the opportunity to personally meet and learn.
- Something that you found useful from the exchange.

*** FOR LEADERS/COACHES, YOU MIGHT THINK ABOUT...

- Your understanding of what's important to the person you are speed coaching.
- Some options that you think he or she may wish to consider.
- A brief story or experience that may be relevant.
- A vision or action that you invite them to embrace.
- People, resources or education that you think might be useful to them.
- 4. BRING YOUR BUSINESS CARDS!!! There is no pressure for further discussion, just opportunities!
- 5. At the end of the event, there will be a short feedback session to share the great connections made during the event. Feel free to share—we all want to learn!

Tips adapted from Cal-ICMA Coaching Program