**RCAC's Upcoming Trainings**

**Class Name:** HUD Exam Math 101 (Prep for Core)

**Class Date:** 7/1/24

**Class Description:** This course is a prerequisite to taking the Core Competencies series (HUD Exam Prep and Success). It will prepare the participant to do the math, ratio and income calculations which are an integral part of housing counseling and the HUD exam.

**Register**: https://www.events.rcac.org/assnfe/ev.asp?ID=4340

**Class Name:** HUD Exam Prep & Success – 7-Part Series

**Class Dates:** July 8-22. 2024

**Class Description:** Are you or someone you work with getting ready to take the HUD Certification Exam? If so, then this training is for you! This training will cover the six areas of core competency including financial management, housing affordability, homeownership, avoiding foreclosure, tenancy, and fair housing. Each session includes resources, exercises, and Q&A to ensure you have a thorough understanding of the material and for the instructor to clarify any confusion that you may have.

**Register**: https://www.events.rcac.org/assnfe/ev.asp?ID=4341

**Class Name:** HUD Exam Study Group 2-Part Series

**Class Date**: 7/24/24 & 7/26/24

**Description**: This course offers a review of all six HUD Certification Test topics in a comprehensive format. Instruction will provide counselors with the ability to locate all HUD resources for the certification exam and the necessary study tools.

**Register**: https://www.events.rcac.org/rcac/HOUSE\_COUNSELING\_TRAINING.asp

**Class Name:** Marketing and Promoting Your Housing Counseling Agency

**Class Date**: 7/9/24

**Description**: This course will provide Housing Counseling agencies with tools and techniques to market their services. Counselors will learn best practices and gain valuable insights on ways to address common challenges to increase awareness of their housing counseling agency. Resources such as the Office of Housing Counseling’s (OHC) multi-language “Let’s Make Home the Goal” postcards and flyers, toolkits, and other materials will be reviewed.

**Register**: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZIkcuGhqz0iG90pODso4SeFrxKiVE7R2U6o#/registration

**Class Name:** Promoting Mobility Counseling through Affirmative Marketing

**Class Date**: 7/30/24

**Description**: This course will teach counselors to use affirmative marketing techniques to explore housing options in a range of neighborhoods, including those of higher opportunity; identify housing and neighborhoods that best fit the clients’ needs; promote housing choice; deconcentrate poverty; and increase access to transportation, services of interest, and educational opportunities. Strategies on ways to implement the course content into Rental, Pre-purchase and Homeownership counseling and education will be provided as well as identifying potential community partners and a review affirmatively furthering fair housing activities and practices.

Register: https://www.events.rcac.org/rcac/HOUSE\_COUNSELING\_TRAINING.asp

**Class Name:** DEI Best Practices 2-Part Series

**Class Date**: 9/3/24 & 9/5/24

**Description**: Participants will learn the meaning of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI). In addition, counselors will learn the steps to develop a DEI initiative. Participants will discuss how DEI is reflected or incorporated in their organizations and will share their successes and lessons learned on their DEI journey. RCAC staff will share their own experience in setting up a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion committee. Participants will analyze the barriers to DEI in the housing counseling industry.

**Register**: https://www.events.rcac.org/assnfe/ev.asp?ID=4337

**Housing Counseling Summit**

**Class Date & Location**: August 13-15, 2024 | Salt Lake City UT

**Description**: This conference will focus on providing networking opportunities with housing counselors nationwide. It presents a valuable platform for attendees to connect, exchange knowledge and establish collaborations. Bringing together housing counselors, attendees can benefit from a diverse range of perspectives, experiences, and expertise, ultimately enhancing their own skills and understanding of the industry.

**Register**: https://www.events.rcac.org/rcac/Housing\_Counseling\_Summit\_081324.asp

**Download the event app**: https://download.socio.events/event/MzI1MjY=?token=eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJkYXRhIjp7InR5cGUiOiJQcm9tb1BhZ2UiLCJldmVudF9pZCI6MzI1MjYsImFwcF9pZCI6MTk4Nn0sImlzcyI6Imh0dHBzOi8vc29jaW8uZXZlbnRzIiwiaWF0IjoxNzEwNDUwNjgwfQ.HjNed\_cw001SlXDJXJJYaoW2TQugg-bDQIw1GUnC9LI