# Adjusting Your Auditing Perspective: Windshield vs.

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One-Day Government Auditing Conference Thursday, December 6, 2018

Date: Thursday, December 6, 2018

Time: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Location: Graduate School USA 600 Maryland Avenue SW Washington, DC

Cost: \$350.00 - 8 CPEs awarded Conference includes continental breakfast and lunch

Visit graduateschool.edu/atc for more information and to register.



This one-day training conference is designed to provide fast-paced concentrated exposure to new ideas and techniques for performing and leading audits that make a difference.

Auditors, and especially audit leaders, need to understand some of the newest concepts and skills that broaden the auditing competencies and add new value.

This conference will showcase four mini-versions of important contemporary course topics presented in the morning session and repeated in the afternoon session.

- Emotionally Intelligent Auditor: A Guide to Achieving Power With People
- Data Analytics: Tools and Techniques
- Ethical Decision Making for Auditors
- Enterprise Risk Management

**Who should attend?** Auditors, analysts, program evaluators and leaders.

### **Conference Agenda**

	8:00 – 8:30 a.m.	<b>Registration/Networking</b>
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8:30- 9:00 a.m. Plenary Session Welcome Keynote Speaker (.5 CPE)

### 9:05 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. First Session (pick one) (3.5 CPE)

- Emotionally Intelligent Auditor: A Guide To Achieving Power With People
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### 12:20 – 1:10 p.m.

### Lunch Provided Lunch Speaker (.5 CPE)

### 1:15 – 4:30 p.m.

### Second Session (pick one) (3.5 CPE)

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### Four workshops will be presented:

### Emotionally Intelligent Auditor: A Guide to Achieving Power With People

Managing positive and productive relationships during the course of audit work — directing, coaching or working with members of the audit team and external stakeholders — can be emotionally challenging and often confrontational. Examine the emotionally intelligent competencies and communication skills necessary to maintain control, and better connect with people in building positive relationships, for problem solving.

### Who Should Attend?

Managers, leaders, auditors, analysts, evaluators and investigators; Level: Journeyman/Advanced.

### **Data Analytics: Tools and Techniques**

This seminar is a condensed, quick-paced overview on the principles, tools, techniques and applications of data analytics within a audit environment. Large amounts of data present a challenge to identifying trends, correlations, levels of compliance, activity, possible fraud, errors, and otherwise hidden causes and effects in financial performance. Explore the application of software and a case study to demonstrate available tools to extract and sort information.

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### **Ethical Decision Making for Auditors**

Are you faced with tough decisions about how to handle sensitive situations in your mission to uncover fraud, waste and abuse? Explore the ethical hazards and dilemmas facing auditors and review methods of analyzing and resolving them. Come away with a skill-set for dealing with the common, right vs. wrong hazards and conflicts.

#### Who Should Attend?

All Auditors and decision makers; Level: All

### **Enterprise Risk Management**

This seminar is designed for executives responsible for mission and mission support activities, and auditors who need to understand the application and role of risk management in sustaining organizational performance. The seminar topics are based on the award-winning and best-selling textbook, *Enterprise Risk Management: A Guide for Government Professionals*.

#### Who Should Attend?

Executives responsible for mission activities Level: Journeyman/Advanced