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THIRD ANNUAL ONE DAY CONFERENCE

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HYATT REGENCY HOTEL  
333 WEST KILBOURN AVE.  
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN



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AN INVITATION TO THE LERA, WISCONSIN CHAPTER, THIRD ANNUAL CONFERENCE  
NOVEMBER 3, 2009 AT THE HYATT REGENCY, MILWAUKEE, WI

# WELCOME

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO OUR THIRD ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

## REGISTRATION

Pre-registered attendees should check-in to receive their booklets and pre paid parking passes. Walk-in registrations will be accepted at the door at no additional charge. The registration fee includes: access to the keynote speech and all workshops; continental breakfast, coffee, tea, soda and water during breaks; and a buffet lunch. Workshops do not have to be selected in advance. Every attendee will receive a copy of the booklet containing outlines submitted by the speaker for all workshops.

Memberships will also be accepted at the door by check or cash only. Receipts for payment of the any of the fees will be available on request.

If you are not a member, but wish to be informed of our luncheons and other events, a sign-in sheet for announcements by email will be available.

## CLE CREDITS

A sign-in sheet for attorneys to register for CLE credits will be available at the registration tables. We will be submitting the outlines and biographies to the State Bar for CLE credits. Once the CLE credits are awarded, that information will be posted on our web site. Last year we were awarded six (6) credits, one (1) of which was for Ethics.

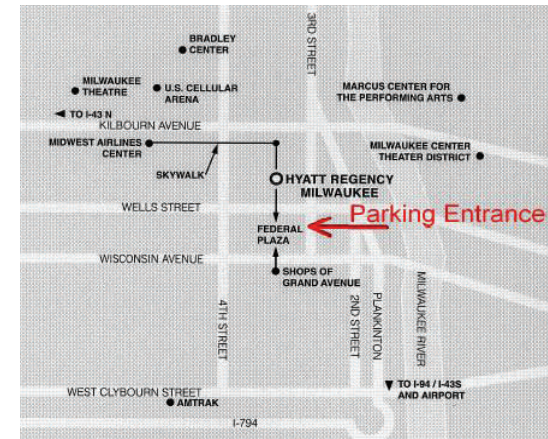
## HOTEL AND PARKING

Information for making reservations for the Hyatt Regency Hotel is on the Hotel Information page of this brochure.

Discounted parking is available in the **FEDERAL PLAZA PARKING LOT**, at the rate of \$8 for the day, which may be prepaid (see registration form). You will receive a pass for parking at registration. Enter the lot from Third Street at Wells Street. The hotel is accessible via skywalk at the Mezzanine level.

If you do not pre-purchase a pass from us, cost for parking in the same lot is **\$12** for the day. If you register at the door, discounted parking passes may be available, please inquire. (**Please note** - Parking in the lot attached to the Hyatt is **\$23** per day and there is no discount). A map of the area and directions to the parking structure and hotel are on the Hotel Information page of this brochure.

## HOTEL INFORMATION



The Hyatt Regency is located at 333 West Kilbourn Avenue, Milwaukee, WI 53203, in Downtown Milwaukee. The hotel has several restaurants, including the Bistro 333 and Bistro Bar 333. There are many other restaurants and bars within walking distance of the hotel as well. The hotel has a business center and the Stay Fit Gym.

Rooms will be at the federal government rate at the time of booking. Make your reservations directly with the hotel and tell them you are here for the LERA conference, and want the conference rate. PHONE 414-276-1234, FAX 414-270-6069.

### Directions to the hotel (take the skywalk to the hotel from the parking lot)

From the North

Exit I-43 at the Fond du Lac/McKinley exit. Turn slight left onto McKinley Avenue; turn right on 6<sup>th</sup> Street, then left on Wells (one way east) to Third Street. Turn right on Third Street to Federal Building parking lot on right.

From the South

Travel north on I-43 Green Bay. Using the extreme right lane, exit at Civic Center/Kilbourn Avenue Tunnel. Turn right on 6<sup>th</sup> Street, then left on Wells (one way east) to Third Street. Turn right on Third Street to Federal Building parking lot on right.

From the West

Travel east on I-94 to Milwaukee to I-43 North Green Bay, using the extreme right lane. Exit Civic Center/Kilbourn Avenue Tunnel. Turn right on 6<sup>th</sup> Street, then left on Wells to Third Street. Turn right on Third Street to Federal Building parking lot on right.

**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

Rolling membership - valid for 12 months from date received

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

**Membership dues (please check one)**

**Regular \$35.00** \_\_\_\_\_

**Retiree or student \$10.00** \_\_\_\_\_

**Organizational membership \$120** \_\_\_\_\_

**(4 persons from the same organization, additional persons from the same organization, \$30 each)**

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LERA annual dues are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes but check with your accountant to see if they are deductible as ordinary and necessary professional dues business expense. LERA is a 501(c)(3) organization and contributions/gifts to the LERA are tax deductible.

**CONTRIBUTION/GIFT \$** \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE SEND NOTICES BY: \_\_\_\_\_EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_REGULAR MAIL

**PROGRAM**

7:30 AM-8:30 AM

REGISTRATION and BREAKFAST

8:30 AM – 9 AM

WELCOMING REMARKS –  
**RON SWEET**, Moderator  
**IRV GOTTSCHALK, PRESIDENT**, LERA, Wisconsin Chapter  
**HONORABLE THOMAS BARRETT**, Mayor  
**JOEL CUTCHER-GERSHENFELD, PRESIDENT**, LERA

9 AM – 10:15 AM

GENERAL SESSION  
What We Predicted In 2008 And What Actually Happened In 2009  
**DAVID RADELET, ESQ. & SCOTT CRUZ, ESQ.**  
Franczek Radelet & Rose, Chicago

10:15 AM-10:30 AM

BREAK

10:15 AM-11:30 AM Workshops 1A-1D

1A

Venus versus Mars  
Insights on Gender-Based Negotiations  
**CARY SILVERSTEIN**,  
CEO, Strategic Management Services, LLC  
**VIRGINIA FINN, Esq.**

1B

Aspects of the Labor Management Reporting And Disclosure Act (LMRDA) of 1959  
**HELEN HOLLERICH**, Investigator  
OLMS – DOL

1C

Workers Compensation in a Tough Economy  
**MONIKA HARTL, Esq.**

1D

New FMLA Rules  
**SANDY RADTKE, Esq.**  
Murphy, Gillick, Wicht & Prachthausen

11:30 AM-1 pm

BUFFET LUNCH  
**LESTER HELTZER**  
Executive Secretary, NLRB

1:15 PM – 1:45 PM

GENERAL SESSION

The Future Of Labor Relations  
**JOEL CUTCHER-GERSHENFELD**  
President, LERA

1:45 – 2 PM

BREAK 2 pm -3:15 PM Workshops 2A – 2D

2A

Developments in the Area of Immigration Law  
**HEATHER TILTMANN, Esq.**  
Whyte Hirschboeck Dudek SC

2B

OSHA Whistleblowing Laws, Part I  
**KIM STILLE**  
**OSHA**

2C

Difficulties in Bargaining in Tough Economic Times  
**GARY MARSACK, Esq.**  
Lindner Marsack

2D

Venus versus Mars (REPEAT)  
Insights on Gender-Based Negotiations  
**CARY SILVERSTEIN, CEO**  
Strategic Management Services, LLC  
**VIRGINIA FINN, Esq.,**

3:15 – 3:30 PM

BREAK 3:30 – 4:45 PM Workshops 3A-3C

3A

Aspects of the Labor Management Reporting  
And Disclosure Act (LMRDA) of 1959 (REPEAT)  
**HELEN HOLLERICH, Investigator**  
OLMS – DOL

3B

OSHA Whistleblowing Laws, Part II  
**KIM STILLE**  
**OSHA**

3C

Domestic partner – Rights and Benefits  
**RON HUDSON, Business Rep**  
SEIU Local 1199

**REGISTRATION FORM**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE AND ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

You may register at the door for no extra fee. Parking passes, if available, may be purchased at the door.

	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Number attending</u>	<u>Total</u>
Registration fees			
Member	\$140	_____	_____
Non member	\$155	_____	_____
Student	\$55	_____	_____
Parking (per car)	\$8.00	_____	_____

Membership dues  
(from other side) \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ENCLOSED** \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to LERA WI Chapter. We regret we cannot process credit card payments. Send completed registrations and payment to:  
Suzanne M. Clement, Secretary -Treasurer  
3477 North Cramer Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53211

**Form may be copied - additional brochures are available electronically, or by regular mail. Please contact Suzanne Clement at [Suzanne.clement@nlrb.gov](mailto:Suzanne.clement@nlrb.gov), 414-297-3883, OR CHECK OUR WEBSITE: [www.uwm.edu/Org/LERA](http://www.uwm.edu/Org/LERA)**

**Cancellation policy:**

Cancellation more than 30 days in advance – full refund;  
Cancellation 29 to 10 days in advance - 50% refund;  
Cancellation less than 10 days in advance – no refund.