



We are very excited to sponsor a diverse and engaging program of events this year during the ACA conference in San Francisco, including:

Continuing Education Workshop
(Earn 2 CEUs in Ethics)

Thursday, March 16, 2017

Location: Intercontinental Hotel, 888 Howard Street, Nob Hill Room

Session #1: 1 pm to 2 pm

***“Understanding Employment Issues and Protections under
the Americans with Disabilities Act:
An Ethical Responsibility for All Counselors”***

by Jan Garrett progman@adapacific.org

from the Pacific ADA Center, Oakland CA www.adapacific.org

Session #2: 2 pm to 3 pm

***“ABLE Accounts & the Disability Benefits 101 Website:
Resources for Ethically Optimizing Disability Benefits”***

by Alex Ghenis alex@wid.org

from the World Institute on Disability, Berkeley CA www.wid.org

Pre-registration required for admission:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/american-rehabilitation-counseling-association-continuing-education-workshop-tickets-31984702105>

Free to ARCA members (and those who join ARCA before registering), **up to the maximum capacity of the room as set by the venue.**

Non-members: \$25

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Event: ARCA Membership Business Meeting

Time: 3:15-4:45 pm	Location: Intercontinental Hotel, Nob Hill Room
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Event: ARCA Awards Dinner

Time: 5:30-7:30 pm	Location: Mozzarella Restaurant, 3228 16 th St. San Francisco 94103
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Pre-registration required for admission:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/american-rehabilitation-counseling-association-awards-dinner-tickets-31992974849?aff=affiliate1>

Cost: Free to ARCA members, up to the maximum capacity of the room as set by the venue. [Guest: \$31.00 incl. tax & tip]

This event includes a full, sit-down meal. We chose to support this restaurant because of its commitment to and success in integrating Deaf workers into its staff. It is located in the Mission neighborhood, only 2 stops on the BART subway or a short cab ride from the Convention Center.

Friday (March 17, 2017)

Event: Editorial Board Meeting
Rehabilitation Counseling Bulletin

Time: 7:30 – 9:00 am	Location: Intercontinental Hotel, Howard Room
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Event: ARCA Board Meeting

Time: 3:00 – 4:30 pm	Location: Intercontinental Hotel, Sutter Room
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Saturday (March 18, 2017)

Event: Student Project Presentations and Program Development

Time: 10:00 am – 11:30 am

Location: Intercontinental Hotel, Telegraph Hill Room

Description: Included in this session will be presentations by rehabilitation counseling students on the advocacy projects they conducted in their community during the Fall 2016 semester. The projects were stimulated and presentations supported by ARCA's professional-development campaign, Understanding Rehabilitation Counseling.

All ARCA members and conference attendees are welcome.

Event: Disability Film Festival

Time: 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Location: Intercontinental Hotel, Ballroom B

Description: Creative and informative short films about the experience of disability will be shown, interspersed with audience discussion. Co-produced with *Superfest*, an international disability film festival sponsored by the Paul K. Longmore Institute on Disability at San Francisco State University.

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Below are the ARCA-featured sessions within the ACA conference program:

CORE Standards Revision Update

Friday, March 17, 3-4pm Education Session

Patricia Nunez

Addressing Microaggressions Experienced by LGBTQ+ Persons with Disabilities in Health Care Settings

Saturday, March 18, 11-11:30am Poster Session

Kaitlin Kimmel, Alex Locust, & Sandra Fitzgerald

Stories of Resilience and Human Rights Advocacy by the Disability Community and Their Allies

Saturday, March 18, 1-2:30pm Education Session

Henry McCarthy (moderator)

Vocational Rehabilitation Counseling Considerations for Medical Marijuana “Patients”

Sunday, March 19, 11-11:30am Poster Session

H. L. Brostrand & Zach Sneed

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We look forward to having many of you join us!

Events are open, unless pre-registration is indicated.

Information is accurate as of this dissemination, but is subject to change.