

Bankruptcy

October 4-5, 2017

Wythe County Judicial Center, Wytheville

Jeff Scharf, partner, Taxing Authority Consulting Services (TACS) will be teaching the course.

The course will present a basic overview of the bankruptcy process, including ceasing collection action, the different types of bankruptcy and what they mean, and when and how to file a claim. Also discussed will be how taxes are treated in bankruptcy, how to deal with those pesky attorneys who always think they know more than you do, and what happens after the bankruptcy case is over.

This course is a **mandatory** course for initial certification for treasurers. It is an elective for deputies. For more information see the ***Certification Handbook***.

If you have questions on certification, contact Al Spengler at: aws@virginia.edu

Registration Deadline is: September 20, 2017

You can register on-line at the Cooper Center website:

<https://commerce.coopercenter.org/ccps/login.php>

(Please note this link has changed; please bookmark the new site.)

All registrations must be completed on-line. How to register is explained on the web site. You will need a password to log onto the online registration system.

Only register one person at a time. After you select your event, don't forget to check the box before the class in order to complete your on-line registration.

Payment can be made on-line with a credit card. You can also pay by check, electronic transfer or LPO. To make payment using a method other than credit card, please print out your registration form and enclose a copy with your check. If paying via electronic transfer or via LPO, please include the invoice number with your payment.

Checks should be made payable to the **University of Virginia** and mailed to **Treasurers' Association of Virginia**, Cooper Center for Public Service, PO Box 400206, Charlottesville, VA 22904-4206.

Registration fee: **\$185 for TAV and VGFOA members** **\$260 for non- members**

A \$20.00 processing fee will be assessed for cancellations. No refunds for cancellations received less than 48 hours before the course unless your space is filled.

Lunch on day one as well as refreshment breaks both days are included in the registration fee. If you need a vegetarian meal, please indicate your dietary needs during the registration process in the special dietary or physical accommodation text box.

Class Schedule and What You Need to Bring with You

Day One **Registration:** **9:30 to 10:00 a.m.**
 Class begins at 10:00 a.m. and ends around 5:00 p.m.

Day Two **Class** will begin at **8:45 a.m.** and ends before lunch.
 Exam should start about 10:00 a.m.

Open Book Exam begins following the conclusion of the course.
You have three hours to complete the exam and can leave when you are finished.

Remember to bring the following materials with you to class:

Several #2 pencils

Assorted highlighters and/or stickies

Grades:

Grades are posted on line--usually within a week of the end of the class.

If you are **not** enrolled in the TAV certification program administered by the Cooper Center for Public Service at the University of Virginia, you must fill out a an enrollment form to view your grade on-line. You can download the form at the Cooper Center web site: www.coopercenter.org and click on *Certification Programs* and then download the *Enrollment Form*.

Otherwise to check your grade, please call Beth Watson at the Center at 434- 982-2144 and she can tell you your grade.

Meeting Location

The **Wythe County Judicial Center** is located at **225 S. 4th Street** in Wytheville.

Take exit 70 off I-81 and proceed south on 4th street.

Go through 5th traffic light and it's the second building on the right, Wythe County Judicial Center.

There is a public parking lot across the street beside the Community Center.

If you need a map, go to the Wythe County/Wytheville website at:

<http://visit.wytheville.com/map.htm>

Lodging

Country Inn & Suites by Carlson

697 Peppers Ferry Road

276 223-1058

Government Rate:

Queen with two beds: \$91

King with one bed: \$91

includes breakfast and free WiFi

Indoor pool and Fitness room

Offers discount if you book early

Fairfield Inn

200 Marriott Way

276-228-8080

Government Rate:

Queen with two beds: \$91

King with one bed \$91

includes breakfast and free WiFi

Indoor pool and Fitness room

These hotels are across the street from each other. They are both newer hotels than the older Comfort Inn on Holsten Road, where I use to block rooms in the past.

Directions

Country Inn & Suites by Carlson

Located at the northern junction of Interstate 81 and Interstate 77.

More information on the hotel as well as Map can be found at the **Country Inn & Suites** web site:

<https://www.countryinns.com/wytheville-hotel-va-24382/vawythev>

Fairfield Inn & Suites

Located at the northern junction of Interstate 81 and Interstate 77.

More information on the hotel as well as Map can be found at the **Fairfield Inn** web site:

<http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/blffi-fairfield-inn-and-suites-wytheville/>

NOTE: Sometimes these hotels offer lower rates on their website than the government rate. When you call, check on rates. The State rate is not always the lowest rate.

There are numerous other chains to stay at in Wytheville. Check with your favorite chain if you want to earn points for your rewards program.