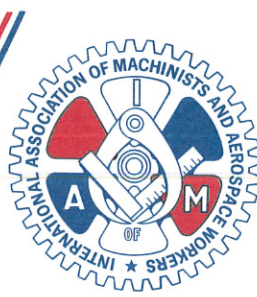


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**WWW Education & Technology Center**

**TO THE PRESIDENTS AND RECORDING SECRETARIES OF ALL DISTRICT AND  
LOCAL LODGES WITH FEDERAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES**

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

The International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers will conduct the 2012 Federal Employees' Advanced Program to be held January 29 – February 3, 2012 at the William W. Winpisinger Education and Technology Center (WWW) in Hollywood, Maryland. In order to attend this program you must have first completed the Basic Federal Program.

The program will involve training in areas specific to the Federal Sector such as ULP and grievance handling, preparations for arbitration and Merit Systems Protection Board (MSPB), collective bargaining including negotiability appeals, mediation and impasse procedures and a more in-depth look at the FLRA. This program will be helpful to stewards, officers and business representatives that service members in the Federal Sector. It is recommended that participants bring copies of their Collective Bargaining Agreement.

Because space in the class ***is limited to 24 participants***, only those that have not previously attended this program will be enrolled. Participants will be chosen on a first come basis, therefore it is extremely important that the enclosed enrollment form for each authorized lodge participant be completed and returned no later than November 11, 2011 if they want to be considered for this class to:

**Federal Employees' Advanced Program**  
**c/o IAMAW Government Employees Department**  
**9000 Machinists Place, Room 305**  
**Upper Marlboro, MD 20772**

***OR, BY FAX: (301)967-4572***

Necessary forms and information will be provided to each prospective participant at the time he or she is notified of acceptance. The completed travel forms must be received at the WWW Education and Technology Center no later than December 9, 2011, in order for travel arrangements to be made through our travel agent.

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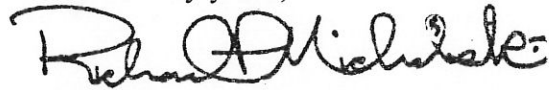
Due to new Transportation Security Administration security procedures, prospective participants must provide their full name (no nicknames or initials only) and date of birth on the enrollment forms to allow the WWW Education and Technology Center to purchase airline tickets. Forms missing this information cannot be processed and will delay registration.

The program is scheduled to last five days. Room assignments (double occupancy if necessary), will be made by the WWW Education and Technology Center. Meals (Sunday brunch through Friday breakfast) will be provided to the participants during their stay at the Center. Additional costs to be considered by the lodge are lost wages, normal out-of-pocket expenses and meals not provided at the Center.

Should the participants wish to have family members accompany them, the family members will be restricted to spouse, and children who are currently living at home. The cost is \$25 per day for spouse; \$35 per day for family.

If you should have any questions concerning this year's program, please contact Frank Carelli, Director of the Government Employees Department, at 301-967-4753.

Fraternally yours,



Richard P. Michalski  
General Vice President

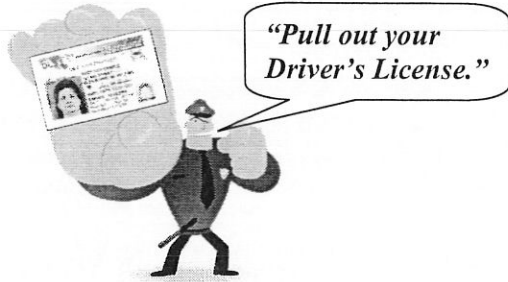
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Enclosures as stated above

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DIR Wagoner, W3 Center  
Nat'l Pres. Dougan, NFFE

Participant Registration Form  
William W. Winpisinger Education and Technology Center  
at Placid Harbor  
Year 2012 Departmental Programs

**Mandatory - The following information must be filled in**



**Full Legal Name** (as printed on your ID)

**Verify your name is as it appears on your Driver's License or Passport that you are presenting as identification at the airport.**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nick Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Local Lodge: \_\_\_\_\_ District Lodge: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Territory: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Province/ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code/ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Last 4 digits of SSN/SIN: \_\_\_\_\_ IAM Book No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Program to be enrolled in: **Federal Employees' Advanced Program**

Program Dates: **January 29 – February 3, 2012**

Please mail completed form to:

IAMAW Government Employees Department  
9000 Machinists Place, Room 305B  
Upper Marlboro, MD 20772

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