



NGCBO – It’s All About Leadership! Coming this Fall in conjunction with the Fall Workshop: The 2nd Annual Next Generation Business Officer’s Institute, October 31 and November 1, 2009, in Savannah. The Fall 2008 Ledger Article below reports on the inaugural 2008 NGCBO institute in Lexington.



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The inaugural year of the NGCBO program a Huge Success!

The overall program evaluation was an impressive 6.67 out of 7!

Attendees of the inaugural Next Generation Chief Business Officers Institute, held in Lexington, KY, in association with CBMI, discovered that preparing for the next career step truly is all about leadership. Two days of the program focused on leadership—including exploring styles and techniques in new and useful ways and putting them into practice, discovering useful tools with practical applications, and having the rare opportunity to hear about leadership first-hand from two University Presidents. The program offered a variety of sessions creating both experiential and technical learning opportunities. Together, participants developed a 10-year higher education timeline—identifying issues and trends relevant to all institutions of higher education: the gray-ing workforce, sustainability, funding issues, technology, and globalization. Program faculty Larry Goldstein and Pat Sanaghan provided a great blend

of lecture, interactive sessions, and guest speakers, which kept participants energized and engaged. The small class size provided excellent networking opportunities. Indeed, half the class opted for a group dinner—after having spent two full days together!

The SACUBO Professional Development Committee appreciates the input provided by the first class of NGCBO graduates, which will help shape future program offerings. Watch for announcements about what’s next for NGCBO in the Ledger and on the SACUBO website, sacubo.org.

Comments from this year’s attendees:

“Excellent content, organization, and presentation of highly relevant material.”

“Most beneficial session I have attended in years.”

“Rare opportunity to network and share experiences with a group sized to encourage interaction...add another day!”

“Excellent blend of concepts and real world...I learned a lot from my colleagues.”

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