



CALL FOR PAPERS

ON SPEAKING AT:

The 32nd Annual

CICA Commodity Tax Symposium

October 1-2, 2012

Ottawa, ON

Do you have what it takes to join the
Symposium '12 Faculty?

We look for **three important attributes** in our Symposium Faculty:

- a very high level of technical expertise
- a wealth of experience in dealing with commodity tax issues in a variety of settings
- AND, a willingness to share their expertise and experience with colleagues, for the advancement of commodity tax studies

We're picky – because our high-level audience demands **superior quality** in its Symposium presenters. From the many speaker and topic proposals considered, only a small portion receives invitations or gets their topics slated for presentation.

If you fit the bill, and you've got a specific topic in mind, we invite you to read and complete the enclosed **Symposium '12 Session Proposal**, and return it to:

Symposium '12 Call for Papers

CICA Continuing Education
277 Wellington Street West
Toronto, ON

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Attn: Stefan Mihailovich, CA

Session Proposal for Presentation at:

The 32nd Annual CICA Commodity Tax Symposium ■ October 1-2, 2012 ■ Ottawa, ON**Please note that each proposal MUST also include:**

1. An abstract of 150 - 200 words, including a statement of objective for the session, a description of the technical content of the paper, and a conclusion to the statement "When you leave my session, you will be able to".
2. A brief biography of yourself, including title and responsibilities in your current position, recent assignments or engagements relevant to the topic proposed, and details of recent speaking engagements for professional, business and internal groups. Note - Preference will be given to single-presenter sessions (panels excepted).

Session Proposal for:

■ **The 32nd Annual
CICA Commodity Tax Symposium**

 Session Title

 Your Name

 Organization/Affiliation

 Organization's URL/Web Address

 Postal/Mailing Address

 City Province Postal Code

 Telephone

 Fax

 Email Address
Type of Session Proposed:

- Keynote presentation
 1/2 Day Pre- or Post-Symposium Workshop
 FULL Day Pre- or Post-Symposium Workshop
 Technical presentation
 Panel

 Panelists (if panel):

Level of Session:

- Beginner (Primer on specific area or topic of Indirect Tax)
 Intermediate
 Advanced

General Topic Area (select all that apply):

- GST PST
 HST QST
 Customs and Trade
 Income Tax
 Other Indirect Taxes (fuel tax, environmental tax, WSIB, municipal tax, etc.)

See reverse for [Terms and Conditions](#)

I have read, understand and accept the "**Terms and Conditions of Submitted Session Proposals**" as outlined in the Call for Papers document (on reverse). Please consider my topic proposal for inclusion in the **The 32nd Annual CICA Commodity Tax Symposium**, October 1-2, 2012, Ottawa, ON.

Please sign here: _____

Terms & Conditions of Submitted Session Proposals

1. The deadline for submitting session proposals:
DECEMBER 16, 2011
for
the 32nd Annual Commodity Tax Symposium
No proposals will be considered if received after the deadline.

Please mail, email or fax session proposals to:

CICA Commodity Tax Symposium - Call for Papers

277 Wellington Street West

Toronto, ON M5V 3H2

Attn: Stefan Mihailovich, CA

Principal - Continuing Education

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2. Only fully completed session proposals will be considered. Submissions must include the following four pieces:
 - a. Session proposal form with title, speaker co-ordinates, level and general topic area(s).
 - b. An outline of 150 - 200 words including a statement of objective for the session, and a description of the technical content to be included in the presentation.
 - c. A conclusion to the statement "When you leave my session, you will be able to ..."
 - d. Brief CV, including title, current responsibilities, recent assignments relevant to the topic proposed, and details of recent speaking engagements for professional, business and internal groups.
3. All Session Proposals become the property of CICA. CICA reserves the right to:
 - a. Include a submitted topic and session abstract in future Symposium programs.
 - b. Allocate a submitted topic for presentation by an individual other than the one who submitted the topic.
 - c. Include any or all of the topic information submitted in the Session Proposal for marketing purposes.
4. All biographical information received by CICA will remain confidential.
5. All submissions will be presented to the 2012 Commodity Tax Symposium Advisory Committee on an anonymous basis, for consideration.
6. Final acceptance or rejection notices will be sent to all those submitting proposals by:

February 29/12 for the

32nd Annual Commodity Tax Symposium