

Ohio Department of Administrative Services, Equal Opportunity Division  
**2011 EEO ACADEMY CLASS MATRIX**  
 October 2011 – December 2011

Time	Oct. 7, 2011 Friday	Oct. 21, 2011 Friday	Nov. 4, 2011 Friday	Nov. 18, 2011 Friday	Dec. 2, 2011 Friday	Dec. 16, 2011 Friday
8:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m.	<b>WELCOME/ORIENTATION</b> Robert Blair, DAS Director Felicia Godbolt, DAS EEO Program Manager Ohio Department of Administrative Services	<b>GENDER STEREOTYPING</b> G. Michael Payton, Esq. Executive Director and  Keith McNeil Regional Counsel and Director of Operations Ohio Civil Rights Commission	<b>MANAGING EEO IN AN ACADEMIC ENVIRONMENT</b> Darryl A. Peal President South Central Ohio Minority Supplier Development Council	<b>THE CULTURAL DIMENSION OF EFFECTIVE PROFESSIONAL SERVICE</b> Dr. Christopher Washington Academic Vice President Franklin University	<b>DISCRIMINATION AND RELIGIOUS ACCOMMODATIONS</b> Stacia Marie Jones., Esq. Director and Legal Counsel Abercrombie & Fitch	<b>LEADING CHANGE</b> Dr. Paul Otte Executive Director Franklin University Leadership Center
9:40 a.m. 10:40 a.m.	<b>UNDERSTANDING RACE DISCRIMINATION</b> Ray Miller President The Center for Urban Progress	<b>SEX DISCRIMINATION AND SEXUAL HARASSMENT</b> Patrick Dull, Esq. Assistant Attorney General Civil Rights Section Office of the Ohio Attorney General	<b>IT WASN'T THAT LONG AGO</b> Darlene Sweeney-Newbern Toledo Regional Director Ohio Civil Rights Commission	<b>LABOR AND EEO</b> Raymond Geis, Esq. Labor Relations Officer Ohio Department of Administrative Services	<b>THE STATE OF LATINO AFFAIRS IN OHIO</b> Lilleana Cavanaugh MBE Executive Director Ohio Latino Affairs Commission	<b>CLASSIFYING RACE</b> Merelyn Bates-Mims, Ph.D. Bates Mims Associates, Inc.
10:50 a.m. 11:50 a.m.	<b>CONFLICT COMMUNICATION STYLES</b> Susan Nagel, Esq. Professor Capital University Law School Chief Executive Officer CPR, Inc.	<b>TITLE II OF THE GENETIC INFORMATION AND NONDISCRIMINATION ACT (GINA) OF 2008</b> Cynthia Stankiewicz Cleveland Field Office Enforcement Manager U. S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC)	<b>OHIO CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION (OCRC) DISCRIMINATION COMPLAINT PROCESS</b> Darlene Sweeney-Newbern Toledo Regional Director Ohio Civil Rights Commission	<b>THE AUDACITY OF PUBLIC INTEGRITY</b> Richard A. Whitehouse, Esq. Executive Director State Medical Board of Ohio	<b>SENIORS IN EMPLOYMENT</b> Tiffany Dixon Workforce Policy and Program Administrator Ohio Department of Aging	<b>THE STRUCTURE OF OPPORTUNITY AND RACE</b> Stephen Menedian, Esq. Senior Legal Associate Kirwan Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity Ohio State University
1:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m.	<b>AMERICAN INDIANS: BY WHOSE DEFINITION</b> Guy Jones Co-Founder Miami Valley Council for Native Americans	<b>DISCRIMINATION BASED ON AGE</b> Duffy W. Jamieson, Esq. Chief Assistant Attorney General Civil Rights Section Office of the Ohio Attorney General	<b>ADA: AMENDED, REINFORCED &amp; CLARIFIED</b> L. Scott Lissner Americans with Disabilities Act Coordinator The Ohio State University	<b>THE IMPACT OF GENERATIONS IN THE WORKPLACE</b> Sandy Crocker Hosfeld Diversity Specialist and Workgroup Consultant	<b>BEST PRACTICES TO MEET OHIO'S MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE GOALS</b> Melinda Carter, Esq. Executive Director Equal Opportunity Commission Office, City of Columbus	<b>WORKPLACE BULLYING</b> Scott Warrick JD, MLHR, SPHR Employment Law and Training Services
2:10 p.m. 3:10 p.m.	<b>HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT (HIPAA)</b> Socrates Tuch, Esq. General Counsel Ohio Department of Health	<b>EMPLOYMENT RETALIATION</b> Lee Ann Rabe, Esq. Assistant Attorney General Employment Law Section Office of the Attorney General	<b>ADA: AMENDED, REINFORCED AND CLARIFIED</b> L. Scott Lissner Americans with Disabilities Act Coordinator The Ohio State University	<b>PUBLIC RECORDS 101</b> Lisa Iannotta, Esq. Chief Legal Counsel and  Cathy Perkins, Esq. Associate Legal Counsel DAS Office of Legal Services	<b>HE SAID - SHE SAID: GENDER-BASED COMMUNICATION</b> G. Stan Meloy, Ph.D. Executive Director Ohio Employees Assistance Program	<b>WORKPLACE BULLYING</b> Scott Warrick JD, MLHR, SPHR Employment Law and Training Services
3:20 p.m. 4:20 p.m.	<b>UNDERSTANDING EQUAL OPPORTUNITY FROM A MILITARY PERSPECTIVE</b> Captain Warren W. Van Overbeke Ohio Adjutant General's Department State Equal Employment Opportunity Manager (SEEM)	<b>EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES AND DISPARATE IMPACT</b> Donna L. Williams-Alexander, Esq. Senior Trial Attorney U. S Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC)	<b>UNDERSTANDING THE SOMALIAN COMMUNITY</b> Mussa Farah, Commissioner Community Relations of Columbus City of Columbus	<b>DATING IN THE WORKPLACE UPDATE</b> Anne Thomson, Esq. Human Resources Division Ohio Department of Mental Health	<b>HE SAID - SHE SAID: GENDER-BASED COMMUNICATION</b> G. Stan Meloy, Ph.D. Executive Director Ohio Employees Assistance Program	<b>FINAL THOUGHTS</b>

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Location: Ohio Department of Transportation – Auditorium  
1980 West Broad Street

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*Participation Certificate Levels:*

**General EEO Practitioner** completes a minimum of 22 classroom hours  
**Senior EEO Practitioner** completes minimum of 50 classroom hours  
**Executive EEO Practitioner** completes a minimum of 80 classroom hours  
**Expert EEO Practitioner** completes a minimum of 107 classroom hours \*