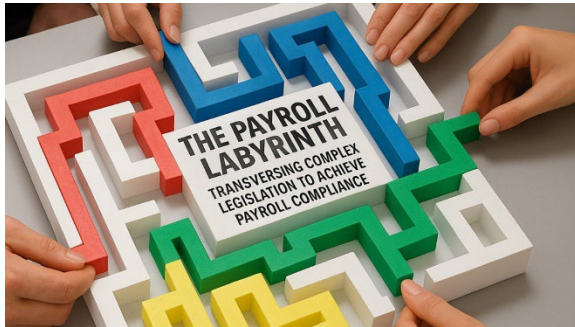


Conference Agenda at a Glance



October 1–2, 2026

Falls Church Marriott Fairview Park

3111 Fairview Park Drive

Falls Church, Virginia

2 Days

Networking, education, and professional growth

5 General Sessions

Big-picture learning and leadership insights

18 Workshops

6 breakout blocks with 3 choices each

General Sessions*

Payroll Like a Boss

John Bernatovicz

Payroll Words Matter: Elevating Your Voice as a Leader

Luanne Brown, MPA, CPP

Overpayment and Repayment: Best Practices and Tips

Luanne Brown, MPA, CPP

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Matt Newton

Coming Soon

William Palmer and Randy Sparks

Breakout Sessions*

Block	Option A	Option B	Option C
1	Understanding the Regular Rate of Pay Charlotte Hodges, CPP	Adding Cryptocurrency to the Payroll Mix Gerard Hall, CPP	Back to Payroll Basics Linda Dailey, CPP
2	Payroll's Expanding Data Security Role Mike Baer, CPP	Charting the Course: Better Communication in Payroll Frank Gorrell	Payroll Like a Boss, Part 2 John Bernatovicz
3	Navigating the Labyrinth of Child Support Sherri Grisby	Financial Crimes and Embezzlement Gregory Settducati	Mapping the Payroll Maze: A Guide to Transition from Staff to Supervisor Gerard Hall, CPP
4	Understanding Benefits & Garnishment Taxability Linda Dailey, CPP	2026 Compliance Labyrinth Bill Dunn, CPP	The Legislative Process Adam Prinzo
5	Unleashing the Value of Payroll Charlotte Hodges, CPP	Fatigue, Vicarious Trauma, and Burnout Lauren Jenkins and Lettia McMillion	Parting Ways: A Strategic Guide to Reduction in Force and Severance Leigh Stiegler and Anne Bibeau
6	Federal Tax Updates for Payroll Professionals Anika Pompey	Examining Worker Payment Alternatives Mike Baer, CPP	Navigating the Fraud Labyrinth: Prevention and Detection in the Digital Age Frank Gorrell

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