



Chapter General Meeting

DATE & TIME:

October 3, 2019
11:30am - 1:00pm

LOCATION:

Q - Center
4115 N. Mississippi Avenue
Portland, Oregon 97217

11:30 Welcome and Introductions – Elvis Carter and Christy Tran

11:35 Lunch

11:50 Chapter Updates

- Chapter Board Nominations/Election – Nick Ioanna
- Holiday Luncheon – Julie Hoffman
- Membership – Emmanuel Amunga
- Pro D – Kathi Braeme Burr
- Reverse Vendor Trade Show – Diane Seaton

12:10 **Presentator: Kendal Foose**, CPPB, Sr. IT Procurement Specialist, Port of Portland

"Buyer's Guide to the Digital Landscape, Public IT Procurement & Contracting"

Has technology started to creep into the procurements and contracts on your desk?
Have you started to wonder where you can go to get some basic understanding of what you may want to add or tweak to and in your solicitation or contracting process when IT is part of the project?

This presentation will demystify terms like the "cloud" and discuss how the cloud can be used by government. Kendall will share with you, as an attendee, tips on soliciting and evaluating cloud software. If you have found yourself apprehensive about contracting for IT software then you will for sure not want to miss the opportunity to learn more about general IT contract forms and elements. Whether you are curious about how to manage a proposer's request for exceptions to your agency's standard IT contracts or what to do when you must use IT vendor authored contracts, after this presentation you will feel more knowledgeable so you can take the lead on these situation when they arise in your agency.



1:00 Adjourn – Elvis Carter and Christy Tran

Lunch: TBD

Next Meeting:

General Meeting
November 7, 2019, 11:30am-1:00pm