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### **RICHLAND COLLEGE TO HOST IRS NONPROFIT WORKSHOP**

DALLAS—Richland College will host two sessions of the Internal Revenue Service's (IRS) area-wide nonprofit workshop, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 19 and 20.

This introductory workshop is designed for nonprofit organization administrators and volunteers and nonprofit practitioners who are responsible for tax compliance. Certified Public Accountants, accounting professionals, bookkeepers and attorneys who work with small- and medium-sized nonprofits are also encouraged to attend. The workshop will explain what 501(c)3 organizations must do to keep a tax-exempt status and comply with tax obligations. Topics will include an introduction to tax-exempt status, the benefits and responsibilities of that status, unrelated business income, employment classifications and requirements, form 990 series and required disclosures.

"This is a great opportunity for professionals and volunteers in charitable organizations to learn about IRS requirements and what is involved in maintaining a tax-exempt status," said Heather Lozano, Richland College assistant dean for continuing education and workforce training. "Taxes can be difficult for anyone to navigate, and this should help clear the path and make the process a bit easier for attendees to understand."

During the May 19 session, the guest speaker will be Susan Staricka, the senior attorney for charitable trusts for the Office of the Attorney General for the State of Texas. On May 20, Diana Marquis, president of the Association of Fundraising Professionals, Dallas chapter, will speak.

Registration is \$30 and includes all materials. Attendees may choose to register for either of the sessions. Seating is limited and preregistration is required. The IRS approves these full-day workshops for six continuing education credits (CEU) for enrolled agents and registered tax preparers.

Richland College is located at 12800 Abrams Rd. Additional information is available at [www.richlandcollege.edu/irs](http://www.richlandcollege.edu/irs). To register for the workshop, call 972-238-6143.

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