

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION FORM

Don't hesitate! Register for CBAI's 50th Annual Convention and Exposition by June 30, 2024.

Registration Fees*

One person banker \$ 599
 Each additional banker..... \$ 549 each
 Partner/Spouse** \$ 619 each
 Associate Member (Not sponsor or exhibitor).... \$ 1,099 each

* The registration fee includes all regularly scheduled activities described in this brochure. Thursday's optional activity and the golf tournament are optional and not included in the fee. Information regarding these programs will be available soon.

** Fee includes Friday & Saturday Partners' Events

Bank/Firm _____

Address _____

City/Zip _____

Name/Title _____

E-Mail _____
(E-mail address required for registration).

Name/Title _____

E-Mail _____
(E-mail address required for registration).

For additional registrants, please copy this form.

Total Registration Fee \$ _____

Questions? Phone: 217.529.2265 or 800.736.2224

Mail form, along with check, to:
 CBAI's 50th Annual Convention
 901 Community Drive, Springfield, IL 62703
 or send by fax to: 217.585.8738

Name as it Reads on Card _____

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(MasterCard, Visa & Discover accepted)

HOTEL INFORMATION

CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL

3000 South Dirksen Parkway
 Springfield, IL 62703
 Phone #: 217.529.7777

Community Bankers Assoc of IL 2024 Annual SPICC

Single & Double Room Rates: \$135 + tax



Crowne Plaza

Conveniently located off Interstate 55, better known as Historic Route 66, this hotel puts you close to attractions so you can explore the Land of Lincoln. Just a short drive away you can enjoy the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum, Lincoln's Home, Tomb and Monument, the Old State Capitol or the Illinois State Museum.

The Crowne Plaza features ground-level load-in, complimentary parking and 288 guest rooms each equipped with a mini-refrigerator, Keurig coffee maker and 43 inch television. Amenities include an indoor pool, hot tub, dry sauna and 24-hour fitness center. The on-site Business Center is open 24 hours and complimentary Wi-Fi is available throughout the hotel's public areas.

Start your morning with a Starbucks coffee and muffin at The Harvest Bakery located on the second floor of the hotel. If you're looking to relax and unwind, visit the Long 9 Lounge featuring oversized chairs, dark wood molding and a grand piano. The Long 9 Lounge is the perfect spot to have a cocktail or grab a bite to eat.

To assist CBAI in the planning process, we ask that you reserve your hotel room and register for Convention as soon as possible.

THERE IS NO PENALTY TO REGISTER EARLY.

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FIFTY YEARS. ONE MISSION. COMMUNITY BANKS.

In 2024, Community Bankers Association of Illinois (CBAI) is celebrating its 50th Anniversary. On February 27, 1974, five Independent Community Banks in Illinois (ICBI) committee members signed incorporation papers with the Office of the Secretary of State as the not-for-profit Independent Community Banks in Illinois Association which is now known as CBAI. From a 400 square foot office with one employee to a 13,200 square foot headquarters with two training rooms and a staff of 22, CBAI has grown with the support of an amazing group of community bankers.

During this year as we reflect on the past, present and future, we must acknowledge the outstanding efforts of CBAI's chairmen/chairwomen, board members, staff and bankers devoted to preserving the mission of community banking. Without their tremendous support, CBAI could not have become one of the largest banking associations in the country. CBAI is committed to offering quality education, effective political representation and essential products and services to community banks in Illinois.

CBAI is excited to celebrate this incredible milestone in community banking history. You don't want to miss CBAI's 50th Annual Convention & Exposition, September 19 - 21, 2024, in Springfield!

THURSDAY WELCOMING RECEPTION

Stroll among the tables laden with items for the live and silent auctions supporting Community BancPac and Foundation for Community Banking. Enjoy food, drinks, entertainment and an evening of fun with your fellow community bankers!

FRIDAY OPENING BREAKFAST



Carlson

Colette Carlson, founder of Speak Your Truth, Inc., is a human behavior expert and keynote speaker who inspires individuals to connect and communicate in real and relevant ways. She is a Certified Speaking Professional (CSP), and in 2017, was inducted into the CPAE Speaker Hall Fame®, a lifetime award that honors professional speakers who have reached the top echelon of platform excellence.

Regardless of your title and role, people experience everyday stressors while they are expected to stay agile through constant change. In today's world, people are required to exceed expectations and produce more in less time with fewer resources, all while staying positive and engaged with colleagues and customers. New challenges have collapsed the boundaries between work and home, leaving people juggling opposing demands for time, energy, and attention. It's no surprise, even with the best of intentions, leaders and teams feel stressed out, disconnected, and emotionally exhausted. Enough! It's time for You Management!

Join Carlson in this laugh-out-loud presentation of **"You Management: Strategies to Avoid Burnout, Boost Resilience and Accelerate Success"** as she shares practical, yet powerful, science-based strategies to remain resilient and accelerate your success during the most challenging of circumstances.

CONCURRENT EDUCATION SESSIONS

One prominent speaker after another addresses cutting-edge topics during these targeted educational sessions. They provide the knowledge to lead your community bank to top performance. A directors' track remains an important part of the agenda. Also included is the **CBAI Fintech Showcase, powered by the ICBA ThinkTECH Accelerator!**

FRIDAY BUSINESS MEETING

CBAI members and guests hear more about the top regulatory, political and competitive issues confronting community banking today and what CBAI is doing about them. **Association Chairwoman Sheila Burcham, Bradford National Bank, Irvington**, addresses the delegation on key events during her term, and **Incoming Chairman David Stanton, PeopleFirst Bank, Joliet**, presents his views on the community banking profession looking forward. Also on the agenda, **ICBA Immediate Past Chairman Derek Williams** discusses significant issues pending in Congress. **CBAI President Kraig Lounsberry** provides an Association update, and **CBAI Treasurer Jim Weast, Warren-Boynton State Bank, New Berlin**, reviews the Association's financial position. The delegation also elects CBAI officers for the annual period commencing October 1, 2024. Awards for Outstanding CBAI Member, Service Provider of the Year and Outgoing Chairman are announced at the luncheon, as well.

EXHIBIT HALL

Visit our more than 80-booth Exhibit Center. It will be crammed full of the latest products and services for community banks. This enables you to:

- keep abreast of new information, products and services;
- improve purchase management and business development;
- compare prices and products more effectively; and
- save time by seeing all vendors in one location.

Be sure to visit the ICBA ThinkTECH Accelerator Hub in the Exhibit Hall to learn about cutting-edge, innovative solutions hand-picked for community banks! Presented by ICBA, visit this unique space to meet ICBA ThinkTECH Accelerator fintech companies and learn more about how these providers can help your community banks offer enhanced products and services to address the ever-evolving needs of community banks and their customers.

LOOK FOR MORE INFORMATION IN THE COMING MONTHS ON THE THURSDAY GOLF OUTING, FRIDAY NIGHT EVENT, SATURDAY DINNER DANCE, PARTNERS' PROGRAMS, EDUCATION BREAK-OUT SESSIONS AND MORE IN THE FULL CONVENTION BROCHURE.