

**Local Government Leadership Academy Spring 2008**  
**Conference at a Glance**  
**Historic Clarion Hotel Morgan**  
**Morgantown, West Virginia**  
**April 12<sup>th</sup> and April 13<sup>th</sup> 2008**

**Saturday April 12, 2008**

8 AM to 9 AM – Registration and Continental Breakfast, Hotel Morgan

9 AM to 12 noon – Morning Concurrent Workshops (choose one)

<p><b>Financial Management*</b>          Ora Ash          Director of Government Services          WV Auditor's Office</p>	<p><b>Promoting Education in Your Community</b>          Jay Cole          Director of Federal Policy          The College Board</p>	<p><b>Creating an On-Line Presence for Your Community</b>          Dr. Bob Duval          Associate Professor          WVU Department of Political Science</p>
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12 noon to 1:30 PM – Lunch Buffet, Madeleine's Restaurant, 140 High Street  
 Dr. Jim Nolan, Associate Professor, WVU Division of Sociology & Anthropology  
**Crime Control and Prevention in West Virginia Communities**

1:30 PM to 4:30 PM - Afternoon Concurrent Workshops (choose one)

<p><b>Public Health Issues in West Virginia Communities</b>          Dr. Robert Pack          Associate Professor          Emily Cooper          Prescription Drug Abuse Prevention &amp; Education Program Manager          Christiaan Abildso          Graduate Assistant          WVU Dept of Community Medicine</p>	<p><b>Creating an On-Line Presence for Your Community</b>          Dr. Bob Duval          Associate Professor          WVU Department of Political Science</p>	<p><b>Community Wastewater: Technology Solutions for Small Communities</b>          Clement Solomon          Program Coordinator          National Environmental Services Center          Sustainability Coordinator          WVU Facilities Management</p>
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5 PM to 6 PM - Special event: Certificate Graduation Ceremony, Café Bacchus, 76 High Street

**Sunday, April 13, 2008**

8 AM to 9 AM – Registration and Continental Breakfast, Hotel Morgan

9 AM to 12 noon – Morning Concurrent Workshops (choose one)

<p><b>Getting There Without a Car: What Makes a Community Walkable?</b>          James Wood          American Institute of Certified Planners</p>	<p><b>Human Resources &amp; Personnel Management*</b>          Larry Rector          Attorney          Steptoe &amp; Johnson</p>	<p><b>Keeping Downtown Alive</b>          Terry Cutright          Director          Main Street Morgantown</p>
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12 noon to 1 PM – Lunch on your own

1 PM to 4 PM – Afternoon Concurrent Workshops (choose one)

<p><b>Affordable Housing</b>          Dr. L. Christopher Plein          Assistant Dean, School of Applied Social Sciences and Chair, Division of Public Administration</p>	<p><b>Public Management &amp; Leadership*</b>          Dr. Gerald Blakely          Director of Graduate Programs          WVU College of Business &amp; Economics</p>
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