

Illinois CPA Society's  
**Mary T. Washington Wylie**  
**Internship Preparation Program**  
**Agenda**



ILLINOIS CPA SOCIETY

January 6-8, 2020 | Chicago, IL

### Monday, January 6, 2020

Time:	Session:	Speaker:
8:45 <sup>AM</sup>	Meet at Hampton Inn (hotel guests only) 116 N. Jefferson St., Chicago, IL	
9:15 <sup>AM</sup>	Meet at the Illinois CPA Society 550 W. Jackson Blvd., Suite 900, Chicago, IL	
9:30 <sup>AM</sup> - 10:15 <sup>AM</sup>	Welcome and Introductions	Todd Shapiro, ICPAS
10:15 <sup>AM</sup> - 11:00 <sup>AM</sup>	Diversity in the Accounting Profession	Kimberly Ellison-Taylor, Oracle America
11:00 <sup>AM</sup> - 12:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Panel: Careers in Accounting	Jonathan Acevedo, Crowe; Devin Griffith, Hyatt; Brittany Okossi, KPMG; Bill Waters, Chicago White Sox
12:30 <sup>PM</sup> - 1:15 <sup>PM</sup>	Lunch	
1:15 <sup>PM</sup> - 2:15 <sup>PM</sup>	Feedback is Your Friend	Sara Kropp and Jennifer Marshall, PwC
2:15 <sup>PM</sup> - 3:15 <sup>PM</sup>	What Belongs on Your Resume	Kady Halbmaier and Nicola McGarry, Sikich
3:15 <sup>PM</sup> - 3:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Break	
3:30 <sup>PM</sup> - 4:45 <sup>PM</sup>	CPA Exam Information	Beth Murphy, DePaul University (Professor Emerita)
4:45 <sup>PM</sup> - 5:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Wrap-Up	Kari Natale, ICPAS
5:00 <sup>PM</sup> - 6:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Dinner: Meet Program Alumni	
6:30 <sup>PM</sup> - 8:30 <sup>PM</sup>	One-on-One Resume Review - <i>Optional</i>	

### Tuesday, January 7, 2020

Time:	Session:	Speaker:
8:00 <sup>AM</sup>	Meet at Grant Thornton and Breakfast 171 N. Clark St., 2nd Floor, Chicago, IL	
8:30 <sup>AM</sup> - 9:10 <sup>AM</sup>	Accounting Firm Office Tour	Grant Thornton
9:10 <sup>AM</sup> - 9:30 <sup>AM</sup>	Travel to Illinois CPA Society	
9:30 <sup>AM</sup> - 10:30 <sup>AM</sup>	Insider Information from a Campus Recruiter	Jefferson Johnson, Ernst & Young
10:30 <sup>AM</sup> - 11:45 <sup>AM</sup>	Working Styles Assessment Activity	Imani Flowers and Mayarih Sharif, Deloitte
11:45 <sup>AM</sup> - 12:45 <sup>PM</sup>	Lunch	
12:45 <sup>PM</sup> - 1:45 <sup>PM</sup>	Putting Your Best Foot Forward	Regan Nitti, Ellen Provax and Gracie Tijerina, Crowe
1:45 <sup>PM</sup> - 3:15 <sup>PM</sup>	The Winning Interview/Mock Interviews	Megan Anderson and Danielle Watson, KPMG
3:15 <sup>PM</sup> - 4:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Work Session	
4:30 <sup>PM</sup> - 5:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Wrap-Up and Prepare for Reception	Kari Natale, ICPAS
5:00 <sup>PM</sup> - 6:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Reception: Meet Business Professionals	
6:45 <sup>PM</sup>	Dinner: Taco Lulú, 601 W. Adams St., Chicago, IL	
11:59 <sup>PM</sup>	Resume/Transcript Due	

### Wednesday, January 8, 2020

Time:	Session:	Speaker:
9:00 <sup>AM</sup>	Meet at Illinois CPA Society and Breakfast	
9:30 <sup>AM</sup> - 10:00 <sup>AM</sup>	Rock Your Profile and Social Media Dos and Don'ts	Christopher Arceneaux, LinkedIn
10:00 <sup>AM</sup> - 11:00 <sup>AM</sup>	What I Didn't Know About Mentors	Sammy Delgado, Abbott
11:00 <sup>AM</sup> - 11:45 <sup>AM</sup>	Diversity and Inclusion in the Corporate Workplace	Danielle Banks, Ashanti Morgan and Tyronne Stoudemire, Hyatt
11:45 <sup>AM</sup> - 12:15 <sup>PM</sup>	Lunch	
12:15 <sup>PM</sup> - 1:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Group Photo and Prepare for Interviews	
1:00 <sup>PM</sup> - 5:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Rooms 1-5: Internship Interviews	Abbott, Crowe, Deloitte, Ernst & Young, Grant Thornton, Hyatt, KPMG, PwC and Sikich
1:00 <sup>PM</sup> - 5:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Room 6: Work Session and One-on-One Mock Interviews - <i>Optional</i>	
5:00 <sup>PM</sup> - 5:15 <sup>PM</sup>	Wrap-Up	ICPAS Staff