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Charity Regulation Update

Thursday 19th February 2008 2 – 4.30 pm
Slade & Cooper Offices, 6 Mount Street, Manchester

This course will explain the current changes in Charity Regulation brought in by the implementation of the Charity's Act 2006. It will explain the history of the act and provide an overview of the changes paying particular attention to scrutiny arrangements, public benefit, Charitable Incorporated Organisations (CIO's) and the threshold review. This course will be run by Janet Slade (formerly of Slade and Cooper) who is a senior policy accountant at the Charity Commission. The course will be suitable for charity staff and trustees.

cost - £50 + VAT per delegate (£57.50)

VAT for charities

Tuesday 3rd March 2009 2 – 4.30 pm
Slade & Cooper Offices, 6 Mount Street, Manchester

This course is intended for any charity employee or trustee who would like to increase their knowledge of VAT and how it affects charities. This course does not assume any prior knowledge but people with a little VAT experience will probably benefit more as this is can be a complex subject.

This is a general VAT for charities course which aims to provide a practical, hands-on guide to VAT. Key areas covered include; some VAT basics, when you need to register for VAT, the type of supplies that charities make and their VAT status, the recoverability of input VAT and how to account for VAT on a practical level.

The course will be run by Paul Cowham of Slade and Cooper.

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Making your Governance Work

March 10th 2009 2 – 4:30 pm
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Effective Governance is essential for any organisation that is structured to include a board or committee. This workshop will explore what is meant by governance, the roles and responsibilities of the Board/committee and how to improve governance practice. During the workshop participants will have the opportunity to explore their own governance arrangements and practice and identify what action they can take to build more effective governance for the future. This workshop is particularly aimed at boards and senior managers within not for profit organisations including charities, voluntary organisations, other not for profit bodies and social enterprises

Trainer

Rhona Howarth is a specialist consultant who has a detailed and practical knowledge and understanding of Governance and has conducted consultancies and developed training in Governance for a wide range of organisations in the UK and overseas. Rhona has supported a large number of organisations to review their governance and develop plans for building effective governance including putting into place the range, policies, procedures and good practice that underpins effective governance.

Note to Participants

Participants attending the workshop should bring a copy of their current governing document (constitution, Memorandum and articles of association etc) to the workshop for reference.

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