

Next Chapter Meeting on August 23rd

Save the date! Join us for our next chapter meeting on August 23, 2017 from 11:30-1:00 p.m.

Location:

Maggiano's Little Italy Boca Raton 21090 St. Andrews Blvd. Boca Raton, FL 33433

Our speaker, Andrea "Andi" Pacini, is the Project Spokesperson and community liaison for construction projects along the I-95 corridor in Broward and Palm Beach counties.

Message from the Vice President

The year is officially half over . . . wow! I'd like to start by saying that I'm truly honored to be the Vice President of our chapter. A mentor once told me that to gain more work experience I should consider volunteering. Since earning my designation in 2015, I've attended two Leadership Summits and an Annual Meeting where I've learned valuable leadership skills and have had the opportunity to collaborate with leaders from other chapters. By wearing many hats, I've dabbled in many things such as event planning, social media marketing, and journalism. Having a CPCU designation shouldn't be limited to the letters behind our names but rather be used as an opportunity to grow personally and professionally. I encourage you to become more involved in our local chapter or any other organization that you're passionate about.

If you're not ready to volunteer, I encourage you to take advantage of the wealth of resources offered on the CPCU Society's website. I also challenge you to spread the word about our industry by bringing a friend to one of our

luncheons and promoting the website

See you in August!

Florida State University Scholarship Recipient

The recipient of the CPCU Florida Gold Coast Scholarship is Kenneth Thomas from New Port Richey, FL. Kenneth is

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a double major in Risk Management and Insurance and Business Management. He has served as a Management Development Intern at Geico Insurance Company and earned his Lean Six Sigma Certification. In addition to the FGC Scholarship, he has also been awarded a Bright Futures Scholarship and Medical Center of Trinity Volunteers Inc. Scholarship.

Please join us in congratulating Kenneth.



Connect with Kenneth on LinkedIn.

Run, Hide, Fight

At our May 24th luncheon Officer Gwynne Fritters with the Boca Raton Police Crime Prevention unit educated our members about active shooter preparedness. We learned that anything can be used as a weapon to defend yourself even a shattered water glass. Depending on the situation you must Run, Hide or Fight.

Learn \underline{more} at the US Department fo Homeland Security.

Thank you to all that attended this event. It was a success!





2017 The Institutes' CPCU Society Annual Meeting

When: September 16-19, 2017

Where: Orlando, FL

It's not too late to register for the annual meeting. The Conferment Ceremony Keynote Speaker is J.R. Martinez and the congratulatory reception will be held at *Epcot*® on Saturday, September 16th.

Download the 2017 Annual Meet <u>Brochure</u> for more details.



Call for News/Articles

If you have written any news or articles that would be of interest to our general chapter membership, please email veruschka zachtshinsky@ncci.com. We also welcome postings for any professional positions you may have open within your company. Just let us know and we'll get the word out.

City of Sunrise Is Hiring!



City of Sunrise is seeking an Assistant Risk Manager to help manage the City's self-insured workers' compensation (WC) program, drug testing program, fully-insured and/or self-fund employees benefit plans,

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developmental and management of an employee wellness center and initiatives for popular health management. Click <u>here</u> for more details.

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