

**The South Carolina Affiliate of the
American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (SCAFCS)**

97th Annual Conference

“CONNECTING PROFESSIONALS: LEADERSHIP IN ACTION”

Embassy Suites/Greenville, South Carolina

February 23–24, 2012

Name _____ Membership # _____
 Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____
 Work Phone _____ Home Phone _____ E-mail _____
 Employer _____ Job Title _____

A. Registration Rates: *Check member status and days attending (listed rates include conference expenses and meals).*

Early bird registration! Register by January 23, 2012	<input type="checkbox"/> Thurs. /Friday. (3 meals) Feb. 23–24, 2012 Early Bird/Regular	<input type="checkbox"/> Thursday (2 meals) Feb. 23, 2012 Early Bird/Regular	<input type="checkbox"/> Friday (1 meal) only Feb. 24, 2012 Early Bird/Regular	Registration Fees
<input type="checkbox"/> Member – (SCAFCS, SCATFACS, SCEAFCS, SCATEFACS, SCEAFCS) Circle all memberships that apply	\$150.00/\$185.00	\$125.00/\$185.00	\$100.00/\$135.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member/Guest/Employer	\$175.00/\$210.00	\$150.00/\$185.00	\$125.00/\$160.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Retired Member *	\$135.00/\$170.00	\$110.00/\$145.00	\$85.00/\$120.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Member	\$105.00/\$140.00	\$90.00/\$125.00	\$75.00/\$110.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Non-Member	\$125.00/\$160.00	\$105.00/\$140.00	\$90.00/\$125.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Donation to Student Education Program Fund Optional (Federal ID#57-6034319)				
Additional Meals for Guests:	Thursday/Friday	Thursday	Friday	
Lunch – \$35.00; Banquet – \$55.00				
TOTAL ENCLOSED				

*Per AAFCS Bylaws: “A retired member shall be a person who has been an active member for at least 10 years, is 60 or more years of age, has met retirement guidelines at place of previous employment, and is no longer gainfully employed. It is the responsibility of the member to request retired status.”

- **Mail Registration Form and Payment to: Judy Brock, Convention Treasurer, 169 Wildwood Lane, Lugoff, SC 29078.**

- **Meals:** If a vegetarian meal is requested, please check below and also double check at the registration desk.
Vegetarian Meals? _____ **yes** _____ **no**

B. Board Members: Please plan to attend the Dinner & Board Meeting on Wednesday evening, February 22, 2012, from 6:00 – 8:30 pm. Dinner will be at Embassy Suites and members are responsible for their meal cost. (Board members will be able to complete the 20 minute *Virtual Dementia Tour* either before or after the Board meeting.) Sign up for appointments at the registration table.

C. Payment Method: Make check or money order payable to **SCAFCS**. If using a voucher system for payment, include a copy of the completed voucher with the registration form.

D. Silent Auction, Best Practices, Research, A/ID Showcase, and Student Unit Service Project: I will bring an item or items for the following:
 ___ Silent Auction ___ Best Practices Sharing ___ Research Poster ___ Apparel/Interior Design Showcase Item ___ Lap Robe/Warm Neck Scarves

E. Yes ___ No ___ I would/would not like to work with the Hospitality Group at the conference to welcome the participants, encourage them to become members, and/or provide tools to encourage others to become members.

- **Hotel reservations:** Embassy Suites Greenville Golf Resort & Conference Center, 670 Verdae Boulevard, Greenville, SC 29607
 Call 864-678-7126 for reservations 8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M EST Monday-Friday. **Registration cut-off date is January 23, 2012.**
 Single and Double rates are \$92.00 per night, \$102.00 per night triple, and \$112.00 quad rate. Rates are subject to a 10% room tax. The registration code is **SCAFCS**. To get the special rates, reservations must be made by January 23, 2012.
- **Cancellation Policy:** Cancellations **received in writing** by the VP-elect Program prior to February 16, 2012 will be reimbursed the registration fee minus \$25.00. Cancellations received after that date will be reimbursed the fee minus \$25.00 and meal costs.
- Application has been made for Continuing Education Units (CEUs), Professional Development Units (PDUs) and/or recertification points.
- Direct questions concerning Registration to VP Program-Elect Melanie Powley at powleym@winthrop.edu or 803-323-2446
- Direct questions concerning Conference to VP Program Carol Weatherford at scafcsweatherford@gmail.com or 864-247-5364.

TENTATIVE 2012 CONFERENCE PROGRAM-AT-A-GLANCE

Wednesday, February 22, 2012

3:30–6:00 Registration Open/Sign up for appointments for Virtual Dementia Tours

3:30 – 6:00 Board Members participate in Virtual Dementia Tour (Appointments are approximately 20 minutes long.)

6:00 PM Board Meeting

8:30 PM – 10:00 PM Board Members participate in Virtual Dementia Tour (Appointments are approximately 20 minutes long)

Thursday, February 23, 2012			
7:00 AM	8:30 AM	Registration Open	
8:00 AM	8:30 AM	Vendor, Poster Session, Services Fair Displays and Silent Auction Set-up Virtual Dementia Tour Appointments	
8:30 AM	9:30 AM	Opening General Session	Mayor or Representative – Welcome Introduction to Financial Literacy Minutes Bonita Manson Leadership in Action: Improving FCS Student Speaker – Winthrop University
9:30 AM	10:15 AM	Educational Sessions (2)	Leadership for Financial Literacy–Sue Reichelt Leadership for Nutrition/Culinary Arts –TBA
9:30 AM	10:20 AM	Virtual Dementia Tours	
10:20 AM	10:40 AM	Registration Open /Virtual Dementia Tours & Appointments/ Networking/Break/Visit Vendors	
10:40 AM	11:25 AM	Educational Sessions (2)	Leadership in Education– Leadership for Families and Communities–WIC
10:40 AM	11:25 AM	Virtual Dementia Tours	
10:40 AM	11:25 AM	Student Unit Session	Emerging Leaders - Service Project /Lap Robes & Warm Neck Scarves for Senior Citizens
11:25 AM	11:45 PM	Registration Open /Virtual Dementia Tours & Appointments, Vendors, Poster Sessions, Service Project, Networking, and Silent Auction	
11:45 PM	2:00 PM	2nd General Session – Lunch and Interactive Session	The Nat. AAFCS Conf: State AAFCS Branding Student Speaker – South Carolina State Univ. Cost of Elder Care – Alzheimer’s Association Financial Literacy Minute
2:00 PM	5:45 PM	Registration Open /Virtual Dementia Tours & Appointments, Vendor, Poster Sessions, Silent Auction (Silent Auction ends at 5:30 PM)	
2:00 PM	3:30 PM	Greenville Area Tour(s): TBA	
2:00 PM	2:45 PM	Educational Sessions (2)	Leadership: Colleges, Universities, & Research Shelia Littlejohn Leadership: for Hospitality – TBA
2:50 PM	3:35 PM	Educational Session (2)	Leadership for Early Childhood – Teacher of Year 2012 – Trish Egan Leadership for Fashion and Interior Design–TBA
3:40 PM	6:00 PM	Financial Literacy PSA’s	Videotaping
3:40 PM	5:00 PM	Professional Forum for Emerging Leaders	Leadership in Professionalism – TBA
3:40 PM	5:00 PM	Presentations	Vendor Presentations
6:30 PM	9:00 PM	3rd General Session – Banquet Awards and Recognitions	The National AAFCS Conference: SC State Affiliate Student Chair Melissa Horton, Clemson University Financial Literacy Minute FCS in Action Globally: Lilburne Senn “ <i>WI GO WOK TOGEDA: WI GO LAN TOGEDA</i> ” Views from Sierra Leone, West Africa
Friday, February 24, 2012			
7:30 AM	8:20 AM	Meeting for South Carolina Family and Consumer Sciences Coalition (Round table)	
8:00 AM	8:50 AM	Registration Open/ Vendor and Poster Session end/ Checkout Communities of Interest meetings	
8:50 AM	9:50 AM	King Arthur Flour Demonstration	Sarah Gray
9:50 AM	10:10 AM	Checkout	
10:10 AM	11:20 AM	SCAFCS Business Meeting	
11:20 AM	11:30 AM	Checkout	
11:30 AM	1:30 PM	4th General Session – Lunch	Student Unit Speaker Financial Literacy Minute Invitation to SCAFCS Conference 2013–Melanie Powley Dementia Tour Debriefing