

# registration form

Course Options		
☐ Full Course SAE Members Nonmembers	\$795 \$895	
☐ Concentrated Course SAE Members Nonmembers	\$595 \$695	
☐ CRAM Session Current Course Participants Past Course Participants New Registrants	\$350 \$450 \$550	
Book Sets		
Concentrated Book Set Includes Association Law Handbook, 5th Edit Professional Practices in Association Manage Edition, CAE Terminology and Key Concepts Flashcards.	\$335 ion and ement, 3rd	
Complete CAE Book Set \$535 Includes all text books used in the full course, a CAE resource kit, CAE Terminology and Key Concepts Flashcards.		
Individual Resources		
Association Law Handbook, 5th Edition	\$150	
CAE Resource Kit of Supplemental Readings	\$75	
☐ How to Read Nonprofit Financial Statements	\$29	
☐ Membership Essentials	\$50	
☐ Professional Practices in Association Management, 3rd Edition	\$85	
☐ Terminology and Key Concepts Flash Cards Choose one: ☐ Digital Edition ☐ Hard Copy	\$100	
☐ The Will to Govern Well	\$46	

IMPORTANT: **MSAE's CAE Prep Course** registration form and fees are separate from ASAE's application.

Candidate In	formation —		
Name			
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Address			
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Course Total	Materials (Books/Resources)	Shipping & Handling	TOTAL
\$	\$ x 6% tax = \$ (MI only)	\$10.00 (MI Residents) \$15.00 (Out of state)	\$
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office. No refunds will be granted within 5 business days of the beginning of the course. If your ASAE application is not accepted, course fees will be forwarded to the next course.

#### Please return form to:

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# ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE CAE

# association management education

"I especially appreciated that you customized the session for us. Processing the content through a variety of lenses really helped me to put all of the pieces together."

Rhea Steele, CAE, Information Systems and Technology Manager, Council of Chief State School Officers

"...along came the Michigan
CAE online study group and the
CAE CRAM programs. WOW,
what a difference that made!
I went into this exam feeling
110% more prepared and calm,
and let me tell you I feel like
it made a remarkably different
testing experience for me."

Shane N. Yates, CAE, CMP Executive Director Ohio Society of Association Executives

"Sue and Cheryl have created an exceptional program. I have told everyone that they should skip everything else and just go straight to you guys!"

Andrea Hopkins Holovach, CAE Membership Development Manager, Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE)

## **About the MSAE Preparation Course**

Since 1998, MSAE's prep course has demonstrated success with an average pass rate of more than 90 percent, touting participants from over 35 states and over 5 countries. This program has helped more association executives become CAE's than any other entity through online learning; writing the original CAE Study Guide; generating reading outlines by domain; mock exams, and; CAE Terminology and Key Concepts Flash Cards. Prep course participants can call in from anywhere. Conference calls are also recorded for those who are unable to participate at the scheduled time.

#### Requirements

Candidates are required to have been employed full-time for three years as a chief staff executive OR five years as an executive association manager. Candidates must also have completed 100 hours of broad-based, association management-related continuing education or professional development within the last five years. This education must be directly related to nonprofit management. It should not be industry-specific, or required for candidate's particular position within their organization. Consultants are now eligible.

## **Benefits of Becoming a CAE**

- **Value and recognition** particularly among board leaders, members, and those involved in hiring nonprofit professionals.
- **Creates connections** through a range of CAE-only events and increased volunteer leadership opportunities through Michigan Society of Association Executives (MSAE), other state organizations, and the American Society of Association Executives (ASAE).
- **Self-confidence**. Seventy percent of CAE test takers report enhancing knowledge, improving advancement opportunities, and evaluating their status as their motivation.

# **Dedicated Faculty**

Sue Radwan CAE, facilitates high-level discussions on the domain content. The owner of Leading Edge Mentoring, Sue has spent more than 20 years developing professional education for associations, including a national designation program. Radwan has considerable experience working with associations in the areas of board leadership and development, enhancing communications, strategic planning and human resource management. She will provide you with valuable guidance on certification information and tips for taking multiple-choice tests.

# Registration is Simple

Get on track to earning your CAE today! This course is the premier education experience in the profession. Register online at www.msae.org or complete the form on the back page. **Questions?** Contact MSAE at (517) 332-6723.

# **ASAE Application Deadlines**

Exam Date	Application Deadline
May 1, 2015	February 20, 2015
December 4, 2015	September 25, 2015

NOTE: MSAE's CAE Preparation Course registration form and fees are separate from ASAE's CAE application and fees.

# 2015 curriculum

Ideal for... Individuals new to the CAE process

**Prices** 

SAE Members \$795 Nonmembers \$895

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May 1, 2015 December 4, 2015 Includes

• Full-time instructor facilitates the process and responds to questions

• Personalized guidance through the application process

Mentor Search

**Orientation Call** 

 Assistance finding cost effective options to fulfill professional development requirements

Upcoming Exam Dates

January 12
August 17

Reading List Begins

January 16

August 17 August 21

Online and phone community

Three Rounds of domain exams

 One day wrap-up with 200-question simulated exam

Reading outline of course resources

Important tips on testing psychology

 More than 30 e-lectures summarizing materials drawn from the 17 texts from the CAE Authoritative Literature List

Late Registration

Deadline

Simulated Exam

January 30
September 4

April 20 November 23

Ideal for...

ASAE Immersion Program participants or those that have started the CAE process

**Prices** 

SAE Members \$595 Nonmembers \$695 Include

• Organized reading list with 3 core books

 One critical resource to accommodate concentrated study weeks

Domain specific "Quick Keys"

Weekly study group calls

• One day wrap-up with 200-question simulated exam

• Important tips on taking a multiple-choice test

 Organized reunion with peers at the ASAE Annual Meeting

Upcoming Exam Dates
Orientation Call
Reading List Begins
Simulated Exam
April 20

December 4, 2015
September 14
September 18
November 23

### Ideal for...

Ideal for individuals that have previously taken the course or exam

#### **Prices**

Current Course Participants \$350
Past Course Participants \$450
New registrants \$550

#### Includes:

- Face-to-face classroom experience
- Take home workbook
- Self assessments
- Exercises to internalize domain concepts
- Planning models

Upcoming Exam Dates Meet in Detroit Simulated Exam

May 1, 2015 April 17-19 April 20

December 4, 2015 Location TBD November 23

- Complete review on each domain key concepts
- Rules of thumb
- Commonly held misconceptions

#### CRAM is...

Complete Review And Mentoring

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