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FDR Training Reveals Highlighted Sessions for 2025 Event

These highlighted sessions will assist federal practitioners in addressing their most crucial federal workplace challenges while also preparing them for future challenges.

PALM BEACH GARDENS, Fla. – June 11, 2025 – FDR TrainingSM, a qualified training activity in accordance with OPM’s 5 CFR 410.404, announced highlighted sessions for the event taking place July 28 - 31, 2025, at the New Orleans Marriott.

The FDR Training 2025 program features sessions and workshops focusing on the most crucial federal workplace challenges, including:

- **Reductions-in-Force: Following the Rules, Getting Them Right** – In this session, Barbara Haga will give an overview of RIF processes and an in-depth review of MSPB decisions on the key aspects of RIFs.
- **Putting Your Best Foot Forward: EEO Refresher Training for Counselors and Investigators** – This interactive and engaging workshop will satisfy the annual 8-hour refresher training requirement and will cover new EEO case law and current issues, address attendee-generated topics, and also offer a learning environment of sharing best practices in EEO case processing.
- **What HR Practitioners Need to Know About Resignations and Retirements** – This session will provide information on types of retirement that might apply in connection with an adverse action, the impact of an early separation on benefits, and what the agency may do when an employee attempts to withdraw a retirement or resignation after it’s been submitted.
- **Navigating the New Schedule Policy/Career** – This session, led by attorney Kevin Owen, will provide an overview of the executive actions, OPM guidance, and regulations implementing Schedule Policy/Career.
- **The New Rules for Probationary and Trial Periods** – In this session, attorney Robert Erbe will explain how Executive Order 14284 marks a pivotal shift in federal employment practices — and what agencies must do to comply.
- **Suitability Determinations and Actions Under the Trump Administration** – This session will provide an overview of the changes to the suitability regulations, and the process for making determinations and taking actions under the new rules.
- **Administrative Leave: Dissecting OPM’s New Regulations** – This session will explore the key issues addressed in OPM’s long-awaited regulations on administrative leave.

FDR Training will also feature the *cyberFEDS*® Users Group Track, where attendees will get exclusive guidance and training straight from the legal editors, experts, and trainers behind this innovative online resource. The 2025 program also includes the Keynote, “How to Turn Expectations Into Reality With an Accountability Culture,” where Joseph Grenny, cofounder of Crucial Learning, one of the world’s most respected learning and organization development firms, will use his expertise to help attendees implement accountability principles and skills into their agencies with ease.

"These highlighted sessions are just a sample of what FDR Training has to offer," said Leslie Lake, Vice President, Federal Editorial, LRP Media Group. "The entire agenda was designed to provide attendees with the most up-to-date information to ensure compliance with major Trump administration personnel initiatives."

Attendees who register for the 2025 FDR Training event by July 27, 2025 will receive Early Bird Savings of \$50.00 off an All Access Premium Pass. For more information and to register visit www.FDRtraining.com or call toll-free 1-800-341-7874.

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About FDR Training

FDR TrainingSM covers a variety and breadth of federal employment topics such as EEO, HR, LR, ER, Alternative Dispute Resolution, Legal Issues, and more to provide federal practitioners with authoritative guidance and best practices to avoid costly claims and to keep agencies compliant and running efficiently. Annually, FDR's Advisory Board, composed of experienced practitioners, carefully selects timely and relevant session topics to ensure that top federal challenges are addressed. Additionally, attendees experience training to most effectively use *cyberFEDS[®]*, the most comprehensive online resource for federal civil service law, to meet daily workplace challenges. For more details, visit www.FDRtraining.com or call 1-800-341-7874.

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