

## #1 Special Event

5/22/2009

7:15 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Valley of the Sun A-E, Sheraton

### **SQAB: Society for the Quantitative Analyses of Behavior**

Chair: Alliston K. Reid (Wofford College)

**Purpose:** ABAI thanks the Society for Quantitative Analyses of Behavior (SQAB) for sponsoring tutorials focusing on quantitative analysis. ABAI encourages its members to take advantage of the SQAB program that occurs immediately before the ABAI program. The SQAB program includes many presentations on quantitative applications in behavior science. A separate registration fee and badge are required to attend the SQAB meeting.

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## #2 Business Meeting

5/22/2009

6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Estrella, Sheraton

### **Affiliated Chapters Leadership Training**

Chair: Pamela G. Osnes (CHeadsprout)

**Purpose:** Representatives of ABAI affiliated chapters will participate in training in support of legislative advocacy at the state level. This three-hour development seminar evolved at the request of chapter leaders. Topics to be addressed include: building strong chapters: Strategies for organizational development; engaging in legislative advocacy: How to support the field, practitioners, and consumers; licensing of behavior analysts: Issues at the (U.S.) state level and credentialing in countries other than the U.S.; and working together: Collaborative opportunities among chapters and communication strategies for organizational improvement. This event is closed; attendance is by invitation only.

## #3 Special Event

5/22/2009

8:30 p.m.- 10:30 p.m.

Encanto AB, Sheraton

### **Reception for SABA Donors**

Chair: Janet S. Twyman (Headsprout)

**Purpose:** The reception honors ABAI members who made a donation to the Society for the Advancement of Behavior Analysis (SABA) in 2008 and 2009. We are very grateful to the generosity of those who support the activities of ABAI and SABA through their donations. These contributions support student fellowships, the Master's Thesis and Doctoral Dissertation Endowment, and grants for students who are presenting authors during ABAI events.