

Mission

The future of community banking depends upon a new generation of bankers and community bank supporters — progressive, energetic, community-minded, and well-informed. The purpose of CBAI's Career Development Division (CDD) is to keep members on the cutting edge of community banking through:

- Quality Educational Programs
- Professional Publications
- Leadership Training
- Networking Opportunities

Make an investment in the future of community banking. CBAI's Career Development Division, the only of its kind in Illinois, is dedicated to advancing the principles of community banking and making CBAI Illinois' strongest association.

What is CDD?

The Career Development Division is designed for career-aspiring community bankers in Illinois and representatives of CBAI associate member firms. Members should be:

- progressive, energetic bankers who want to better themselves both personally and professionally;
- bankers who have set their sights on a leadership role in their banks and communities;
- bankers who are committed to preserving and enhancing community banking and its philosophy; and
- representatives of associate member firms who want to improve professional skills and network with future bank leaders.

Who Is Eligible?

Any staff member over the age of 21 employed by a CBAI member bank or a representative of a CBAI associate member firm.

Why Join CDD?

The People — Contacts you develop through CDD are an invaluable resource of ideas and information. When facing a challenge or a new banking issue, you have a network of individuals to draw upon for solutions.

Discounts — CDD members receive a 10-percent discount on all CBAI one-day seminars and CBAI's Annual Convention.

Leadership Training — Take an active role in moving up the management ladder. CDD is governed by a 13-member board of directors.

Information — CDD members receive *Banknotes*, CBAI's bi-monthly magazine, which keeps you abreast of political issues, laws, regulations, and CBAI activities, as well as products and services available through CBSC and CBIS. Each issue contains an article on CDD activities. Also, CDD members receive an electronic newsletter, *Eagle Express* bi-monthly. In addition, CDD information is posted on the Internet at www.cbaicom.

Activities — CDD hosts a Fall Meeting and an Annual Spring Conference.

Economic Education Program — CDD members can become involved in their communities and local schools by using the lesson plans, "Making Smart Credit Choices." Also, CDD members receive a resource document which lists pamphlets, videos, and lesson plans that can be ordered. Finally, each CDD member receives a copy of the "Careers in Community Banking" pamphlet to use at local career fairs.

Recognition — CDD members select a "Career Banker of the Year." Criteria for selection include CDD & CBAI involvement and personal achievement. CDD members receive recognition for educating their communities on economic issues and one CDD member will receive the "Economic Educator of the Year" award.

Join Now

Become part of a select group of young community bankers and associate members who are on the fast track by joining CDD.

What CDD Members Say:

"The opportunity that CDD has provided to meet and exchange ideas with peers who have the same philosophy on community banking is tremendous."

"CDD is an excellent resource for staying current on community banking issues."

"CDD provides the resources necessary to conduct quality economic education within the community."

"CDD's educational opportunities provide timely and beneficial information that enhance leadership, communication, and life skills."

Annual Fees

\$135 for the first member, \$95 for subsequent memberships from the same bank/firm.

Membership renewals shall be payable upon invoice on the anniversary date for each participant. Membership in CDD belongs to the bank/firm.

2010-2011 CDD Board

- Group 1 Director & Past Chairman**- Nick Moser
American Enterprise Bank, Buffalo Grove 847/352-1200
- Group 2 Director** - Clint Squier
First Community Bank and Trust, Beecher 708/946-3453
- Group 3 Director** - Amy Thiede
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- Group 4 Director** - Tracy Downs
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- Group 6 Director** - Kim McKee
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- Group 13 Director** - Kelly Green
Herrin Security Bank 618/942-3151

CDD Membership Application

Name & Title: _____

Bank/Firm: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Last Four Digits of Social Security #: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Approved by (Name/Title): _____ Person(s) influencing decision to join: _____

Please select your payment method.
 Check Enclosed Check in Mail Credit Card*
***If you are paying by credit card, please fill out the following information.**

Name as it Reads on Card _____ Card Number _____

Company Name on Card _____ Expiration Date _____

Billing Address of Card _____

Please return with payment to: CBAL's Career Development Division, 901 Community Drive, Springfield, IL 62703

LEADERSHIP

EDUCATION

NETWORKING

RECOGNITION

A DIVISION OF THE COMMUNITY BANKERS ASSOCIATION OF ILLINOIS