

**Maryland CUPA-HR
June Chapter Meeting &
Annual Business Meeting**

Agenda

- 9:30 – 10:00** **Registration & Visit with Sponsors**
- 10:00 – 10:15** **Host Welcome:** Stewart Edelstein, Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, USM & Executive Director, USG
- 10:15 – 10:20** **Chapter Welcome:** Jess Jacobson, MD Chapter President
- 10:20 – 10:25** **Presentation Introduction:** Raymond Reeves, Vice President, Business Development, Valic
- 10:25 – 11:35** **Presentation:** *LGBTQ People in Higher Education: Policies and Data*, presented by Luke Jensen, Director of the LGBT Equity Center, University of Maryland, College Park

As a leader and pioneer, Luke Jensen is responsible for much of the basic infrastructure that supports LGBTQ people and LGBTQ work at the University of Maryland. Dr. Jensen led efforts to establish the President's Commission on LGBT Issues, the LGBT Equity Center, the LGBT Scholarship Fund, LGBT Studies, and many LGBTQ-specific resources embedded within units across the campus. In 2012, he was honored with the campus President's Distinguished Service Award. His accomplishments and expertise are recognized nationally. In January 2017, the Consortium of Higher Education LGBT Resource Professionals presented him with their Award for Distinguished Achievement in the Profession.

- 11:35 – 12:35** **Networking Lunch & Visit with Sponsors** (lunch will be provided)
- 12:35 – 12:40** **Presentation Introduction:** Raymond Reeves, Vice President, Business Development, Valic
- 12:40 – 1:50** **Presentation:** *Labor Law and Government Relations Update*, presented by Christi Layman, Government Relations Manager, CUPA-HR National Office

Christi Layman is a seasoned political operative with years of policy experience on Capitol Hill and as an association representative. In her role as Government Relations Manager for the past nine years, Christi is the primary liaison with members and staff of the U.S. House and Senate and federal agencies on behalf of CUPA-HR. Previously, Christi directed congressional relations for a prominent trade association whose membership features leading media companies like Microsoft, Apple, Yahoo and AOL. Christi also served as a congressional staffer for four years with the House Judiciary Committee.

- 1:50 – 2:00** **Giveaway**

2:00 – 2:30 **Annual Business Meeting**

- Board elections
- Sponsor recognition
- Year in review/looking forward
- Finalize new bylaws
- Confirm membership process
- Review financial model
- Outgoing board member recognition
- Recognition of incoming President
- Other business

- 2:30 – 3:00** **Visit with Sponsors**



**The Universities at Shady Grove
9636 Gudelsky Drive, Rockville, MD 20850
Building II Multipurpose Room**

**Friday, June 2, 2017
9:30am – 3:00pm**

Special Campus Location & Parking Information

Building: Building II **Room:** Multipurpose Room

Parking: Traville Gateway Garage

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4. Enter your original white ticket followed by the yellow validation ticket
5. The original ticket will be validated and returned to you
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