

# SAVE THE DATE

## SEPT 24, 2022

### *40th Anniversary Gala*



Aloft Tapestry Park  
4812 Deer Lake Drive West  
Jacksonville, FL 32246

## From Our President

NCMA JAX Team,

Happy July, one of my favorites month of the year, as we celebrate our Nation's birthday. I hope you had a great 4th! We also begin formulating the Chapter's Annual Report required by NCMA Headquarters each year this month - big thanks to Bill Swann for this collaborative effort.

It's amazing to see it come together and this month I simply wanted to highlight some of the key executive summary remarks and let everyone know how thankful we

## Calendar

**08/17/2022, 11:30-1:00**

In-Person Event

[Labor Compliance in  
Federal Contracting](#)

**08/11/2022, 12:00-1:30**

NCMA HQ Webinar

[Responding to DCMA  
During the CPSR Process](#)

**08/31/2022**

NCMA HQ Webinar

are to have such contributions as a chapter.

The Executive Summary helps chapters assess where they are and provides a guideline for future initiatives and goals in the coming program year. We are in a good position and the future looks bright.

Some key highlights –

- Strategy Development - Created our vision and mission statement to help focus our initiatives.
- Membership Growth - Net membership gain of 33% increased to 116 active members!
- Professionalism - Maintained over 30 percent NCMA certification level for our members.
- Quality Training - Collaborated with Space Coast Chapter to execute an on-line CFCM study group and completed a series of monthly webinars. Our signature event (Disaster Relief Contracting – Are You Prepared?) in May was well received by participants.
- NCMA HQs Engagements - Past President served on the national Member Engagement Committee and two members co-authored an article published in the February edition of Contract Management magazine.
- Good Citizenship - Our “Charity Challenge” raised over \$760 for USO families.

In closing, please push the 3 C’s “collaboration, commitment, and community” and use them to draw attention and support for the upcoming Gala event being planned for September 24th.

This new event combined with our 40th Anniversary Celebration will be a memorable time. Appreciate the team’s effort. As always, feel free to provide advice or recommendations any time. Thanks for all you do!

["This is Contracting's Moment" With Will Roper](#)

## New Members

Welcome to our newest chapter members:

- Fabian Alzate
- Monica Channell
- Marie Myszkier
- Dorteline Russell
- James Tracy
- Kerri Walton

## Member Milestones

Congratulations to NCMA Jacksonville members celebrating membership anniversaries.

- Rosemary Clemons - 6
- Libia Cristancho - 13
- Joan Demers - 2
- Margaret Florez - 4
- Catherine Musone - 19
- Sabrina Raibon - 1
- **Dolly Sedwick - 10**
- Trey Tackling - 13
- Latonya Thompson - 1



**Michael Scuteri,**  
**CFCM**  
Chapter President

## NCMA JAX 40th Anniversary Gala!

**September 24, 2022, 6:00PM - 10:00PM**

Aloft Jacksonville Tapestry Park

Join NCMA Jacksonville in celebrating our 40th chapter anniversary with a gala event at Aloft Tapestry Park featuring dinner, dancing, and a silent auction benefitting the NCMA JAX Scholarship fund!

\$100/person NCMA Members and Government Employees

\$125/person Non-members

See <https://NCMAJax.org/40th-gala> or click below for details.

Sponsorship opportunities available.

[Buy Tickets](#)

## NCMA JAX Officer Spotlight: Michael Groeger, CFCM; Vice President

Michael Groeger currently serves as the Vice

President of Education and Certification for the NCMA JAX chapter. Previously, Michael has served as the Jacksonville Chapter President, Programs Chair, and Secretary.

He is an Honor Graduate of the Contract Management Leadership Development Program (CMLDP) and holds a CFCM certification. Michael has 12 years of experience in the Contracts Management field and currently serves as the Contracts Manager for Kaman Aerospace Jacksonville.



## NCMA Announces the Advancing Professional Award

Are you a contract management professional? Do you meet the criteria for the Advancing Professionals Award? Will you nominate yourself or will someone nominate you to earn national recognition? Although this award is sponsored and presented by National Contract Management Association (NCMA), it is not necessary to be an NCMA member. Here are the details:

This award recognizes rising stars and top performers in contract management. To be eligible for this award, nominees must be 33 years of age or younger, or have fewer than 10 years of experience, by the application submission date (**September 9, 2022**).

The nomination format includes the following:

- Describe the nominee/applicant's professional achievements, activities, and milestones that demonstrate advancement beyond other professionals at a comparable level.
- Describe how the nominee/applicant overcame a challenge(s) to demonstrate innovation or significant achievement that set them apart from others.
- Describe one example of a situation where the nominee/applicant demonstrated leadership and/or influence in the field of contract management that demonstrated professional excellence.
- How does the nominee intend to make an impact on the future of the contract management profession?

- Why should the nominee be selected for the Advancing Professional Award? (limit is 1,000 words)

Along with this nomination form/application, please include the following:

- Nominee/applicant's professional résumé.
- One letter of recommendation. If self-nominating, two letters of recommendation.

Access the application [here](#) and send the completed nomination to [awards@ncmahq.org](mailto:awards@ncmahq.org).

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