Social Responsibility! Why?
a discussion.
Social Responsibility

What is procurement's role in ensuring the supply chain is socially responsible? This session explores what other entities are doing to be socially responsible. Learn what resources are available and how your entity can make a difference.
Disadvantage Business Outreach

- Defining Disadvantaged Business
- Goals
- Importance of Outreach Programs
Labor Laws & Concerns

- Wage & Safety
- Organized Labor
- Solicitation & Evaluation Processes
Supporting Local Economy

- Why?
- Supplier Relationships
- Increasing Solicitation Participation
- Other Methods & Activities
Environmental Sustainability

- Defining Environmental Sustainability
- Hindrances
- Innovations in Procurement
Discussion Host
SEAN CARROLL

Sean Carroll is the Chief Procurement Officer for New York’s Office of General Services. Mr. Carroll manages more than 1500 contracts with annual spend exceeding $22 Billion and oversees New York Procurement Services Unit. He is responsible for statewide contracts for commodities, services and Information Technology for state agencies, state campuses and other authorized users. Sean is a volunteer for the Institute and serves as a Commissioner for the NIGP-CPP Certification and Chapter Ambassador.
**Discussion Host**

**STACY GREGG, CPPO, CPPB**

Stacy Gregg is a Procurement Manager for the University of South Carolina. Stacy has 24 years’ experience in Public Procurement and has worked in the K-12, State, and Higher Education sectors of the industry. Stacy is an instructor for NIGP and a passionate volunteer for the Institute, its Chapters, and NASPO. Stacy is also a Commissioner for NIGP-CPP Certification and has a Facebook Blog Page in which she shares stories about Social Responsibility, Ethics, and other Procurement related topics.
Discussion Host
Mary Sims, CPPO

Mary Sims is recently retired from the SC Department of Health and Human Services. Mary is a longtime Instructor for the Institute and a faithful volunteer for her local Chapter, SCAGPO. Mary has mentored many young professionals over the course of her career. She has extensive procurement knowledge and has worked in higher education and state agencies, including the SC Department of Health & Environmental Control.
Discussion Host
William “Joe” Tommie, CPPO

Joe Tommie began working in Public Procurement in 1981. His experience includes K-12 Education and County Government. Joe is a Master Instructor for the Institute and has volunteered in many capacities for NIGP as well as his local chapters, SCAGPO, GPAG, and Georgia Chapter of NIGP. Joe is a Chapter Ambassador for Region 4.
Moderator

Ashley Kennedy-Shell

Ashley Kennedy-Shell is a Procurement Manager at The University of South Carolina. A Young Professional, Ashley has embraced multiple opportunities to begin contributing to the Profession. She engages in Committee volunteerism for her local chapter, SCAGPO. Earlier this year, Ashley served The Institute as an Item Writer for the NIGP-CPP exam. Ashley also serves on the Small & Minority Task Force and Contract Administration Committee at the University.
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Good Practice in Socially Responsible Public Procurement – The Landmark Project

Intro to Sustainable Procurement: Saving Green by Going Green – NIGP Webinar Recording (Franziska Singer)
Thank you!