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The Richmond Chapter has several volunteer board officer positions currently open. The local chapter provides leadership opportunities for CEBS graduates and students who may be interested in serving in a volunteer role. If you would like the chance to give back to your benefits community and help shape the future of the local Richmond chapter, feel free to reach out to any of the listed board members above.

You can also visit the <u>Board</u> <u>Member Job Descriptions</u> page for more information.

President's Message

Welcome to 2024! We have entered a new year of Secure Act 2.0, RxDC Reporting, Biosimilars and GLP-1s, Form 5500, SFHCSO, NDT, lions and tigers and bears, oh my!!

This year will also provide us with educational opportunities that contribute to your career and professional development. For those who are planning to attend this year's **Annual Symposium** in Nashville, Tennessee on September 15 - 18; the Symposium will provide you with an opportunity to network with other benefits professionals and learn from industry experts across a range of topics.

The Richmond Chapter is pleased to sponsor our annual Spring Health & Welfare Educational Event. The speakers for the upcoming two-hour education session on **May 2**nd will share their expertise and insights on Adapting Benefits Strategy to Improve Attraction & Retention and a discussion on GLP-1s. The event will begin with breakfast and networking at 8:00 a.m. We look forward to seeing you there and know that you will gain insights valuable to the benefits profession. Register for the session online at www.iscebs-richmond.org.

This year is the 30th anniversary of the founding of the Richmond Chapter of ISCEBS. We want to celebrate everything that this chapter has brought to the Richmond Employee Benefits community and that means you! The annual social will be held on **June 11**, **2024**, at the Three Notch'd Craft Kitchen & Brewery from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. We are excited to see both familiar and new faces so please mark your calendars now. The Annual Social is a great opportunity to introduce your coworkers, clients, or new college graduates to our organization. More information will be shared later. We look forward to seeing you there!

Sharon Jahn, CEBS, CEBS Compliant President, ISCEBS Richmond Chapter

Please Join Us for the May 2024 Educational Event				
Topics & Speakers	Topic	Speakers	Organization	
·	Adapting Benefits Strategies to Improve Attraction & Retention	Kristin Henshaw, CEBS Sr. Principal & Health Practice Leader	Mercer	
	GLP-1 Update: Diabetes- Weight Loss	Julie Kulawiec VP, Pharmacy Account Management,	CarelonRx	
Date & Time	Thursday, May 2, 2024, from 8:00 am to 10:30 am Breakfast provided.			
Location	Westwood Club 6200 West Club Lane Richmond, VA 23226 (804) 288-6028			
Cost	\$35 (\$25 for members of the Richmond Chapter of ISCEBS)			
R.S.V.P.	Register and pay online here			

Mark Your Calendars Now! Future Dates for Annual Symposium!

2024	2025	2026
September 15-18 Nashville, Tennessee Grand Hyatt Nashville	September 14-17 Minneapolis, Minnesota Hyatt Regency Minneapolis	August 23-26 Phoenix, Arizona <u>Arizona Biltmore</u>
Register Now - PDF		

Chapter Webcast Committee

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E-Learning courses and webcasts are online training options available for general and specific areas within the employee benefits arena that are offered through ISCEBS. These training options cover the latest trends and regulations and include courses on health care, retirement, and benefits compliance.

If you're looking for some free benefits education opportunities, check out the ISCEBS webcasts, which are available at no charge to members. The webcasts are presented live, then recorded and available on-demand.

For more information or to register for a webcast event, visit <u>ISCEBS Webcasts</u>.

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It means that the professional development activities you are already doing—for professional enrichment, to maintain a license or designation, or just to stay up to date—can be formally recognized for contributing to the professional currency that CEBS graduates are known for.

Maintaining CEBS Compliance status helps you keep your professional skills sharp. It upholds the reputation of the CEBS designation and the community of benefits professionals who have earned it.

As a Society member, you have access to a variety of educational activities that you can apply towards CEBS Compliance. Complete details on CEBS Compliance, including eligible topics and frequently asked questions, are available at www.cebs.org/compliance. Familiarity with this information will help you be sure you're earning and reporting your credits correctly.

Questions? Contact CEBS at cebscpe@ifebp.org or 888-334-3327, option 3.