## 2018 Calendar of Events

*As of 8/23/17. Subject to Change*

### JANUARY
- **7-10**  
  CEO Close-Up, Palm Desert, CA

### FEBRUARY
- **5-7**  
  NET Conference, St. Petersburg, FL
- **22-25**  
  Director Education Programs (Pre-Annual Mtg.), Nashville, TN
- **25-28**  
  NRECA Annual Meeting & Expo, Nashville, TN
- **25-28**  
  TechAdvantage® Conference & Expo, Nashville, TN

### MARCH
- **6-9**  
  New Co-op Communicator Orientation, Arlington/Dulles, VA
- **11-14**  
  New CFO Orientation, Arlington/Dulles, VA
- **25-28**  
  Directors Conference, Las Vegas, NV

### APRIL
- **4-6**  
  Gettysburg Leadership Experience, Gettysburg, PA
- **8-10**  
  Legislative Conference, Washington, DC
- **17-19**  
  New Director Orientation, Arlington/Dulles, VA
- **25-27**  
  Safety Leadership Summit, Atlanta, GA

### MAY
- **1-3**  
  New CEO Orientation, Arlington, VA
- **8-10**  
  CONNECT, Salt Lake City, UT
- **22-24**  
  Basic Benefits Training, Omaha, NE

### JUNE
- **22-27**  
  Summer School, Coeur D’Alene, ID

### JULY
- **9-11**  
  INTERACT Conference, Minneapolis, MN
- **16-18**  
  Legal Seminar, Chicago, IL
- **27- Aug. 1**  
  Summer School, Savannah, GA

### AUGUST
- **5-8**  
  Tax, Finance and Accounting Conference for Cooperatives, Austin, TX
- **12-14**  
  Legal Seminar, Boston, MA
- **13-15**  
  INTERACT Conference, Orlando, FL

### SEPTEMBER
- **5**  
  Pre-Meeting Education, (1 & 4)
- **6-7**  
  Regions 1 & 4 Meeting, Columbus, OH
- **12-14**  
  Gettysburg Leadership Experience, Gettysburg, PA
- **17**  
  Pre-Meeting Education (5 & 6)
- **18-19**  
  Regions 5 & 6 Meeting, Minneapolis, MN
- **25-28**  
  New Co-op Communicator Orientation, Arlington/Dulles, VA
- **25**  
  Pre-Meeting Education (7 & 9)
- **26-27**  
  Regions 7 & 9 Meeting, Anchorage, AK

### OCTOBER
- **8-10**  
  PowerUp Conference, Tampa, FL
- **10**  
  Pre-Meeting Education (2 & 3)
- **11-12**  
  Regions 2 & 3 Meeting, Atlanta, GA
- **16**  
  Pre-Meeting Education (8 & 10)
- **17-18**  
  Regions 8 & 10 Meeting, Oklahoma City, OK
- **24-26**  
  Gettysburg Leadership Experience, Gettysburg, PA
- **29-Nov. 2**  
  Co-op U®, Nashville, TN

### NOVEMBER
- **8-9**  
  G&T Legal Seminar, Nashville, TN

### DECEMBER
- **Nov. 30- Dec. 5**  
  Winter School, Nashville, TN

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For more information about upcoming programs, visit [www.cooperative.com/learning](http://www.cooperative.com/learning) or contact Angie Hylton - (703) 907-5656  
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The Fluno Center for Executive Education is a state-of-the-art facility built specifically for adult education on the University of Wisconsin-Madison campus.

**Robert I. Kabat Management Internship Program (MIP)**

This program is comprised of three, two-week units held over six months and focuses on contemporary electric cooperative management issues. Perfect for new-to-coop CEOs, current senior leaders and those transitioning to senior leadership roles, MIP provides an in-depth look at the issues and trends impacting co-op management and the functions necessary for success. (Participants stay in the same cohort for the full six weeks.)

*NOTE: 2017-2018 sessions are sold out. Make plans now for 2018-2019! To receive an e-mail notification when 2018-2019 program registration opens in March, 2018, fill out the form found on Cooperative.com/MIPUpdate.*

**MIP Select: Intensive 2-week Program**

Modeled after the successful MIP, this 10-day, competency-based program is designed to provide participants with tools and concepts to help them make better decisions, employ strategic thinking with a focus on leadership and implementing change.

**GROUP I**  
APR. 16-26, 2018 (UNIT A & B)

**GROUP II**  
SEPT. 24-28, 2018 (UNIT A)  
OCT. 29- NOV. 2, 2018 (UNIT B)

**Certified Loss Control Professional (CLCP)**

The CLCP consists of four, one-week seminars that provide loss control professionals with the preparation and skills needed to successfully manage challenging safety and loss control issues such as environmental issues, disaster recovery and workplace violence. (Participants take sessions in order.)

**SEMINAR I**  
JAN. 28-FEB 2, 2018

**SEMINAR II**  
FEB. 17-22, 2018

**SEMINAR III**  
SEPT. 8-13, 2019

**SEMINAR IV**  
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**Introduction to Distribution Engineering (IDE)**

IDE is designed to provide early career engineers and seasoned technicians with the practical information they need to apply their core engineering knowledge, skills and abilities at a distribution cooperative. This two-part program focuses on designing, building, planning and operating a modern distribution utility.

Choose Unit A or Unit B, or both for a Complete Package.

**UNIT A**  
JULY 31 - AUG. 3, 2018

**UNIT B**  
OCT. 9 - 12, 2018

**Cooperative Financial Professional Certificate (CFPC)**

This competency-based program, offered in collaboration with CFC, provides senior-level finance and accounting staff with key financial concepts, practices, and tools AND crucial business consulting skills. The program includes two, one-week training sessions, supplemented with web conferences and work assignments.

**Unit A in Madison, WI**  
APR. 23-27, 2018

**Unit B in Dulles, VA**  
JULY 9-13, 2018

**GROUP 1**  
AUG. 27-31, 2018

**GROUP 2**  
OCT. 22-26, 2018