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Chicago Named Host City for 55th FEW National Training Program Aug. 4-8

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Robust Technology Industry*

PRINCETON JUNCTION, N.J. — June 14, 2024 — Federally Employed Women ([FEW](#)) announced today it will hold its 55th National Training Program (NTP) at the Hilton Chicago (Downtown) in Chicago, Illinois, on August 4-8. The [annual premier training](#), themed “Unleashing Your Full Potential: Learn, Recall, Apply, Reinforce,” attracts thousands of contractors, vendors, corporate sponsors and other partners from across the country.

“Chicago's commitment to social justice and equality, which aligns with FEW's vision, was one of the many reasons it was the ideal city to host NTP this year,” said FEW National President Pamela H. Richards. “FEW is dedicated to promoting equality for women and addressing concerns of women in the Federal workforce.”

The National Board of Directors of FEW also selected “the Windy City” for its vibrant arts scene and robust technology industry. Additionally, the city has significant potential for fostering a thriving partnership between local leaders, the community and FEW's nationwide network of members.

FEW's NTP will feature more than 160 training classes and three different educational tracks, including professional development, employee experience and leadership, and culture. Local artists, vendors and other organizations have been invited to participate in events throughout the five-day training program, including a welcome reception, a legislative luncheon and exhibit hall displays.



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According to officials, all courses align with the U.S. Office of Personnel Management's [Executive Core Qualifications](#). NTP qualifies as a training activity in accordance with 5 U.S.C. Charter 41 and 5 CFR 410.404.

Attendees can request that their respective agencies cover the cost by completing a justification letter and an [individual development plan](#).

Those interested in taking advantage of the [NTP's early bird discount](#) through July 4 should visit www.few.org/national-training-program. Online registration ends July 26.

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About FEW

For more than 50 years, Federally Employed Women (FEW) have helped women in the military and civilian workforce become strategic leaders with its four-pillar program: training, legislation, diversity and compliance. Since 1968, the nonprofit has advocated for equity and diversity for women. FEW works for the advancement of women in the government with cutting-edge training, nationwide networking and invaluable insight. For more information, please visit FEW.org.