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**2022 RUTGERS GOVERNMENTAL  
ACCOUNTING & AUDITING UPDATE VIRTUAL CONFERENCE**

**December 1, 2022**

*Preliminary Conference Agenda*

- 8:15-8:25     **WELCOME**  
*Prof. Irfan A. Bora, Conference Chair, Director, Master's Program in Governmental Accounting*  
*Dr. Can Uslay, Vice Dean for Innovation & Strategic Partnerships, Rutgers Business School*
- 8:30-9:00     **STATE of the STATE: Past, Present and Future**  
*Elizabeth Maher Muoio, New Jersey State Treasurer*
- 9:00-9:50     **DCA Legislative and Regulatory Update**  
*Jacquelyn Suarez Esq., Director, NJ Division of Local Government Services*
- 9:50-10:00    **BREAK**
- 10:00-11:15   **Emerging Issues in Governmental Accounting and Auditing**  
*R. Kinney Poynter, Executive Director, National Association of State Auditors, Comptrollers and Treasurers (NASACT)*
- 11:20-12:10   **Technology Trends in Government Financial Reporting**  
*Dr. Miklos A. Vasarhelyi, KPMG Distinguished Professor of Accounting and Information Systems*  
*Dr. Jun Dai, Assistant Professor, Michigan Technological University*  
*Xinxin Wang, Ph.D. student, AIS*  
*Steven Katz, Ph.D. student, AIS*  
*Yu Gu, Ph.D. student, AIS*
- 12:10-12:40   **BREAK**
- 12:40-1:30     **Governmental Accounting Standards Board Update**  
*Alan Skelton, Director of Research and Technical Activities, GASB*
- 1:35-2:25     **NJ State Comptroller Update**  
*Kevin D. Walsh, New Jersey State Comptroller*
- 2:25-2:35     **BREAK**



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**PANEL DISCUSSIONS:**

2:35-3:25

**Climate Change and Impact on Municipal Finance**

- *Lisa Auermiller*, Administrative Director, Megalopolitan Coastal Transformation Hub, Rutgers Univ.
- *Thomas Doe*, President, Municipal Market Analytics
- *Brianne Callahan*, Stormwater Manager, NJ Future

*Marc Pfeiffer*, Moderator, Sr. Policy Fellow and Assistant Director, Bloustein Local Government Research Center, Rutgers

3:30-4:20

**Perspectives on NJ Fiscal Policy**

- *Richard Keevey*, former NJ Budget Director, NJ and government fiscal policy lecturer, Rutgers and Princeton Universities
- *Thomas Neff*, Budget Director, NJ Senate Republican staff
- *Sheila Reynertson*, Senior Policy Analyst, NJ Policy Perspective

*Marc Pfeiffer*, Moderator

4:20-4:25

**SUMMARY, WRAP-UP AND EVALUATIONS**