



CALIFORNIA BUDGET PROJECT

From Meltdown to Rebound: A Crisis Is a Terrible Opportunity To Waste

Workshops will include:

The 2009-10 Budget Agreement and the Ballot Box: What Do They Mean for the Future?

Speaker: Jean Ross, executive director, California Budget Project

Federal and State Health Care Policy in a New Era

Speakers: Edwin Park, senior fellow, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, and Anthony Wright, executive director, Health Access California

The Changing Federal Budget Landscape: Opportunities and Challenges

Speaker: Edwin Park, senior fellow, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities

Stretched Thin: The Impact of State Budget Cuts on California's Health and Human Services Programs

Speakers: Cathy Senderling-McDonald, senior legislative advocate, County Welfare Directors Association of California; Cathi Grams, director, Butte County Department of Social Services; and Scott Graves, senior policy analyst, California Budget Project

Housing After the Bubble Burst: The Impact on California's Low- and Middle-Income Families

Speakers: Paul Leonard, director, California Office, Center for Responsible Lending, and Matt Schwartz, president and CEO, California Housing Partnership Corporation

The Budget Agreement: What Did It Do? Where Are We Now?

Speakers: Christian Griffith, chief consultant, Assembly Budget Committee, and Seren Taylor, staff director, Senate Republican Fiscal Office

What's Going On in the Economy, What's Being Done About It, and Why There Is Hope

Speaker: Michael Ettlinger, vice president for economic policy, Center for American Progress

Education Finance 101: How School Districts Receive and Spend Their Money

Speakers: Jonathan Kaplan, policy analyst, California Budget Project, and Dale F. Shimasaki, Ph.D, chief executive officer, Strategic Education Services

How Bad Is It? What the Latest Employment, Wage, and Income Trends Mean for California

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