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(Things You Should Know)  
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This month's Chapter event – Let's Talk Business Etiquette with Lydia Ramsey!

A leader's credibility relies on their ability to effectively communicate an organization's mission as well as knowing how to be a facilitator of effective interdepartmental and/or external relations. To accomplish this, a leader needs to have an understanding of how to structure a message which cultivates confidence, builds connections, and fosters acceptance.

This presentation will provide tools to teach leaders how to communicate and convey a message with a high standard of professionalism, as well as how to navigate routine business situations utilizing the finer points of business etiquette to build rapport and trust with both internal and external teams. SPONSORED BY:



Other possible events of interest –

From time to time, members, friends, or someone in the community may have an event that may be of interest to some members. When we share these notices, please note that this does not constitute an endorsement but simply information you may wish to know about.

We also wish to remind members who may hold events that if they wish to offer an event, discount or anything promotional to our members, one must forward that information to any of the TSAC-SHRM Board members so as not to be construed as advertising, which we most certainly do not permit. Thank you for minding the protocol.

Do you want to SPONSOR a meeting? 2019 is right around the corner and you may want to get your product or services out in front of our members! An all-new SHRM Savannah Sponsorship and Advertising brochure is available for 2019 sponsorship opportunities. Contact Blanche Eden-Gnann for more information, [begnann@dixieply.com](mailto:begnann@dixieply.com). This same information will soon be available on the TSAC-SHRM website. If you haven't visited the website lately, you should check it out! *Do you have a vendor that you work with who would benefit from presenting to our group? If so, let me know who they are. They will thank you for the opportunity to speak to us about their product and/or service!*

**"Vendor Directory is Open for Business"**

Our new Vendor Directory page is up and running. We want our members (you) to have the first opportunity to purchase a business card sized ad. Special introductory pricing is available for TSAC SHRM members through December. Advertise your business from now through December for only \$75.00. Contact Blanche Gnann, VP of Marketing, to reserve your spot. Go to our website – [savannah.shrm.org](http://savannah.shrm.org), go to the "More" tab and see who has already placed a business card on the HR Vendor Directory!

*The Savannah Area Chapter of SHRM is (still) Looking for You: Our Leaders for Today and Tomorrow! Have you found the perfect volunteer role and completed your Volunteer Interest form yet? You do not have to be interested in a Board Position; there are many volunteer opportunities available!*

Important meeting dates to put down on your calendars; more information will be forthcoming.

November 6, 2018 – Will You Survive an OSHA Investigation? Your C-Suite Will Look to You for Answers! Rachel Schneider from GA Tech's Safety and Health Consultation Program will be our speaker (Free for TSAC-SHRM members)

December 13, 2018 – Education and Holiday Festivities! Hunter Maclean (co-sponsor and speaker) will wrap-up all that we need to know from 2018; and, Ultimate Software will cover Employee Engagement. Remember: FREE Headshots, courtesy of our sponsor – Ultimate Software. A holiday event that you need to mark down on your calendars now, will be held at the beautiful Demere Center off Chatham Parkway!

One last reminder – if you RSVP that you will attend a meeting or event; PLEASE let us know if something comes up that will cause you to miss the meeting/event. We all need to be good stewards of the Chapter's money and not pay for meals, and other related costs if it is not necessary. The Board is trying to make these events nice for everyone; but, if we waste our funds, it will be hard to continue what we are providing for the entire year. Thanks!

Have you checked out the website lately??? <https://savannah.shrm.org>

Please consider making a donation to the SHRM Foundation! You can designate SHRM Savannah as well. You can give through this link: <https://www.shrm.org/foundation/pages/default.aspx>

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***Voting opportunity coming soon: Look out on the List-Serve to place your vote for your 2019 Board!!!***

***Speaking of 2019 – Membership renewals for 2019 will start in December; another list-serve announcement that you need to be on the lookout for!!!***