### Registration

Registrant #1

Registrant #2

Funeral Home/Company Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

E-mail

OFDA Member/Member Guest: \$750

Non-Member: \$850 Student: \$550

Make checks payable to OFDA
VISA AMEX MC DISC

Card#

**Expiration Date** 

Security Code #

Signature

Total Amount Charged

Billing address (if different than above)

City, State, Zip

Phone: 800-539-6332 • Fax: 614-486-5358
E-mail: Diana@ofdaonline.org
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#### Hotel

OFDA has secured a block of rooms at the rate of \$135 plus tax at SpringHill Suites Marriott, 1421 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, 43212, 614-297-9912 or 1-800-MARRIOTT. This room rate is available until May 19, 2019. After this date the room rate and availability cannot be guaranteed. The hotel is located 2.5 miles from the OFDA headquarters. The hotel offers a shuttle service within a three mile radius. There is a 24 hour cancellation policy. **OFDA encourages you to make your reservation now to ensure you receive the \$135 room rate.** 

## **Cancellation Policy**

If an individual needs to cancel:

30 days before training, 100 % refund 15 days before training, 75% refund 10 days before training, no refund

OFDA makes every effort to assure presenter defined number of participants for the training session is achieved. If we determine that it is not feasible to hold the session, based on enrollment, we will contact you immediately. We will return 100 % of your registration fee, however we are not liable for any transportation costs that might have been incurred.



Ohio Funeral Directors Association
P. O. Box 21760
2501 North Star Road
Columbus, OH 43221

# Ohio Funeral Directors Association

# **Certified Celebrant Training**

# In partnership with InSight Institute

June 19-21, 2019
OFDA Headquarters
Columbus, OH
17 credit hours (Ohio
Board of Embalmers and
Funeral Directors
pending approval)

## **Becoming a Celebrant...**

Individuals from all walks of life come to learn how to provide meaningful, personalized funerals specifically for families regardless of their religious affiliation or no affiliation.

The InSight Institute travels the United States and Canada providing this unique and specialized training, which is changing the face of funeral service. It is an intense, participant-oriented training where you will have a chance to practice, discover resources and build your skills in working with families and making public presentations.

A variety of people become Celebrants: funeral directors, chaplains, clergy, hospice professionals, nuns, priests, teachers, writers, actors, business people—anyone who has an interest in serving people in this capacity who also has abilities in the areas of writing and public speaking.

### **Schedule**

Day One	June 19
3:00—4:00 p.m.	Introduction, objectives, overview
4:00—6:00 p.m.	The value of the funeral, the history of the Celebrant movement
6:00—7:00 p.m.	Dinner (provided)
7:00—9:00 p.m.	Presentation and discussion of a model funeral home, elements of the funeral home: safety, participation, roots, ceremony, significance, reality
Day Two	June 20
7:30—8:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast (provided)
8:00—9:00 a.m.	Getting started, working with a firm, cost, advertising, networking, ethics
9:00—10:00 a.m.	Family meetings
10:00 a.m.—Noon	Elements of funeral planning: master of ceremonies, speakers, personalization options, music, readings, rituals, committals
Noon—1:00 p.m.	Lunch (provided)
1:00—2:00 p.m.	Public speaking, how to theme a service, analyzing a eulogy framework
2:00—5:00 p.m.	Pulling it all together and designing a service
Dinner on your own	Homework will be assigned
Day Three	June 21
7:30—8:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast (provided)
8:00 a.m.—Noon	Funeral presentations and graduation

### **Trainers**



Glenda Stansbury, MA, CFSP, Marketing & Development Director of InSight Books, Co-Founder and Dean of InSight Institute Certified Celebrant

Program. Glenda has worked as an educator, teacher, trainer, and seminar developer. She is also a professor at the University of Central Oklahoma Funeral Department, and is a licensed funeral director/embalmer.



Cathy Nichols, Celebrant Coordinator, Busch Funeral and Crematory Services, taught American culture to Japanese auto executives and

their families. She was the Director of Congregational Care at a large suburban church for twelve years before joining the staff at Busch Funeral Services, and is a Celebrant trainer for InSight Institute.