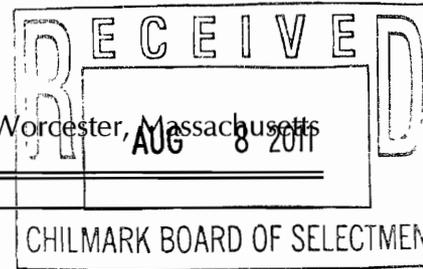


# AGENDA

September 14, 2011

## PERAC EMERGING ISSUES FORUM Manageable Challenge or Redefining Crisis?

Hogan Campus Center | College of the Holy Cross | Worcester, Massachusetts



<b>8:15</b>	<b>Registration Desk Opens</b>	
<b>9:00 - 9:05</b>	<b>Welcome</b>	<b>Joseph E. Connarton</b> <i>Executive Director</i> PERAC
<b>9:05 - 9:30</b>	<b>Opening Remarks</b> <b>Questions &amp; Answers</b>	<b>The Honorable Timothy P. Murray</b> <i>Lieutenant Governor</i> Commonwealth of Massachusetts
<b>9:30 - 10:00</b>	<b>GASB Exposure Draft on Pension Accounting &amp; Financial Reporting by Employers</b> <b>Questions &amp; Answers</b>	<b>Steve A. Lemanski</b> <i>Consulting Actuary</i> Milliman, Inc.
<b>10:00 - 10:45</b>	<b>The Changing Landscape for Public Pension Plans</b> <b>Questions &amp; Answers</b>	<b>Barbara Novick</b> <i>Vice Chairman</i> BlackRock, Inc.
<b>10:45 - 11:00</b>	<b>Break</b>	
<b>11:00 - 12:15</b>	<b><i>A Panel Discussion Moderated by James Lamenzo, Actuary PERAC</i></b> <b>The Challenge of Financing Public Pensions in an Era of Limited Means</b> <b>Is the Sky Really Falling?</b> <b>Questions &amp; Answers</b>	<b>Michael J. Widmer</b> <i>President</i> Massachusetts Taxpayers Association  <b>Rebecca Sielman</b> <i>Principal and Consulting Actuary</i> Milliman, Inc.
<b>12:15 - 1:00</b>	<b>Buffet Lunch</b>	
<b>1:00 - 1:45</b>	<b>Building Confidence in the Massachusetts Public Pension System</b> <b>Questions &amp; Answers</b>	<b>The Honorable Suzanne M. Bump</b> <i>Auditor of the Commonwealth &amp; Vice Chairman of PERAC</i>
<b>1:45 - 2:15</b>	<b>Managing the Challenge Funding Schedule Extension (2011)</b> <b>Questions &amp; Answers</b>	<b>James Lamenzo</b> <i>Actuary</i> PERAC
<b>2:15 - 2:30</b>	<b>Closing Remarks</b>	<b>Joseph E. Connarton</b> <i>Executive Director</i> PERAC

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## REGISTRATION FORM

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### INSTRUCTIONS

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