

The Rubicon Group Research Colloquium and The Rubicon Conference

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Q: I am confused. Are there two conferences going on at the same time?

A: Yes! **The Rubicon Conference** will be presented on May 18-20, 2018 at the Renaissance Atlanta Waverly Hotel, 2450 Cobb Parkway, Atlanta, Georgia. The Rubicon Group Research Colloquium will also be presented at the Renaissance Atlanta Waverly Hotel, Ballroom One, on May 18, 2018 from 2:30-6:30 p.m.

Q: Do I need to register for both programs?

A: No! If you are registered for **The Rubicon Conference**, you are welcome to attend The Rubicon Group Research Colloquium—you don't need to do anything else. If you are registered for The Rubicon Group, Research Colloquium, and you wish to attend the sessions of **The Rubicon Conference**, you will need to register for **The Rubicon Conference** at www.TheRubiconConference.com.

Q: What are the fees to attend The Rubicon Group Research Colloquium?

A: There is no registration fee for this session, BUT seating is limited and preregistration at www.TheRubiconGroup.org/research is REQUIRED if you are not registered for **The Rubicon Conference**.

Q: Why in the world did you schedule it like this, as two different, yet related events?

A: Great question! You have every reason to be confused. Please allow us to explain the situation. Initially, The Rubicon Group had planned a program specifically designed for faculty and administrators of the member institutions of The Rubicon Group. This was scheduled for Thursday, May 17, 2018 on the campus of Life University. One of the keynote presenters for this session was subsequently notified that he was going to be the recipient of a lifetime achievement award from one of the major international spine societies. The presentation was scheduled for, you guessed it, May 17, 2018 in Banff, Alberta!

We were left with a decision to either go ahead without the gentleman or, see what we could do to accommodate his schedule. As his contribution is important to the event, we chose to move the May 17 program *en masse* to May 18, 2018 and to change the location from Life University to The Renaissance Atlanta Waverly Hotel, 2450 Cobb Parkway, Atlanta, Georgia. We also changed the start time to 2:30 p.m. and made the **Research Colloquium** available to those registered for **The Rubicon Conference**.

Q: As a DC, can I receive continuing education credits for attending The Rubicon Group Research Colloquium, the same as attending **The Rubicon Conference**?

A: This could present a problem. If the state for which you wish to use the credits requires pre-approval of the curriculum, the answer is unfortunately no. If no pre-approval is needed, these hours can be used for your CE needs. The reason why the credits requiring pre-approval are not acceptable is because we

rescheduled The Rubicon Group Research Colloquium after the submission of the applications for **The Rubicon Conference** program.

Q: I am still confused! Who can I contact to get more information?

A: Send an e-mail to info@TheRubiconGroup.org. We promise to get back to you ASAP! If you would like us to call you, please include your telephone number.