## **Guest Service Training for Oregon**



# Oregon is the only state to have its own customized and internationally accredited curriculum specific to the tourism industry!

Guest Service Gold® Tourism: Oregon Edition is now available online. Our tourism-focused course features stories of real Oregon hospitality employees and uses their actual service challenge stories to illustrate seven core principles essential to service

## CURRICULUM INCLUDES SEVEN PRINCIPLES AND LOCATIONS:

- 1. **Recovery:** Turn it around (*Theory Restaurant at the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry*)
- Personalization: Provide an individualized experience (Timberline Lodge & Ski Area)
- 3. **Knowledge:** Be in the know (Sheraton Portland Airport Hotel)
- 4. **Passion:** Inspire others (St. Josef's Winery)
- 5. **Commitment:** Be all in (Portland International Airport)
- 6. **Inclusion:** Include everyone (Oregon Convention Center)
- 7. **Personality:** Be yourself (Travel Oregon Welcome Center)

#### PARTICIPANTS WILL RECEIVE:

- Downloadable workbook with practice tests and practical ideas for implementation
- Video featuring true Oregon employee stories that illustrate core concepts
- Diploma and lapel pin for those who successfully pass the test
- Bonus course: TripAdvisor's Reputation Management for Front-Line Staff



#### **GETTING TRAINING:**

Guest Service Gold online training is offered at the special Oregon rate of \$30 (regularly \$58-85) and is available in two versions:

- Tourism Gold: Oregon Edition, applicable to a broad cross-section of hospitality-related organizations.
- Golden Opportunities with hotel scenarios, applicable to accommodations-based organizations.

Go to AHLEI.org/Oregon for online training. For on-site training (instructor fee required in addition to participant packages), contact ORLAEF at 800.462.0619.

View the video introductory segment at bit.ly/ORGuestTrainingIntro

Oregon's course is based on the Golden Opportunities curriculum developed by the American Hotel & Lodging Educational Institute (AHLEI) that is used to certify successful participants as a Certified Guest Service Professional® (CGSP). Organizations can earn recognition as a Certified Property, Partner, or Destination if all front-line staff are engaged in this training.

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