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COLUMBUS ‐ State Treasurer of Ohio Josh Mandel announced today the 2011 schedule for the Ohio Treasury's Smart Money Choices Conference. Smart Money Choices is a free personal financial-planning conference series for all Ohioans presented by Treasurer Mandel, and supported by a variety of statewide and regional partners.

June 24, 2011 - CINCINNATI - Register Today!
UC Raymond Walters College
9555 Plainfield Road
Cincinnati, OH 45236-1096

July 8, 2011 - CLEVELAND - Registration opens May 31
Holiday Inn Cleveland South
6001 Rockside Road
Independence, OH 44131

July 22, 2011 - DAYTON - Registration opens June 13
Hope Hotel & Conference Center
Building #823 - Area A
Chidlaw Road & Spruce Way
Wright Patterson Air Force Base, OH 45433

July 29, 2011 - COLUMBUS - Registration opens June 20
Columbus State Conference Center
315 Cleveland Avenue - 4th Floor, Room 432
Columbus, OH 43215

August 12, 2011 - TOLEDO - Registration opens July 5
Owens Community College - Toledo Campus
Audio/Visual Classroom Center
30335 Oregon Road
Perrysburg, OH 43551



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August 26, 2011 - YOUNGSTOWN - Registration opens July 18
Holiday Inn Conference Center - Boardman
7410 South Avenue
Boardman, OH 44512

Registration for the first Smart Money Choices conference, which will be held in Cincinnati on June 24, opened on May 16, 2011. Click [here](#) for more information, or to register for the Cincinnati Smart Money Choices Conference.

"Smart Money Choices conferences give attendees valuable tools to better plan their finances and future. People can learn about topics ranging from credit and debt management to planning for retirement or paying for your children's college education," said Treasurer Mandel. "Studies show that employees experiencing financial stress are distracted during the work day, and financial education can help increase productivity. Ohioans looking to take better control of their finances should plan to attend these free seminars."

The conferences include an opening session, panel discussion, breakout sessions taught by financial planning experts, and a closing session. Participants are encouraged to interact with presenters and ask questions. These all day conferences are presented from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Courses that will be offered during the day are Budgeting, Credit & Debt Management, Consumer Fraud, Estate Planning, Insurance, Investments, Kids & Money, Programs to Help Ohioans, Retirement Planning and Social Security.

Information on locations of Smart Money Choices courses and registration is included below. To view the schedule or register online, visit [here](#).