

Oregon Chapter at ANI 2009



HFMA's Annual Healthcare Finance Conference (ANI) took place in Seattle June 20-23. The Convention Center in Seattle was an excellent venue, and although I don't know the final count of participants, it looked like a good turnout. The vendor fair alone was huge!

The President's Banquet was on Monday night. I attended as Chapter President 2008-09 along with our current President, Diana Gernhart and President-Elect, Terrie Handy. Chapter accomplishments were highlighted at the banquet, and Oregon Chapter won seven awards – a nice accomplishment for all of us!

Oregon awards:

Gold Award of Excellence for Certification
Bronze Award of Excellence for Education

We also won five Helen M. Yerger Special Recognition Awards for:

- Member Communications – for improvements to the Oregon HFMA website.
- Outstanding Performance in Improvement – for on-line registration
- Member Service – for certification training and exams
- Education – for the Winter Session Reimbursement Track
- Multi-Chapter Education – Region 11 Symposium

Thank you to everyone for an outstanding year!

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