

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CTCA CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

It was with a heavy heart that I realized this year it would be my sole responsibility to submit the Conference Committee Annual Report. We all have felt the tragic loss of Dan Carey, our friend and colleague. I worked closely with Dan on the last few conferences and hopefully he has taught me well, but he is a hard act to follow.

I have officially been appointed Conference Committee Chairman and have a wonderful energetic committee consisting of Andy Garfunkel from Norwalk, Cindy Ladwig from Stonington, Joe Quartiero from Torrington, Carol Skultety from Plainville and Lisa Terry from Montville. We will be working together on a regular basis to bring you exciting, productive conferences filled with educational opportunities and vendor offerings.

Although our September conference at Water's Edge was shrouded with sadness, it was hailed as a success due in no small part to Dan's organizational skills. The Thursday night entertainment provided by Island Rhythm was so enjoyable we have invited them back next year.

Our Spring 2010 Conference, hosted by New Haven County, will be held April 21st-April 23rd at the Waterbury Holiday Inn. The New Haven County Clerks have already planned some wonderful activities and entertainment for this conference. The Fall 2010 Conference hosted by Middlesex County is already booked for Water's Edge Resort in Westbrook September 15th-17th.

Respectfully submitted,

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