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## Avoid Legal Pitfalls

Learn to avoid legal pitfalls by joining the Arizona Sunbelt Chapter of Meeting Professionals International (AZMPI) on April 12, 2012, at Hilton Phoenix/East Mesa to hear Lisa Sommer Devlin. Devlin will present “Legal Learning” where attendees will learn the most common mistakes to avoid in entering contracts, how to evaluate contract clauses for potential problems and difference between typical business versus legal issues in event contracts. Register for the event at [www.AZMPI.org](http://www.AZMPI.org). The cost is \$40 before April 6 or \$50 after that. The luncheon runs from 11am-1:30pm.

“We strive to promote excellence within the meeting industry through education, certification, advocacy and business-to-business networking opportunities for our members,” said AZMPI President Rochell Planty, CMP, CTA. “This event will educate attendees on basic contract obstacles to avoid.”

The 400-member Arizona Sunbelt Chapter of Meeting Professionals International was established in 1979. Meeting Professionals International is the meeting and event industry's largest association for the \$102.3 billion meetings and events industry. AZMPI offers monthly events providing education, and networking opportunities. MPI membership is comprised of more than 24,000 members belonging to 80 chapters and clubs worldwide. To learn more about AZMPI visit [www.AZMPI.org](http://www.AZMPI.org) or call 602-277-1494.

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