



The College of Natural Science and the Actuarial Science Program
at Michigan State University invite you to the

RONALD H. AND MARY E. SIMON
ACTUARIAL SCIENCE

LECTURE

KEYNOTE ADDRESS BY

Dr. Eric A. Scorsone, Ph.D.

The State of Michigan's Public Pension Plans

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2016

5:00 P.M. RECEPTION

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6:30 P.M. DINNER

BIG TEN A

KELLOGG HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER
EAST LANSING, MICHIGAN

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ABOUT THE KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Dr. Eric Scorsone is currently serving as Senior Deputy State Treasurer in the Michigan Department of Treasury and oversees the Bureau of Local Government, Bureau of State and Local Bond Finance and Bureau of Higher Education Services. He is on a leave of absence as Associate Professor and Director for the Extension Center for Local Government Finance and Policy at Michigan State University. He has been widely cited on state and local government finance issues in Time, Washington Post, Bloomberg, Reuters, Wall Street Journal, NPR, NY Times, and other media outlets. His specific area of expertise is related to municipal finance policy and administration, infrastructure finance, financial emergencies, government performance and benchmarking, public accountability and general public policy education. Dr. Scorsone also has extensive experience in training and facilitation of government groups at both the state and local level. He has worked with municipalities across the US, Europe and the Middle East including extensive work with the city of Detroit, MI and Flint, MI. He has lectured at the University of Valencia in Spain and the University of Bologna, Italy. He is also a co-editor of the recent book entitled “Handbook of Local Government Fiscal Health” from Jones Bartlett released in 2013. Prior to coming to Michigan, he served as an Assistant Professor at the University of Kentucky. He has also served as an Economist for the Colorado Governor’s Office, as Senior Economist for the City of Aurora, Colorado and Senior Economist for the Michigan Senate in 2010.

ABOUT THE RONALD H. AND MARY E. SIMON LECTURE

Ron Simon earned his degree in mathematics from Michigan State University in 1967. His career spanned 44 years at Auto-Owners Insurance Company where he held the position of CEO until his retirement.

Ron and Mary recognize the value of education gained at MSU. It is with this recognition that the Ronald H. and Mary E. Simon Endowment for Actuarial Science was established and this lecture is presented.

The lecture is strengthening MSU’s Actuarial Science Program by connecting students, faculty, alumni and leaders in actuarial science for an evening of scholarship and community.