

## Heartland Conference 2024 Speaker Agreement

Please read, agree to, and sign below.

As a Heartland Conference speaker, I:

- 1. understand that my session/s has been approved for CEU credit by VGM Education, an Accredited Provider for the International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET).
- 2. understand that I am prohibited from receiving CEUs for the session in which I am the presenter. I may submit the session to my credentialing body for session CEUs.
- 3. will present and discuss the planned learning outcomes/objectives at the beginning of my session and before any course content is delivered. I will also restate planned learning outcomes/objectives at the end of my session as a review for the attendees.
- 4. agree to use professional and structured teaching methods to help participants meet the proposed learning outcomes/objectives.
- 5. understand that, prior to the start of the event, I must disclose any proprietary interest I have in any product or service that is discussed during my presentation/s.
- 6. understand that my session must be educational in nature and should not be presented as a sales pitch. I also understand that I am not allowed to record or capture the names or personal information of conference attendees, nor shall photographs or images of attendees' badges be taken in education/seminar rooms for any purpose.
- 7. understand that I am not allowed to use my company's logo or trademark alongside the Heartland Conference logo on visual materials.
- 8. will allow ample time at the conclusion of my presentation for learner questions, discussion of the learning outcomes/objectives, and feedback to the learners as to their mastery of the learning outcomes/objectives.
- 9. agree to address attendee's inquiries during the conference as they relate to the subject matter of my presentation/s.
- 10.grant permission to Heartland Conference to make my handouts accessible to all conference registrants.
- 11. understand and will abide by VGM's requirement that as a member of its Heartland Conference program faculty, I am expected to maintain a high standard of professionalism and that I shall not discriminate or make discriminatory remarks, written or otherwise, based on ethnicity, gender, race, age, lifestyle, sexual orientation, form of worship, and/or a person's physical or mental challenges.
- 12.give permission to VGM to use my presentation and material as part of the educational offerings for Heartland Conference 2024. As the author of the content of the presentation, I will continue to have ownership of the original material for use in other training venues.
- 13.give VGM permission to use my name, photograph, and program content in marketing and advertising of Heartland Conference.

Date of Agreement: \_\_\_\_\_