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**“Jazz Up Your Career”  
FEW’s 41<sup>st</sup> National Training Program  
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**Training is an investment that never loses interest: It only pays dividends!**

[Washington, D. C., APRIL 26, 2010]—Jazzing up a career is a constant in today’s economy. New and enhanced skills are in sharp demand whether it’s in the government, corporations or nonprofits. From July 12 to 16 this summer, Federally Employed Women [FEW] is opening its doors to their 41st National Training Program (NTP) in New Orleans, Louisiana. Appropriately titled “Jazz Up Your Career.”

For four decades FEW’s philosophy has maintained high quality training that continues to attract increasing numbers of attendees to its professional, career oriented educational environment. FEW’s NTP offers a broad variety of training tracks in acquisition, science and technology, information technology, leadership, human resources, administrative professional, management, military and analytical skills training courses. Providing opportunities to start a federal career or go to the next level, courses are structured at both the basic and intermediate skill levels. The curriculum has been aligned with the Office of Personnel Management Fundamental Competencies and Executive Core Qualifications..

Additionally, FEW will offer diverse Federal Women’s Program (FWP) and Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) courses, and health and wellness courses. The co-host hotels, the New Orleans Marriott and the Sheraton New Orleans, are conveniently located within easy walking distance of the fabled French Quarter. When it’s time for a study break, the culture of one of America’s most unique cities is just steps away.

There is one objective that best describes the note that FEW’s Leadership Classes hit: “Excellence”. FEW strives and succeeds in maintaining excellence in an evolving environment of leadership skills. Challenging women and all individuals in the government work place, to begin to create their own destiny is a theme that runs throughout FEW’s leadership and membership. With the opening of registration for the NTP, now is the time to imagine the future. Today there is an opportunity to focus on career goals, jazz up your repertoire and hit the right notes.

For those currently working in the federal government, now is the time to begin management clearance for participation. For those interested in federal careers, now is the time to secure registration to the tracks most in demand. Now is the time to “Jazz Up Your Career” in New Orleans!

Online Registration is now open at [www.fewntp.org](http://www.fewntp.org).

**About FEW**— Federally Employed Women is a private, non-profit organization founded in 1968 after Executive Order 11375 was issued that added sex to the forms of prohibited discrimination in the federal government. FEW has grown into a national organization serving over one million federally employed women—both in the military and civilian workforce. FEW’s many accomplishments and activities have impacted the federal workplace and contributed to the improved working conditions for all. For more information about FEW, visit [www.few.org](http://www.few.org)

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