



# Spinning the California budget: A conversation with H.D. Palmer

**Thursday  
March 10  
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.  
USC State Capital Center  
1800 "I" Street**

When we discuss anything state-related these days – from department initiatives to event planning to networking – the “budget” always intrudes. For the communications professional in state government, that’s a challenge – we need to know how to talk about the budget in plain language.

One of Sacramento’s leading experts on the budget process, long time “translator” of budget jargon, AND the Director of Communications for the California Department of Finance, H.D. Palmer will help clear things

up March 10 at SiOC lunch - join us!

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Metered street parking. Pay parking lots on I and J Streets by the “Bread Store.”

## **Cut to the chase:**

- **Save the date: March 10**
- **Speaker: H.D. Palmer**
- **RSVP by: March 8**
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