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How To Handle Criticism Expert To Join Suze Orman for PBS Special

Atlanta, Ga. 2/7/02 "Take Charge of Your Life", a special PBS and American

Management Association web cast in honor of National Administrative Professionals

Week will air April 24, 2002 from 1 to 3 p.m. EST. Atlanta professional speaker Patti

Wood, MA,CSP of Communication Dynamics, will join Suze Orman and three other

speakers on the agenda. Suze Orman will address the main topic of taking charge of your

life. Because of Patti's expertise in conflict resolution and her methods to deal with

difficult people, she was asked to speak on "How to Handle Criticism and Negativity".

Patti's step-by-step process in dealing with criticism is detailed in her chapter in the book

"Success Is A Team Effort". After Patti's workshops, participants jokingly comment that

they actually look forward to getting criticized when they get back to work so they can

use the new tools they've learned.

The annual national learning event, designed to motivate, educate and re-energize

administrative professionals, will be available by satellite, videotape and live web cast.

There is special group pricing described on the PBS The Business & Technology

Network site, www.ntu.edu. For more information about Patti's seminars and coaching

sessions, visit www.PattiWood.net.

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