



RELEASE OF THE 2015 NATIONAL FINANCIAL CAPABILITY STUDY

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| Has financial literacy increased? | How many Americans have emergency savings? |
| Who is late with student loan payments? | How many Americans think they have too much debt right now? |

Next week, we will have up-to-date answers to these four questions and more.

On Tuesday, July 12, 2016, GFLEC and the FINRA Investor Education Foundation will co-host the release of the data from the 2015 [National Financial Capability Study](#) (NFCS). The NFCS is an ongoing, multi-year project aimed at monitoring and better understanding financial capability in America. The first wave of NFCS data was collected in 2009 and the second wave in 2012. In this most recent wave, the survey included new questions on topics such as **student loans**, **medical debt**, and **financial planning**.

The release of the data will take place at the George Washington University (GW) from 3:30 pm – 5:00 pm with remarks by

- **Rick Ketchum**, Chairman and CEO of FINRA and Chairman of the FINRA Foundation
- **Sarah Bloom Raskin**, Deputy Secretary, U.S. Department of the Treasury
- **Mary Jo White**, Chair, U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission
- **Richard Cordray**, Director, Consumer Financial Protection Bureau
- **Jane Rooney**, Financial Literacy Leader, Financial Consumer Agency of Canada

The program will be followed by a one-hour reception. The event will be held at the GW School of Media and Public Affairs. **To learn more and to register, click [here](#).**

Look for an email next Tuesday with the newly released findings!

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