Casting the Net to Strengthen Our Network: Applying Strong Coaching, Mentoring, and Sponsoring Skills

Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina
March 5–6, 2022
AGENDA

SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 2022

8:15–9:00 a.m.  Breakfast  
Marina Ballroom Salon E

9:00–9:30 a.m.  Welcome and Introductions  
Marina Ballroom Salon D  
Derrick Anderson, Senior Vice President, Learning and Engagement, American Council on Education (ACE)  
Liz Morse, Managing Director, Head of Associations, Strategic Client Engagement, TIAA  
Judy K. Sakaki, President, Sonoma State University (CA), and Chair, Women’s Network Executive Council (WNEC)

9:30–10:00 a.m.  A Conversation About the Future of Higher Education  
Marina Ballroom Salon D  
Sherri Lind Hughes, Assistant Vice President of Community Strategy and Engagement, Professional Learning, ACE  
Derrick Anderson, Senior Vice President, Learning and Engagement, ACE

10:00–11:00 a.m.  Fishbowl Conversation  
Marina Ballroom Salon D  
During this session, panelists will share experiences and reflections from their professional and personal lives, exploring their respective journeys throughout the last 24 months. Through a series of prompt questions designed to generate informal dialogue and open conversation, panelists will offer forthright insights about leadership, wellness, and career pathways as they contemplate the new normal.  
Hosted by WNEC Professional Development Committee.  
Facilitator  
Luoluo Hong, Vice President for Student Engagement and Well-Being, Georgia Tech, and Chair, Professional Development Committee, WNEC  
Panelists  
Maria Gallo, Chancellor, University of Wisconsin–River Falls  
Jann L. Joseph, President, Georgia Gwinnett College  
Judy C. Miner, Chancellor, Foothill-De Anza Community College District

11:00–11:10 a.m.  Break

11:10 a.m.–12:10 p.m.  Building Your Allyship IQ (TIAA Session)  
Marina Ballroom Salon D  
Developing an allyship IQ is critical for leaders to build the diverse workforce we know produces the best results. Allyship is also key for building relationships and earning the trust needed to lead your organization through tough and divisive times. Learn what allyship means; how it differs from other critical alliances such as mentorship and sponsorship;
and how to build your allyship IQ as a leader by embracing communities that are different from your own, strengthening your care muscles, and practicing advocacy for individuals of different backgrounds.

Christina R. Cutlip, Senior Managing Director, Head of Strategic Client Engagement, TIAA
Adam Raskoskie, Director of Inclusion, Diversity, and Equity Client Engagement, TIAA

12:10–1:00 p.m.  
Lunch and Networking  
Marina Ballroom Salon E

1:00–2:00 p.m.  
Concurrent Sessions

**Leading Ourselves and Our Institutions: Strategies for Becoming More Purposeful Leaders**  
Balboa/Mission Hills

Shai L. Butler, Interim Vice President for Advancement and External Affairs, Springfield Technical Community College (MA)
Carolyn J. Stefanco, Former University President, Founder and Chief Executive Officer, Baret Leadership Consulting

**Georgia Association for Women in Higher Education (GAWHE) Fellows Mentoring Program: A Pilot to Cultivate Women Leaders in Higher Education and Build a Network of Sponsors**  
Marina Ballroom Salon D

Rosaria Meek, Assistant Professor of Spanish, University of North Georgia, and President, GAWHE

2:00–2:20 p.m.  
Break

2:20–3:20 p.m.  
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3:20–3:35 p.m.  
Break

3:35–4:25 p.m.  
Federal Relations Update  
Marina Ballroom Salon D

Participants will hear an update on federal policies and potential impact on higher education.

Terry W. Hartle, Senior Vice President for Government Relations and Public Affairs, ACE
4:30 p.m.    Adjourn

5:30–6:30 p.m.    **ACE Women’s Network Reception and Presentation of the 2022 ACE State Network Leadership Award**
Marriott Grand Foyer
Award Recipient: HERS (Higher Education Resource Services), accepted by Gloria D. Thomas, President, HERS
Reception Sponsored by

7:00–9:00 p.m.    **ACE Women’s Leadership Dinner and Presentation of the 2022 ACE Donna Shavlik Award**
Marina Ballroom E, F, G
Award Recipient: Deborah F. Stanley, Chancellor, The State University of New York (SUNY)
Dinner Sponsored by

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**SUNDAY, MARCH 6, 2022**

8:30–9:30 a.m.    **Breakfast**
Marina Ballroom Salon E

9:30–10:30 a.m.    **Town Hall: Issues Impacting the Women’s Network Executive Council**
Marina Ballroom Salon D
Moderator: Luoluo Hong, Vice President for Student Engagement and Well-Being, Georgia Tech, and Chair, Professional Development Committee, WNEC

10:30–10:45 a.m.    Break

10:45–11:30 a.m.    **Keynote from the ACE Donna Shavlik Award Recipient**
Marina Ballroom Salon D
Deborah F. Stanley, Chancellor, The State University of New York (SUNY)

11:30–11:45 a.m.    **Closing Remarks**
Marina Ballroom Salon D
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