

NASASPS

The National Association of State Administrators
and Supervisors of Private Schools
2011 ANNUAL CONFERENCE
AGENDA

Sunday, May 1, 2011

- 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM NASASPS Board and Committee Meetings (**Coronet**)
- 3:00 PM – 6:30 PM Conference Registration (**Lobby/Ship Tavern Landing**)
- 5:00 PM – 5:30 PM NASASPS Business Meeting (**Coronet**)
- 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM New Member & First Time Attendee Reception (**Hospitality Suite**)
- 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM Opening Reception (**Ellyngton's**)
- 9:00 PM – 11:00 PM Hospitality Suite Open

Monday, May 2, 2011

- 8:00 AM – 9:00AM Continental Breakfast (**Ballroom Promenade**)
- 8:00 AM – 11:00 AM Registration (**Ballroom Promenade**)
- 9:15 AM – 9:30 AM **Welcoming Remarks (Grand Ballroom)**
Matt Gianneschi, Deputy Executive Director, Colorado Department of Higher Education
- 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM **Keynote Speaker: Playing Together on Regulating Institutions – What's in it for me? (Grand Ballroom)**
David Longanecker, President, Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education
- 10:30 AM – 11:00 AM Break & Networking
- 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM **Who's Job is That? (Grand Ballroom)**
Paul Sedlacek, Associate General Counsel / Compliance Officer, National American University

Kara Wood, Asst. General Counsel / Deputy Compliance Officer, National American University
- 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM **Welcoming Luncheon: (Prospector Suite)**
Honorary Member Presentation - Alan Contreras, former Administrator, Oregon Office of Degree Authorization

The Graduates: The Ultimate Outcome of Private Schools! Student Panel presented by Mike Lambert, Executive Director, Distance Education and Training Council (DETC)

- 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM **Quality Assurance for the 21st Century (*Grand Ballroom*)**
Panel Discussion
Elise Scanlon, Moderator, Elise Scanlon Law Group
Tom Dawson, Senior Policy Officer, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
Charles Lenth, Vice President for Policy Analysis & Academic Affairs, State Higher Education Executive Officers (SHEEO)
Dewayne Matthews, Vice President for Policy and Strategy, Lumina Foundation
- 3:00 PM – 3:30 PM Break & Networking
- 3:30 PM – 4:30 PM **New Federal Rules (as relates to state laws) (*Grand Ballroom*)**
Greg Ferenbach, Attorney, Dow Lohnes, PLLC
Russell Kitchner, Associate Vice President for Regulatory & Government Relations, American Public University
Jeannie Yockey-Fine, Licensure Manager, Commission for Independent Education, Florida Department of Education
- 4:30 PM – 5:00 PM **NASASPS Business Meeting (Open Meeting) (*Grand Ballroom*)**
- 6:30 PM NASASPS Board Meeting (offsite)
- 9:00 PM – 11:00 PM Hospitality Suite Open

Tuesday, May 3, 2011

- 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM Hot Breakfast (*Onyx Suite*)
- 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM **Multi-State Reciprocity in Postsecondary Approval and Regulation (*Grand Ballroom*)**
Crady deGolian, Director of the National Center for Interstate Compacts, The Council of State Governments, Lexington, KY
Richard L. Masters, Special Counsel, The Council of State Governments, Lexington, KY
Alan Contreras, Consultant
- 10:00 AM – 10:15 AM **2012 NASASPS Conference Preview**
- 10:15 AM – 10:45 AM Break & Networking



- 10:45 AM – 11:45 AM Two Concurrent Sessions
1. **The Power of Student Level Data (*Ballroom A*)**
Leroy Wade, Assistant Commissioner, Missouri Department of Higher Education
 2. **Washington Update (*Ballroom B*)**
Sharon Bob, Higher Education Specialist on Policy and Regulation, Powers Pyles Sutter & Verville PC
- 11:45 AM – 1:15 PM **Lunch** (on your own)
- 1:15 PM – 2:15 PM Two Concurrent Sessions:
1. **Developing a Common School Application (*Ballroom A*)**
Sharyl Thompson, Senior Regulatory Specialist, Capella University
 2. **The Days of Binders Are Over (*Ballroom B*)**
Julie Basler, Vice President of Academic Affairs, Platt College, Aurora, Colorado

Hollie Campenella, RN, MSN, Associate Dean for the School of Nursing, Platt College, Aurora, Colorado
- 2:15 PM - 2:30 PM Break & Networking
- 2:30 PM – 3:30 PM Two Concurrent Sessions
1. **The Power of Placement: The Endorsement of Alumni (*Ballroom A*)**
Susan Schulz, Susan F. Schulz & Associates, Inc., Schools for Sale International, Inc.
 2. **Protecting Students: The Value of a Train-Out vs. Return of Prepaid Unearned Tuition (*Ballroom B*)**
Jerry Sirbu, Member, Colorado Association of Career Colleges & Schools, Board Member, Training Assurance Foundation and Chair, Colorado Private Occupational School Board

Steve Durham, Executive Director, Colorado Association of Career Colleges & Schools
- 3:30 PM – 3:45 PM Break & Networking
- 3:45 PM – 4:15 PM **NASASPS Annual Meeting (*Ballroom A*)**
- 4:30 PM (buses depart)
5:00 PM – 8:00 PM **Reception at Ecotech Institute (*transportation provided*)**
(Uniquely focused on sustainable energy technology fields)
Sponsored by Education Corporation of America
- 9:00 PM – 11:00 PM Hospitality Suite Open

Wednesday, May 4, 2011

- 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM Hot Breakfast (*Prospector Suite*)
- 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM **US Department of Education & NASASPS (*Ballroom A*)
Partnerships and Collaboration**
- 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM **NASASPS Initiatives: (*Ballroom A*)
Continuing Education and Training
Website Updates**
- Amir Moghadam, CEO, MaxKnowledge, Inc.
- Matt Cole, Chief Technology Officer, Cyanna Education Services, Inc.
- 11:00 AM – 11:30 AM Break & Networking
- 11:30 PM – 2:30 PM **Lunch and Regional Roundtables (*Brown Palace Club*)
(Open to State Regulators and Education Department
Officials)**

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