

Because Higher Ed Is Different: Conference Schedule

Events listed in Atlantic Daylight Time (ADT)

Day 1: Monday, March 18th, 2019

Exploring How Higher Ed is Different

12:00pm - 12:30pm ADT

Conference overview and introduction.

How to Be (and Coach) a Dean

12:30pm - 2:00pm ADT

Examining the specificities of academic leadership and the competencies needed to support this kind of leadership. Featuring George Justice, author of *How to Be a Dean* (Johns Hopkins University Press, 2019).

Break 2:00pm - 2:15pm ADT

By Faculty, For Faculty: Forming Dever Justice

2:15pm - 2:45pm ADT

An interview with Carolyn Dever and George Justice on their new "by faculty, for faculty" consulting organization.

Lunch and Conversation

2:45pm - 3:15pm ADT

Join us for an open conversation session. Bring your lunch!

Building an Inclusive Culture in Academia: A Case Study

3:15pm - 4:30pm ADT

Plácida Gallegos looks at the start-up process of implementing Fielding's Strategic Inclusion Plan, with attention to the qualities of the process unique to higher ed.

Break 4:30pm - 4:45pm ADT

So That Others Can Have it Better

4:45pm - 5:15pm ADT

An interview with Kelly Mack of AAC&U about the decision that has guided her career in academia.

Translational Scholarship for Academia

5:15pm - 6:00pm ADT

Adrianna Kezar of USC's Rossier School of Education joins Diana Kardia for a look at translating the study of higher ed into effective practice.

Break 6:00pm - 6:15pm ADT

Day 1 Connected Conversations

6:15pm - 7:00pm ADT

An opportunity to connect with others who participated in Day 1 of the conference to reflect on sessions, explore new topics and questions, and build community.

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Day 2: Tuesday, March 19th, 2019

The Challenge and Brilliance of Faculty Governance

12:00pm - 1:00pm ADT

Exploring how faculty governance is a defining contributor to how higher ed is different.

Break 1:00pm - 1:15pm ADT

Lessons from a Faculty Whisperer

1:15pm - 1:45pm ADT

An interview with Mark Chesler, experienced organizational change agent in academia and emeritus faculty at the University of Michigan.

Break 1:45pm - 2:00pm ADT

The Wild Ride of Academia

2:00pm - 2:30pm ADT

An interview with Carrie Spell-Hansson on how The Folke Institute for Transformative Learning is informed by her years in academia.

Break 2:30pm - 2:45pm ADT

A Successful Career & A Well-Balanced Life

2:45pm - 3:15pm ADT

An interview with Rena Selzer on her book: The Coach's Guide for Women Professors.

Lunch and Conversation

3:15pm - 4:00pm ADT

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Higher Ed Is Different: So what? Now what?

4:00pm - 5:00pm ADT

Synthesizing observations from across this virtual conference about how and why higher ed is different - and why that matters.

Break 5:00pm - 5:15pm ADT

Higher Ed Is Different: Tips for Coaches and Consultants

5:15pm - 6:00pm ADT

A follow up session specifically for coaches and consultant working with (or aspiring to work with) higher ed.

Break 6:00pm - 6:15pm ADT

Day 2 Connected Conversations

6:15pm - 7:00pm ADT

An opportunity to connect with others who participated in Day 2 of the conference to reflect on sessions, explore new topics and questions, and build community.

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