

**2017 Governor's Conference on Postsecondary Education Trusteeship**

September 11-12, 2017

Louisville Marriott East, 1903 Embassy Square Blvd, Louisville, KY 40299

**AGENDA-AT-A-GLANCE: DAY 1**

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11	
10:00 a.m.	<b>CONFERENCE REGISTRATION OPENS</b>
1:30-2:00 p.m.	<b>STATE OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN KENTUCKY</b> (Robert L. King, President, CPE)
2:00-3:00 p.m.	<b>TRANSFORMING AMERICAN HIGHER EDUCATION: A FIFTY-YEAR EXPERIMENT AND ITS LESSONS FOR LEADERS IN CHANGING TIMES</b> (Freeman A. Hrabowski III, President, University of Maryland, Baltimore County)
3:00-3:15 p.m.	<b>BREAK</b>
3:15-4:15 p.m.	<b>CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS</b>
	<b>#1 Governance in Higher Education: New Board Member Training, Part 1*</b> (Dr. William "Brit" Kirwan, Chancellor Emeritus, University System of Maryland)
	<b>#2 Navigating Campus Legal Issues in 2017: Freedom of Speech, Title IX, and Sexual Assault</b> (Jim Newberry, Chair, Steptoe & Johnson Higher Education Practice Team; William Thro, General Counsel, University of Kentucky)
	<b>#3 Change Leadership for the Innovative Institution</b> (Darcie Milazzo, CEO, Penn Cannon Group, and Director for Leadership Development, Academy for Innovative Higher Education Leadership, ASU and Georgetown University)
	<b>#4 Why Does Diversity Matter?</b> (Aaron Thompson, Executive Vice President, CPE) (Panel: Caroline Atkins, Senior Associate, CPE; Kathleen Roberts, Sr. Advisor to President for Inclusive Excellence, Northern Kentucky University; Mordean Taylor-Archer, Vice Provost for Diversity and International Affairs, University of Louisville; Natalie Gibson, System Director for Cultural Diversity, Kentucky Community & Technical College System )
	<b>#5 Beyond Financial Aid: How Colleges &amp; Universities Can Support Students with Financial Instability</b> (Nicole McDonald, Strategy Officer, Lumina Foundation)
4:15-4:30 p.m.	<b>BREAK</b>
4:30-5:30 p.m.	<b>CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS</b>
	<b>#1 Legal Issues for Boards: New Board Member Training, Part 2*</b> (Travis Powell, General Counsel, CPE; Dana Fohl, General Counsel, Eastern Kentucky University)
	<b>#2 Building Pathways from College to Career</b> (Beth Davisson, Workforce Center Executive Director, Kentucky Chamber of Commerce; Bridget Strickler, Director for Network Engagement, The Graduate! Network; Tanya Garcia, Associate Director of Postsecondary Policy Research, Georgetown University Center on Education & Workforce)
	<b>#3 (REPEAT) Change Leadership for the Innovative Institution</b>
	<b>#4 (REPEAT) Why Does Diversity Matter?</b>
	<b>#5 (REPEAT) Beyond Financial Aid: How Colleges &amp; Universities Can Support Students with Financial Instability</b>
5:30-6:30 p.m.	<b>NETWORKING RECEPTION</b>
6:30 p.m.	<b>DINNER ON YOUR OWN</b> (Consult your board coordinator for group reservation plans)

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**AGENDA-AT-A-GLANCE: DAY 2**

<b>TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12</b>	
7:30 a.m.	<b>CONFERENCE INFORMATION TABLE OPENS</b>
7:30-8:45 a.m.	<b>NETWORKING BREAKFAST.</b> Members of the following groups will meet: (1) Board Chairs and Vice Chairs; (2) Public & Independent Presidents; (3) Board Members appointed or elected in 2017)
9:00-9:45 a.m.	<b>STRIVING FOR EXCELLENCE: HOW AMBITIOUS GOALS DRIVE CHANGE</b> (Eileen Klein, President of Arizona Board of Regents)
9:45-10:30 a.m.	<b>STRONGER BY DEGREES: THE STATEWIDE PLAN TO MEET TOMORROW'S CHALLENGES*</b> (Robert L. King, president, Council on Postsecondary Education)
10:30-11:00 a.m.	<b>NETWORKING COFFEE BREAK</b>
11:00-12:00 p.m.	<b>LEGISLATIVE PANEL: What to Expect in a Time of Changing Leadership</b> (Moderator: Renee Shaw, Host of <i>Connections &amp; Legislative Update</i> , KET. Panelists: Senator Mike Wilson, Senator Morgan McGarvey, Representative James Tipton, Representative Derrick Graham)
12:00-1:30 p.m.	<b>LUNCH PLENARY &amp; ACORN AND OAKS AWARD CEREMONY</b> (Speaker: Governor Matthew Bevin)
1:30 p.m.	<b>CONFERENCE ADJOURNS</b>

\* *New board members who have not completed the CPE board training are required to attend these sessions.*