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CONFERENCE AGENDA: AT-A-GLANCE

- 8:00am-9:00am** Check-in + Continental Breakfast
- 9:00am-9:15am** Welcome by Mr. Jason Hudnell, Dean Enrollment Services, NPC
Eisele Auditorium
- 9:30am-10:15am** **Concurrent Session 1**
- Recruitment to Graduation: Providing high quality advising experience for Transfer Students* Adrian Everett, Arkansas State University – Jonesboro
Room 115
- Assessment Workshop: How do we Measure our Advising Outcomes?*
Meagon Clarkson-Guyll, University of Arkansas – Fayetteville
Room 116
- “Z” For Yourself: Challenges and Perspectives of Generation Z Students in Higher Education*
Kelcee Sitzes & Laura Wohlford, Arkansas Tech University
Room 119
- 10:15am-10:25am** Break
- 10:30am-11:15am** **Concurrent Session 2**
- Reinvigorate Your Advising Office & Increase Student Involvement*
Rachel Pilgrim, Mandy Eppley, & Meredith Autrey,
Northwest Arkansas Community College
Room 115
- I Didn't Get Into the BFA Program so I Guess I'll Just Make Cat Paintings: Advising Fine Arts Students and Turning Perceived Failure Into New Opportunities*
Donna Smith, University of Arkansas – Fayetteville
Room 116
- Advisors as Teachers: Utilizing Blackboard as a Tool for Learning**
Amanda Butts, Tyler Garrett, & Leah Jordan,
University of Arkansas – Fayetteville
Room 119

11:30am-1:30pm

Lunch, Business Meeting, and Keynote Speaker
Lunch served in the Atrium
Business meeting and Keynote in Eisele Auditorium

Keynote Address: *Advising Outside My Truth*
Dr. MarTeze Hammonds
Associate Dean for Diversity and Inclusion
Arkansas Tech University

1:45pm- 2:30pm

Concurrent Session 3

Just a Skype Call Away: Utilizing Skype and Video Chat in Everyday Advising Practices

Sarah Simers, University of Arkansas – Fayetteville
Room 115

Why Do I Need an Academic Advising Syllabus?

Dr. Jeannie Oliver, Arkansas State University – Jonesboro
Room 116

We Mean Business...About Retention

Lee Ann Looney & Mary Taggart, University of Arkansas – Fayetteville
Room 119

2:30pm- 3:00pm

“Best Of” announced
New Board Members Announced
Wrap-up and Adjournment
Eisele Auditorium