

Improvement Science, Mentoring, Industry Connections



Spring Conference 2023
May 11 - 13 at Stonewall Resort



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Day One: May 11

Check-in begins at 4 p.m. Stonewall provides luggage storage.

REGISTRATION FROM 2 - 4 P.M. <i>Terrace Foyer</i>	
2 – 2:15 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Welcome all participants! Highlights reel - welcome
2:15 – 3:30 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Improvement Science Storytelling Workshop Institutional teams meet for an improvement science and data storytelling workshop. Teams plan session attendance for day 2.
3:30 - 4:00 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Storytelling by Institutions Institutional teams share presentations from storytelling workshop.
4 - 4:45 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Networking Break and Poster Session Browse institutional posters and connect with colleagues across the network.
4:45 - 5:00 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Takeaways from Institutional Poster Session Full group discussion of what you learned from other institutions in the Networking poster session. Teams sign up for breakout sessions on day 2.
5:00 - 6:00 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Steering Committee Meeting Meeting with all institutional teams for comprehensive network improvement.
6 P.M. <i>Stillwaters Restaurant</i>	Dinner and Reception

Day Two: May 12
Improvement Science and Mentoring

8 - 8:30 A.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Breakfast
8:30 - 8:40 A.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Welcome and Door Prizes
8:40 - 9:40 A.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Keynote: Decisions to Study and Persist in STEM: Students Backgrounds and Influence of a Statewide Network Marjorie Darrah, Ph.D.; Chris Wheatley; Roxann Humbert, Ph.D.
9:45 - 10:45 A.M. <i>Pecan Room</i> <i>Greenbrier Room</i> <i>Kanawha Room</i>	Breakout Sessions <i>Belonging</i> : Campus Clubs <i>Academics</i> : Math Anxiety, Math Preparation <i>Immersion</i> : Summer Immersion, Internships, Bridge Programs
10:45 - 11 A.M. <i>Terrace Foyer</i>	Break
11 A.M. - NOON <i>Pecan Room</i> <i>Greenbrier Room</i> <i>Kanawha Room</i>	Breakout Sessions <i>Belonging</i> : Faculty/Staff/Student Communication, Social Interactions <i>Academics</i> : College Success Habits, Metacognition <i>Leadership</i> : Student Leadership Training, Mentor Training
NOON - 12:30 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Full Group Huddle (Debrief) Storytelling debrief reports from each Breakout group
12:30 - 2:15 P.M. <i>Stillwaters Restaurant</i>	Lunch & Recreation (optional Guided Nature Walk)
2:20 - 3:30 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Keynote First2 Student Panel
3:35 - 3:45 P.M. <i>Terrace Foyer</i>	Break and Refreshments
3:45 - 4:45 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i> <i>Greenbrier Room</i> <i>Kanawha Room</i>	Breakout Sessions Centering Student Leadership in Institutional Teams (Riley) Careful Conversation: Inclusive Communication in the 21st Century (Krasnansky) Roundtable: Active Learning in STEM (Sawyer)
4:50 - 5:50 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i> <i>Greenbrier Room</i> <i>Kanawha Room</i>	Breakout Sessions First2 Campus Clubs A Day in the Life of a College Student WV Jobs Network & Students

5:50 P.M. <i>Pecan, Greenbrier, and Kanawha Rooms</i>	Survey Day One and Day Two
6 P.M. <i>Stillwaters Restaurant</i>	Dinner
7 - 8 P.M.	Nature Walk (optional)

Day Three: May 13
Check-out from 6 a.m. – 11 p.m.

8 - 8:45 A.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Breakfast and Networking
8:45 - 9 A.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Welcome and Door Prizes
9 - 10 A.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	How a Patchwork of Data Can Tell the First2 Network Story Kim Cowley, Ph.D.; Johnavae Campbell, Ph.D.
10:05 - 11:05 A.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	The Industry Advisory Board Presents: Sophomore Experience
11:05 - 11:15 A.M. <i>Terrace Foyer</i>	Break
11:15 A.M. - NOON <i>Terrace Foyer</i>	Industry Exhibit/Networking
NOON - 1:15 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Industry Panel
1:15 - 1:30 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Closing
1:30 - 2:30 P.M. <i>Pecan Room</i>	Lunch and *Bonus* Sustainability Roundtable NSF S-STEM Track 3 (Inter-institutional Consortia) Proposal Opportunities, Kenan Hatipoglu, Ph.D.