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Welcome to the Workforce Development Institute (WDI).

Economic Innovators

AACC's Workforce Development Institute showcases the work of America's Economic Innovators. Bringing together the best of community college, industry, federal agencies, and other partners, WDI is a place to collaborate, learn, and advance the initiatives that support the nation's economic engine.

Like you, we are committed to the development of training, services, and opportunities that lead to meaningful employment and family-sustaining wages for the millions of students served by community colleges each year. This year's WDI will feature experts and resources from community colleges, corporate and foundation partners, and federal agencies designed specifically to provide you with insights and tools to use on campus and throughout your career.

I hope that you will take advantage of all that WDI has to offer. We are very glad you're here.

Sincerely,
Walter G. Bumphus, PhD
President and CEO
American Association of Community Colleges

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AACC Affiliated Councils Welcome

AACC appreciates the work and networks of the Affiliated Councils. We welcome the support and participation of the following councils at WDI 2020.

Community Colleges of Appalachia	CCA	ccofapp.org
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National Coalition of Advanced Technology Centers	NCATC	ncatc.org
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National Council for Workforce Education	NCWE	ncwe.org
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National Network of Health Career Programs in Two-Year Colleges	NN2	nn2strong.com
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National Partnership for Environmental Technology Education	National PETE	nationalpete.org
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Organization for Associate Degree Nursing	OADN	oadn.org
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Special Thanks


AACC would like to particularly thank its federal attendees and 2020 partners invited to participate in the conference this year:

- Appalachian Regional Commission
- National Institute of Standards and Technology – Hollings Manufacturing Extension Partnership
- National Science Foundation
- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- U.S. Department of Commerce
- U.S. Department of Defense
- U.S. Department of Education
- U.S. Department of Labor
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Accommodations

WDI 2020 is held at

Omni Amelia Island Plantation Resort
39 Beach Lagoon Road
Amelia Island, FL 32034
Phone: 904-261-6161



Schedule at a Glance

Welcome to the Workforce Development Institute (WDI).

The program consists of several session types:

- Preconference Sessions – Half- and full-day sessions focused on dynamic and personalized activities to generate and implement ideas
- Plenary Sessions – Sessions featuring keynote speakers who highlight innovations, research, and policy for community college workforce and economic development awareness and application
- Workshop Sessions – Thematic discussions with a mix of college, industry, foundation, and federal experts who showcase current trends
- Receptions – Networking opportunities to connect with peers and partners

Schedule Key

■ Preconference

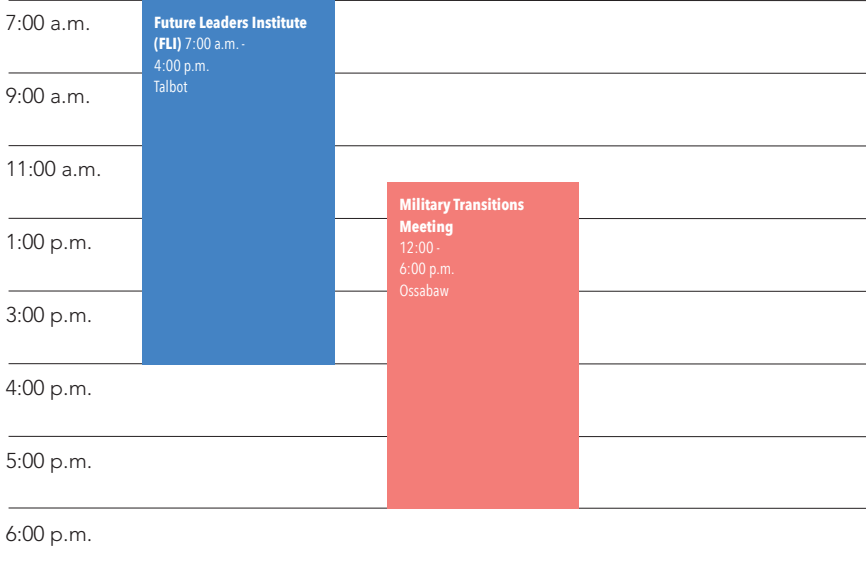
■ Private Meeting

TIME

MONDAY, JANUARY 20



TUESDAY, JANUARY 21



Schedule

TIME

6:00 a.m.

7:00 a.m.

Future Leaders Institute (FLI) 7:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Talbot

8:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

Preconference- Promoting Rural Prosperity
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Amelia 3

Preconference- Embracing Industry 4.0
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Amelia 4

11:00 a.m.

Noon

1:00 p.m.

2:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m.

4:00 p.m.

Opening Plenary- Warrior Transition: Paths to Advance Military-Based Learning and Civilian Employment
4:30 - 6:00 p.m. Magnolia

5:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

Welcome Reception in the Exhibit Hall
6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Amelia 1 & 2

7:00 p.m.

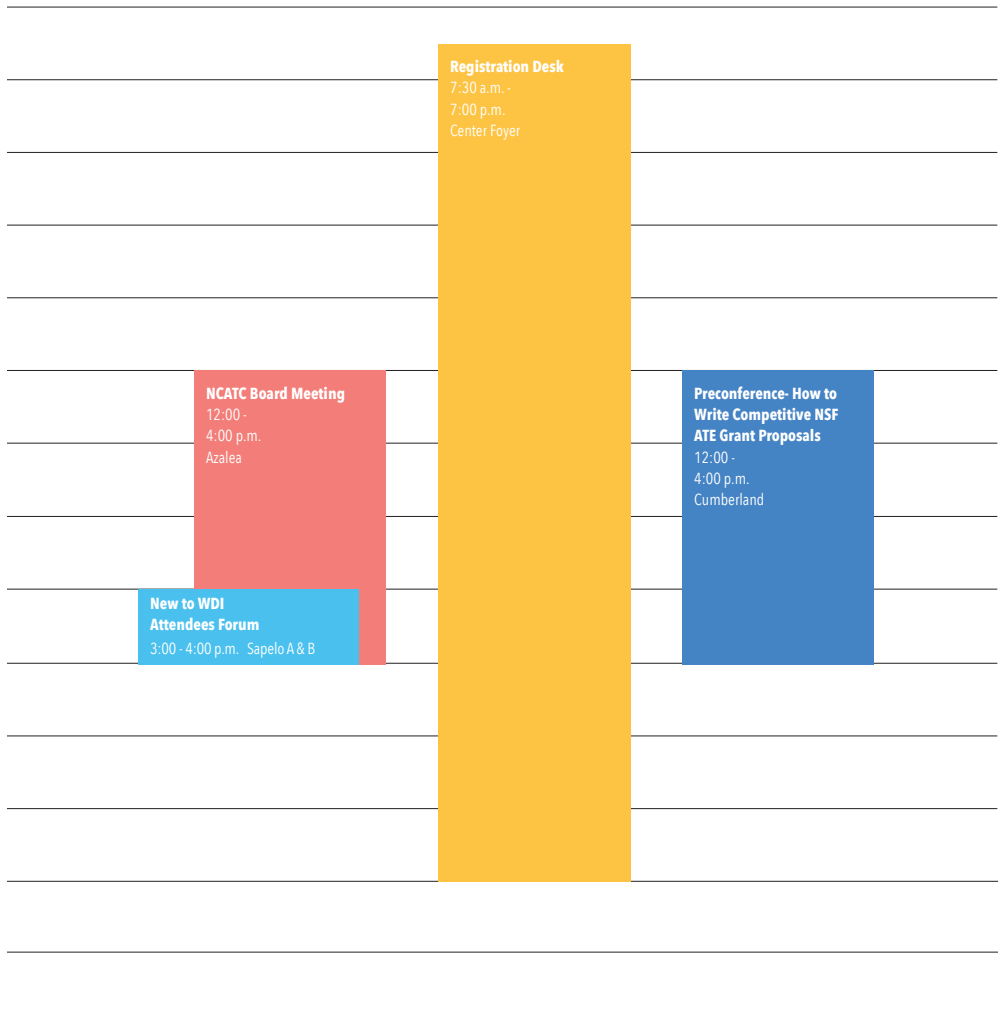
8:00 p.m.

9:00 p.m.

Schedule Key

- Preconference
- Registration
- Plenary
- Network Reception
- Private Meeting
- Workshop
- Exhibit Hall

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22



Schedule

TIME

6:00 a.m.

7:00 a.m.

Exhibit Hall Open

7:15 a.m. -
7:00 p.m.
Amelia 1 & 2

Breakfast

7:15 - 8:15 a.m. Amelia 1 & 2

8:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

Coffee Break 9:35 - 10:00 a.m. Amelia 1 & 2

10:00 a.m.

**Workshop- Building an Optimized Workforce Means
Discussing Belonging** 10:05 - 11:05 a.m. Amelia 3

11:00 a.m.

**Workshop- Community College Re-entry: Training
Models that Work** 11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. Amelia 3

Noon

**Plenary- Artificial
Intelligence in Hiring**
12:15 - 2:00pm
Magnolia

1:00 p.m.

2:00 p.m.

Coffee Break 2:05 - 3:00 p.m. Amelia 1 & 2

**South Carolina Apprenticeship
Meeting** 2:30 - 3:30 p.m. Ossabaw A & B

**Workshop- Healthcare Workforce Trends: How Commu-
nity Colleges are Making a Difference** 2:35 - 3:35 p.m.
Amelia 3

3:00 p.m.

Workshop- Expanding Apprenticeships
3:40 - 4:40 p.m. Amelia 3

4:00 p.m.

WIOA Re-Authorization Town Hall
4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Ossabaw A & B

5:00 p.m.

Networking Reception in the Exhibit Hall
5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

8:00 p.m.

9:00 p.m.

Schedule Key

- Preconference
- Registration
- Plenary
- Network Reception
- Private Meeting
- Workshop
- Exhibit Hall

TIME

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23

Private Meeting- Alabama Community College Meeting
7:15 - 8:15 a.m. Sapelo A & B

Plenary- Community Colleges: The Way Forward 8:15 - 9:30 a.m. Magnolia

Workshop- Bringing Together Five Generations in the Workforce and The Classroom 10:05 - 11:05 a.m. Amelia 4

Workshop- Funding Models for Affordability
11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. Amelia 4

Workshop- Collaborating on Competencies
10:05 - 11:05 a.m. Cumberland B & C

Workshop- K to Gray Workforce Development Collaborations 11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. Cumberland B & C

Workshop- It's All Workforce Development!
2:35 - 3:35 p.m. Amelia 4

Workshop- Generating Funding, Growing Enrollment, and Enhancing Partnerships 3:40 - 4:40 p.m. Amelia 4

Workshop- Mental Health, Addiction, and Opioids: Affects in the Workplace 2:35 - 3:35 p.m. Cumberland B & C

Workshop- Successes in the Service Sector
3:40 - 4:40 p.m. Cumberland B & C

Private Meeting- Community Colleges of Appalachia
4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Talbot A

Schedule

TIME

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23

6:00 a.m.

7:00 a.m.

8:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Noon

1:00 p.m.

2:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m.

4:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

8:00 p.m.

9:00 p.m.

Registration Desk
7:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Center Foyer

Workshop- Diving into the Digital Age: The Future of Work 10:05 - 11:05 a.m. Cumberland A

Workshop- Persistence and Success: Wrap-Around Service Excellence 11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. Cumberland A

Private Meeting- Apprenticeship Advisory Board
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Live Oak

Workshop- Stuff You Need to Know: Local Implementation of National Data 2:35 - 3:35 p.m. Cumberland A

Workshop- Health and Safety Regulation Training makes Money and Keeps Workers and Communities Safe
3:40 - 4:40 p.m. Cumberland A

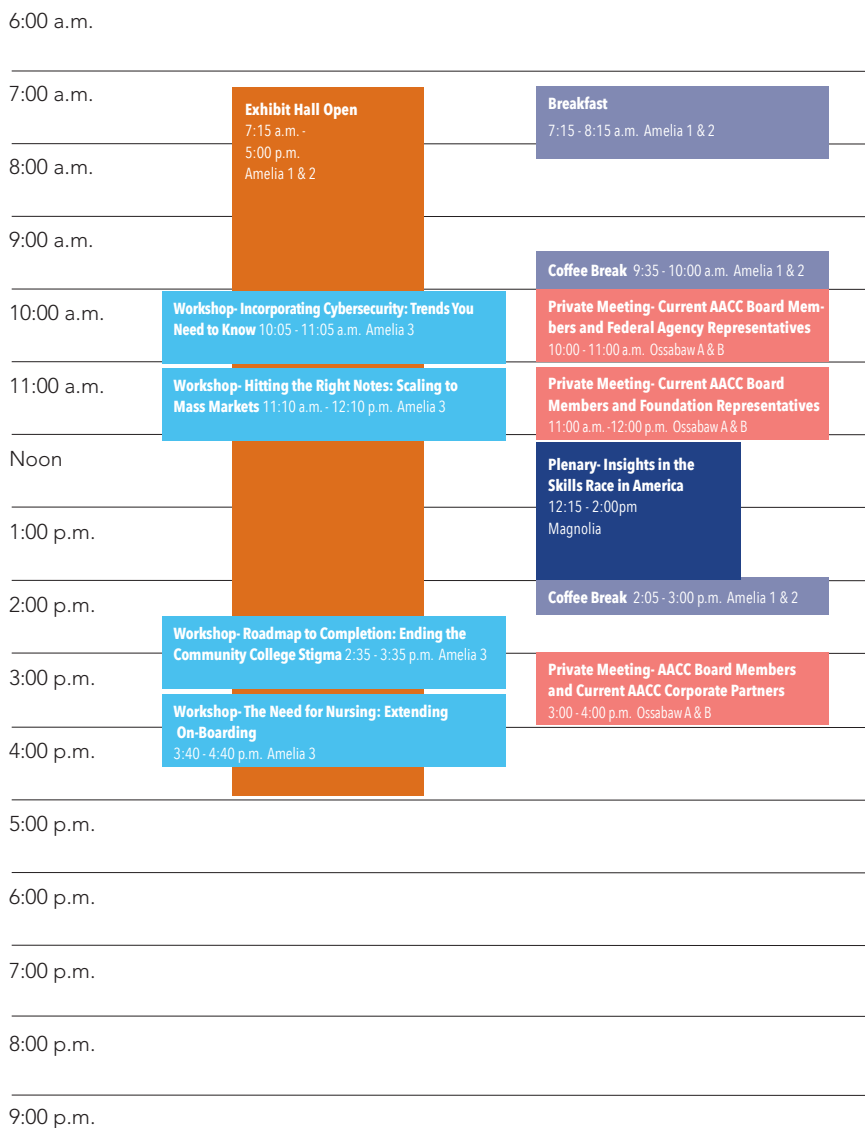
Private Meeting- All Within My Hands Foundation
2:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Sapelo A & B

Schedule Key

- Preconference
- Registration
- Plenary
- Network Reception
- Private Meeting
- Workshop
- Exhibit Hall

TIME

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24



Schedule

TIME

6:00 a.m.

7:00 a.m.

8:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Noon

1:00 p.m.

2:00 p.m.

3:00 p.m.

4:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

8:00 p.m.

9:00 p.m.

**Registration
Desk**

7:30 a.m. -
5:00 p.m.
Center Foyer

Workshop- Legislative Update

10:05 - 11:05 a.m. Cumberland A

**Workshop- Dealing with Discourse: Strategies for Leaders
Who Accept Noise and Want Mindful Economic Develop-
ment Solutions** 10:05 - 11:05 a.m. Cumberland B & C

Workshop- Embedding Entrepreneurship

11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. Cumberland B & C

**Workshop- The Power of Industry Associations and
Forward-Thinking Networks**

2:35-3:35 Cumberland A

Workshop- A New Approach to Soft Skills

2:35 - 3:35 p.m. Cumberland B & C

**Workshop- Let's Start with Robotics and
Additive Manufacturing**

3:40 - 4:40 p.m. Cumberland A

**Workshop- The Oak in the Acorn: Growing
Agritourism** 3:40 - 4:40 p.m. Cumberland B & C

Schedule Key

- Preconference
- Registration
- Plenary
- Network Reception
- Private Meeting
- Workshop
- Exhibit Hall

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24

Snap-on Private Breakfast
7:00 - 8:00 a.m. Sapelo A & B

Plenary- Multiple Market Hiring: Investments in Community Colleges 8:15 - 9:30 a.m. Magnolia

Workshop- Internationally Recognized Community College Exemplars
10:05 - 11:05 a.m. Amelia 4

Workshop- A Sea of Opportunity: Water and Waste water Careers
11:10 a.m. - 12:10 p.m. Amelia 4

Expanding Community College Apprenticeship (AACC) Implementation Team Meeting
10:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. Live Oak

Workshop- The Evolution of Megacities: What is Means for Community Colleges
2:35 - 3:35 p.m. Amelia 4

Workshop- The Biggest Disruption: The Impact of AI and Automation
3:40 - 4:40 p.m. Amelia 4

ECCA Office Hours
2:00 - 4:30 p.m.
Sapelo A & B

College President, CEO, and Chancellor Reception
5:30 - 7:00 p.m.
Sunrise Cafe and Terrace

Schedule

Schedule Key

■ Registration

■ Plenary

TIME

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25

6:00 a.m.

7:00 a.m.

Registration Desk

7:00 - 8:00 a.m. Center Foyer

8:00 a.m.

**Plenary- Now to Next: Direct TA to
Employer your College to Future
Program Success**

7:45 - 10:00 a.m.

Magnolia

9:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Noon

1:00 p.m.

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