

University of Central Arkansas
Conway, Arkansas

National Conference of Academic Deans
55th Annual Conference
July 28-31, 2001

Saturday, July 28, 2001

- 1:00 p.m. Conference Registration
(Front lobby of the Brewer-Hegeman Conference Center)
- 1:30 p.m. General Session
Neil Hattlestad (Campus Host)
James Standley (Conference Program Chair)
- 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Plenary Session 1
Case Studies: Clarifying Values
Janet Dizinno, Dean, St. Mary's University
- 4:00 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. Plenary Session 2
New Member Orientation/New Deans
Neil Hattlestad, Dean, University of Central Arkansas
- 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - Reception at President's Home
- 7:15 p.m. - Banquet - McCastlain Hall

Sunday, July 29, 2001

- 12:30 p.m. Sunday Brunch - Brewer-Hegeman Conference Center Room 4A (Tickets available for \$8.00)
- 1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Plenary Session 3
Life Will Go On After The Deanship . . . Will You?
Moderator: *Mario Ramirez, TIAA-CREF*
A session designed to educate university executives regarding sound decisions relating to retirement. Topics to be discussed will include determining retirement income needs, asset management, estate tax issues, and strategies for self-renewal.
- 3:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Plenary Session 4
Mastering Meetings
Kent Hutchison, Associate Director of Continuing Education, Stephen F. Austin State University
Stop wasting time directing unproductive meetings that fall short of your purpose. This nuts and bolts session will equip the dean with the skills, knowledge, and mindset to lead and participate in efficient meetings that produce quality results.
- 4:45 p.m. - Tour of Hendrix College - Guide: Dr. Robert Eslinger, Interim Vice President for Academic Affairs

Monday, July 30, 2001

- 7:30 a.m. 2002 Planning Committee
- 8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 a.m. General Session
- 9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Plenary Session 5
SMART
Fred Kitterle, Dean, Northern Illinois University
Every state is concerned about science and math teacher preparation. Fred Kitterle has headed an initiative at NIU that is producing and placing teachers in these critical areas. Science/Math Alliances For Recruiting and Retention of Teachers (SMART) is an effort that has brought a sharper focus on his campus to meeting the needs of the state in certificate areas where dangerous shortages exist.

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- 10:25 a.m. – 11:40 a.m. Plenary Session 6
 Managing Developmental Education Programs
Linda Thompson, Immediate Past President NADE, Harding University
 Dr. Linda Thompson, immediate past President of the National Association for Developmental Education, will share her insights regarding the impact developmental education and learning assistance programs are having on higher education accessibility and its import for our society, in general. She will explore the roots, mission, future, and cost of developmental education in light of the mission of higher education in America.
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. - McCastlain Hall
 Luncheon Speaker – John Churchill, VPAA Hendrix College
 “The Dean as Leader: Hobbes, Locke, and the Culture of the Academy”
- 1:45 p.m. *Dr. Rick Scott, Interim Director* UCA Honors College Tour
- 2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. Plenary Session 7
 Panel: Assessment Strategies/Effectiveness Measures
Maurice Lee – Moderator – Dean, University of Central Arkansas
Bette Midgarden – Dean – Moorhead State University
Jeff Arrington – Dean – Abilene Christian University
Martin Johnson – Dean – Missouri Western State College
Dan Jones – Dean – University of Houston – Downtown
 All deans are concerned about adding as much as possible to their knowledge of collecting relevant information regarding assessing higher education outcomes. Members of the panel come to NCAD 2001 from campuses where they have had recent experiences with outcomes assessment. They will relate their experiences with collecting and presenting data on higher education results assessment to various regional accreditation groups with which they are affiliated.
- 3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. Plenary Session 8
 Annual Business Meeting
 Presiding: *James Standley, Dean, Stephen F. Austin University*
- 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. - Carmen’s Antiques (free shuttle will be available)
 Social/Reception hors d’oeuvres (no charge to conferees and spouses)

Tuesday, July 31, 2001

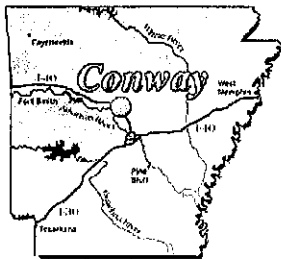
- 8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Plenary Session 9
 Panel Legal Issues Up-Date
Melissa Rust – Moderator – General Counsel – University of Central Arkansas
Harold J. Evans – Associate Vice President for Legal Affairs – University of Arkansas System
Thomas Pennington – University Counsel – Arkansas Tech University
 NCAD is fortunate to have acquired the services of three highly regarded university attorneys. This panel of higher education legal specialists will provide an overview of contemporary legal issues facing most universities today. Special attention will be given to legal aspects related to intellectual property and the multi-media environment. Ample time will be provided for questions from the deans.
- 10:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Plenary Session 10
 Open Forum
 Moderator: *Mike Westerfield, Dean, Rochester College, NCAD Chair Elect*
- 11:30 a.m.
 Conference Adjourn

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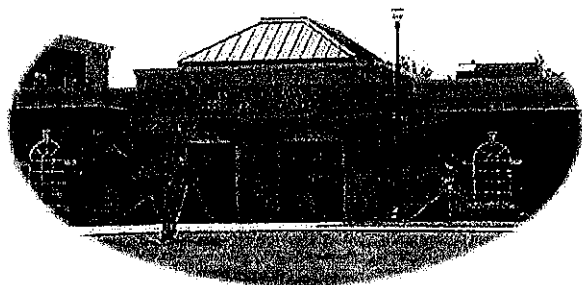


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2001 Theme:

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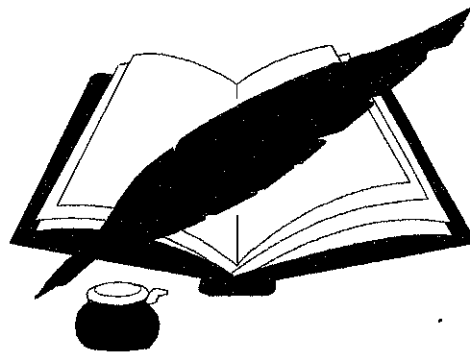
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