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**Annual Professional Development Conference Schedule**

**Holiday In Champaign**

**101 Trade Center, Champaign, IL 61620**

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| **Wednesday, April 17** | |  |
| 9:00-4:00pm | **Pre-Conference-SSS Professional Development** |  |
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| 12:00 pm | Finance Committee Meeting |  |
| 1:00 pm | Executive Council Meeting-Lunch |  |
| 6:00pm | Registration Opens |  |
| 6:30pm | Newcomers Orientation- |  |
| 7:30pm | Networking Reception/Kick-off |  |
| 9:00 pm | Karaoke -Funtivity |  |
| 10:00 pm | Hospitality |  |
| **Thursday, April 18** | |  |
| 8:00 am-12:00 pm | Registration |  |
| 8:30 am | Breakfast |  |
| 9:00 am – 9:15am | Welcome-Plenary |  |
| 9:15 am-9:30 am | Networking TRIO Scavenger Hunt-Provide information  Due End of Day |  |
| 9:35 am-10:05 am | EOA Update: Karen Smolarek President-elect  Educational Opportunity Association (EOA) |  |
| 10:10 am-10:40 am | COE Update: Membership/Human Resources  Council for Opportunity in Education (COE) |  |
| 10:45 am-11:30 pm | Hot topics |  |
| 11:45 pm-1:15 pm | Lunch  TRIO Talks-Alumni Edition |  |
| 1:30 pm-2:20 pm | Concurrent Sessions |  |
| 2:35 pm- 3:25 pm | Concurrent Sessions |  |
| 3:35 pm-5:00 pm | - General Assembly |  |
| 4:45 pm-6:25 pm | Break |  |
| 6:30 pm-7:00 pm | Reception |  |
| 7:00 pm | President’s Banquet  “50 Years in the Making: Bridging the Past with Future, with Passion and Purpose” |  |
| 8:30 pm | Past-President and Member Recognition  “Living Your Life Like its Golden” President’s Dance |  |
| 10:30 pm | Networking/Hospitality |  |
| **Friday, April 19, 2024** | | |
| 8:30 am | TRIO Round Table Breakfast |  |
| 8:30 am-10:00am | Program Roundtables  Upward Bound/UB Math & Science  Educational Talent Search  Student Support Services/McNair  Educational Opportunity Centers |  |
| 10:15 am-11:30 am | Surviving Audits |  |
| 11:35 am-11:45 am | Closing Remarks/Evaluations |  |
| 12pm | Conference Concludes |  |