

# Friday October 6th

Time	Description	Presenters	Room
7:00	Breakfast Buffet		Enterprise
8:15	Presentation to Honor Flight		
8:30	Interest Sessions		
Holistic Approach to Serving Former Foster Care Youth through Fostering Ram Success		Ed Kerestly, Candace Aguirre	Maverick
Training for New Frontline Financial Aid Reps		Taryn Anderson, Billy Miller	Dallas
Emotional Intelligence: Managing Our Relationships Personally and Professionally		Kristy Johnson	Ft. Worth
Flying with All Four Engines: Volunteering in Professional Associations		Thomas Ratliff	Grapevine
Piloting Through Conflict Review		Molly Garrett	Houston
All for One Stop...One Stop for All! Lessons Learned by the Financial Aid Office During a One Stop Implementation		Erin Porter, Bridgette Ingram	LoneStar
9:45	Sector Meetings		
4-Year Public		Lauren Jackson	Maverick
4-Year Private		Taryn Anderson	Dallas
2-Year Public		Marla Bush	Ft. Worth
Grad/Professional		Ben Montecillo	Grapevine
Proprietary, Clock Hour, Technical		Audra Main	Houston
10:45	NASFAA Updates	Helen Faith, Justin Draeger	Enterprise
12:00	Passing of the Gavel/New President Welcome		
12:30	Closing Remarks		



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### SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE



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October 4-6, 2023



Wednesday October 4th			
Time	Description	Presenters	Room
8 a.m.	Conference Registration Open		Foyer
8 - 12	NASFAA U Credential - Professional Judgment	Leandra Garcia	LoneStar
8 - 12	NASFAA U Credential - SAP	Sophia McGee	Houston
8 - 12	NASFAA U Credential - Packaging & Awarding	JoEllen Price	Ft. Worth
8 - 12	NASFAA U Credential - Student Eligibility	Chandra Gonzalez	Grapevine
8 - 12	FAAC Exam Prep		Hill
1:00	Welcome, Opening Remarks, Keynote		Enterprise
2:30	Exhibit Area Open		Foyer
2:30	Refreshment Break & Mingle with Exhibitors		Foyer
3:00	Interest Sessions		
	Averting Danger: Combatting Fraud in Higher Education, Financial Aid, and Student Credit	Amy Cable, Veronica Herrera, Eric Chas	Maverick
	The Key to Connect - Social Media in Higher Education	Elvira Rodriguez, Antrechelle Nova	Dallas
	Where Financial Aid Meets Student Affairs	Abigail Mbuvi, Meg Clifford	Ft. Worth
	Hanging on Through the Turbulence	Sophia McGee, Teresa Washburn	Grapevine
	Transforming a Distressed Department - Strategies for Success in Uncharted Territory	Lisa Gabriel, Amy Hoss, Anne Rodne	Houston
	Developing Your Team's Leadership Culture	Lou Murray	LoneStar
4:00	Mingle with Exhibitors		Foyer
4:15	Interest Sessions		
	The Changing Landscape of Professional Judgment	Raymond Nault	Maverick
	Charting Scholarships to a Better Destination	Thomas Ratliff	Dallas
	Where Have all the Staff members Gone?	Karen Krause	Ft. Worth
	Developing a Financial Wellness Team in the Post-Pandemic Era	Nilda Mason, Gilbert Rios	Grapevine
	Resources for Resources	D. Ingram	Houston

Wednesday October 4th (continued)			
Time	Description	Presenters	Room
Supporting Students Transferring from a 2-year to 4-year Institution		Victoria Padilla	LoneStar
6:00	Evening Excursion to Downtown Grapevine		Lobby
Thursday October 5th			
6:15 a.m.	Mack Adams and Logan Ware Fun Fitness Event and Fundraiser		LoneStar 2
7:00	Breakfast Buffet		Enterprise
8:00	Conference Registration Open /Exhibit Area Open		Foyer
8:30	NASFAA FAFSA Simplification Update		Enterprise
9:45	Interest Sessions		
Succession Planning, Retention, and Diversity: A Holistic Approach to Creating a Synergistic Financial Aid Office		Traci Armes, Trina Manor, Shelisskia Dougans	Maverick
Navigating Amended Tax Returns		Isaiah Trevino, Rebecca Bradley	Dallas
Engaging GenZ with Clear Communication		Shelly Tomlin, Tim Clements	Ft. Worth
Communicating Up: Ensuring the Voice of the FA Office is Heard in the President’s Office		Justin Draeger	Grapevine
No Money, No Problem - A Community College Approach to Enrollment Management		Amy Cable, Acqueena Grant	Houston
10:45	Refreshment Break & Mingle with Exhibitors		Foyer
11:15	Interest Sessions		
Navigating FAFSA Simplification		Robert Fishkind	Maverick
Advocacy 101 - Yes, you too can Advocate		William Shaffner	Dallas
FAAC Exam - The Importance and Benefits		Cristen Alicea, Amy Cable	Houston
Adventure is Out There - Building a Community Driven Outreach Program to Develop FA Literacy		Zachary Solano	Ft. Worth
Ask THECB: Coordinating Board Q&A		DeCha Reid, Leah Smalley	Grapevine
Partnerships in Emergency Assistance - Helping Students Move Through Hardship and Toward Graduation		Corey Benson, Dr. Scott Lapinski, Dr. Michael Frawley	LoneStar

Thursday October 5th (continued)			
Time	Description	Presenters	Room
12:15	Lunch, SWASFAA Update and Business Meeting		Enterprise
1:30	State Sessions		
	TASFAA Business Meeting and Awards		Enterprise
	Oklahoma		Dallas
	Arkansas		Grapevine
	New Mexico		Houston
	Louisiana		LoneStar
2:30	Mingle with Exhibitors		Foyer
2:45	Interest Sessions		
	Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board Update	Charles Contero-Puls	Enterprise
	Why Weaponize When You Can Disarm: Building Alliances for Compliances	Helen Faith	Maverick
	Promising Practices: A Service Structure to Promote Student Access	Mary Saucedo, Veronica Decena	Ft. Worth
	Your Personal Brand Matters	Pamela Luis, Michael Duong	Houston
	Building on Our Momentum - Why Aren't We Booming	Amy Cable	Grapevine
	May the Loans be with Your Students	Eileen Eiden, Katherine Welbeck	LoneStar
3:45	Refreshment Break & Mingle with Exhibitors		Foyer
4:15	NASFAA Q&A Panel		Enterprise
5:15	Birds of a Feather—Software Providers		
	Banner		Maverick
	Colleague		Ft. Worth
	PeopleSoft		Dallas
	Jenzabar		Grapevine
	PowerFaiDs		Houston
	Anthology		LoneStar
6:30	Reception, Heavy Hors D'oeuvres		Enterprise
7:00	Evening Entertainment		Enterprise