Washington Week 2024

Preliminary Agenda

(subject to change)

Monday, June 3

8:00 – 9:00 a.m.  Networking Breakfast – Salon 4
  First-Time Attendees Session (Federal Education Policy 101) - Salon D

9:00 – 10:30 a.m.  Welcome and Opening Keynote with Maryland Governor, The Honorable Wes Moore (invited) – Salon 4

10:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  Holmes Scholar Meetings with Key Officials (offsite)

10:30 – 11:00 a.m.  Break – Pre-function area

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  New Federal Regulations Affecting EPPs: Q&A with U.S. Department of Education – Salon 4

12:00 – 1:00 pm  Networking Lunch – Salon 4

1:00 – 5:00 pm  Half-day Institute for State Affiliate Organization Leaders – Salon D

1:00 – 5:00 pm  Expert Panels in Salon 4 on topics such as:
  - Effective Advocacy in a Hyper-Partisan Environment
  - Calling a Truce in the Reading Wars: Supporting High-Quality Literacy Instruction
  - The Value of Storytelling as an Advocacy Strategy
  - Crafting a Federal Educator Workforce Policy: Looking ahead to HEA reauthorization
Tuesday, June 4

8:00 – 9:00 a.m.  Networking Breakfast – Salon 4

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  Individual Media Training for State Leaders (by appointment only)

9:00 – 10:30 a.m.  Federal Budget and Legislative Update and Overview of AACTE Priorities – Salon 4

10:30 – 11:00 a.m.  Networking Break – Pre-function Space

11:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.  “Office Hours” with AACTE Advocacy Team - Salon 4

11:00 – 12:00 p.m.  Facilitated State Team Time to Prepare for Day on the Hill – Salon 4

12:00 – 1:00 p.m.  Networking Lunch – Salon 4

1:00 – 2:00 p.m.  Facilitated State Team Time to Prepare for Day on the Hill – Salon 4

3:00 – 3:30 p.m.  Networking Break – Pre-function Space

3:30 – 5:00 p.m.  Book Talk with Dr. Jane West, author of *Advocating for the Common Good: People, Politics, Process, and Policy on Capitol Hill* – Salon 4

5:00 – 6:00 p.m.  Networking Reception – Salon D

Wednesday, June 5

7:00 – 8:00 a.m.  Breakfast – Salon 4

8:00 – 9:00 a.m.  Transportation to Capitol Hill – Hotel Lobby

9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  Day on the Hill: Meetings with Representatives and Senators