

Day 1: Thursday, October 19th

<p>11:00 AM – 12:00 PM</p>	<p>Convening Kick-Off</p> <p>Keynote Welcome</p> <p>Opening Keynote Address</p>	<p>Joseph Bruner, UAA Director of Student Success Initiatives, Strategy & Assessment</p> <p>Dr. Paul Layer, UA Vice President, Academics, Students, & Research</p> <p>Linda Thai, LMSW ERYT-200</p>
<p>12:00 PM – 12:10 PM</p>	<p>BREAK</p>	<p><i>10 Minutes</i></p>
<p>12:10 PM – 1:00 PM</p>	<p><u>Session: Integrating Learning Commons Services into Your Course</u></p> <hr/> <p><u>Session: Persistence in Math and Writing Placement: Pivotal Conversations with Students and Faculty</u></p>	<p>Presenters: Heather Teel (UAA)</p> <hr/> <p>Presenters: Jennifer Tilbury (UAF), Carrie Aldrich (UAA), Jay Szczepanski (UAS), Tom Harman (UAA), Brian Blitz (UAS), Megan Ossiander-Gobeille (UAA)</p>
<p>1:00 PM – 1:10 PM</p>	<p>BREAK</p>	<p><i>10 Minutes</i></p>
<p>1:10 PM – 2:00 PM</p>	<p><u>Session: Exploring High-Impact Career Development Practices for Student Success</u></p>	<p>Presenters: Holly Johanknecht (UAA), Teri Cothre Cothre</p>
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Day 2: Thursday, October 20th

9:00 AM – 9:05 AM	Keynote Welcome	Joseph Bruner, UAA Director of Student Success Initiatives, Strategy & Assessment
9:05 AM – 10:30 AM	Keynote Address	Jon Rice, EAB Facilitator
10:30 AM – 10:45 AM	BREAK	<i>15 Minutes</i>
10:45 AM – 12:00 PM	Guest Speaker: Using UAA's Results from the National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE) Toward Student Success	Jillian Kinzie, Associate Director of National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE) and Senior Scholar at the National Institute for Learning Outcomes (NILOA)
12:00 PM – 12:30 PM	BREAK	<i>30 Minutes</i>
12:30 PM – 1:30 PM	Closing Reception and Debrief	In-Person on Each Campus Zoom Option for rural campuses

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Opening
Keynote

11 AM -



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1:00 PM –
1:10 PM

BREAK

10 Minutes

Exploring High-Impact Career Development Practices for Student Success

Presenters: Holly Johanknecht (UAA), Nicole Goff (UAF), Aimee Richards (UAS), Teri Cothren (UA)

This session will offer a comprehensive review of the various options available to students for engaging in high-impact career development practices that positively impact recruitment, persistence, and retention. We will explore a range of experiential learning opportunities, such as internships and co-op programs, as well as UA technology tools such as Handshake and Career Coach, and the events, programming, and services offered by Career Services. These high impact career development practices can help students build resilience, persist in their goals, and recover from setbacks they may face in their professional journeys.

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Workshops

1:10 PM –
2:00 PM

In this presentation, we will discuss the importance of these practices and how they can help students gain valuable skills and experiences that will benefit them in their future careers. We will also provide insights into how Career Services across all three universities works collaboratively to implement these practices and support students in achieving their career goals.

The experiential learning opportunities, UA technology tools, and Career Services programming and services that will be discussed in the presentation have been proven to enhance student success and improve outcomes related to recruitment, persistence, and retention. By equipping students with these skills and experiences, we can help them become more resilient and better equipped to navigate the challenges that may arise in their career paths.

Furthermore, the presentation will provide insights into how UA Career Services works to implement these practices and support students in achieving their career goals. This can help attendees learn about best practices for promoting student success and develop strategies for enhancing resiliency and persistence in their own institutions.

Attendees will leave this session with a clear understanding of the benefits of high-impact career development practices, and the tools and resources available to help students succeed in their professional journeys.

2nd Workshop for Session 2 on next page.

