2021 CGS Annual Meeting | Preliminary Program

Wednesday, December 1st
8:00 am  CGS Board of Directors Meeting
9:00 am  Registration Opens
2:00 pm  Pre-Meeting Workshops
5:00 pm  New Member and First Time Attendee “Meet and Greet”
6:00 pm  Opening Reception

Thursday, December 2nd
7:30 am  Breakfast sponsored by ProQuest: open to all registrants
7:30 am  Assistant and Associate Deans Breakfast sponsored by Liaison: open to all registrants
8:00 am  Exhibits Open
8:30 am  Welcome and Opening Session
9:00 am  PLENARY I: How Personalized Learning Promotes Social Justice presented by Candace Thille
10:30 am  Morning Refreshment Break
11:00 am  Concurrent Sessions
Professional Doctorate Programs
More than the Sum of Their Parts?: Articulating the Value of Formal Degrees
So All Can Learn: Inclusive Pedagogies for Graduate Education
Creating a Graduate Enrollment Ecosystem: How to Attract, Engage and Retain Your Best-Fit Applicants: sponsored by Liaison
12:00 pm  Awards luncheon
2:30 pm  PLENARY II: A Conversation with Tara Westover
4:00 pm  Afternoon Refreshment Break
4:30 pm  Concurrent Sessions
An Outcomes-Based Proposal for the Future of the PhD: We’re All in This Together
Mentoring Master’s Students
STEAM and the Future of Interdisciplinary Research: Engine of Innovation or a Bunch of Hot Air?
Understanding the Graduate Student Mindset: Insights from a New Survey of 2,000+ Prospective Graduate Students: sponsored by EAB
6:00 pm  Reception: open to all registrants

Friday, December 3rd
7:30 am  Breakfast sponsored by ETS: open to all registrants
7:30 am  Regional Affiliates Committee Breakfasts
9:00 am  PLENARY III: The Museum of the Future: Lyrical Leadership and Transformation in America’s Cultural Institutions presented by Kevin Young
10:30 am Morning Refreshment Break
11:00 am Concurrent Sessions:
   Reinventing Graduate STEM Education
   Integrating Networking Skills into Humanities PhD Programs
   Bridging the Gap: Deferrals, Leaves, and Skipped Cohorts

12:00 pm Networking luncheon
1:15 pm Lightning Rounds
   Student-centered Language Assessment: Lowering Barriers and Increasing Opportunities
   State of the Education Market: Trends and Insights in Key Master’s Disciplines
2:00 pm PLENARY IV: Anti-Asian Racism and Bias: Learning from Diverse Voices
3:30 pm Afternoon Refreshment Break
4:00 pm Concurrent Sessions
   Are My Professional Graduate Programs Financially Sustainable?: A DIY Guide for Deans
   Seeing the Future We Used to See Here: Compassion and Commitment to International Students
   Understanding Challenges and Impacts of Caregiving: Supporting Students at a Time of Transition

Saturday, December 4th
7:00 am Breakfast sponsored by IELTS: open to all registrants
8:00 am Business Meeting
8:30 am PLENARY V: Harvesting Histories: The Recent Louisiana Disasters Project & Public Humanities Educational Outreach presented by Liz Skilton
10:00 am Coffee Break
10:30 am PLENARY VI: Academic Freedom: For Whom and For What?-LaPidus Lecture presented by Frederick Lawrence
12:00 pm Closing of Meeting