

Continuing the Conversation: 2017 WIOA National Convening – Washington, DC

AGENDA

TUESDAY, MAY 23

10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Registration	Foyer Outside Plaza BC
1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Welcome	Plaza BC
1:15 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Opening Plenary: Looking Ahead & Celebrating Progress	Plaza BC
3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Break	
3:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions (A)	
<i>The Business Model: Business, Community, & Workforce Development</i>	<i>Business Engagement</i>	<i>Plaza I</i>
<i>I Have to Compete my One-Stop Operator, Now How Does This Work?</i>	<i>Financial & Grants Management</i>	<i>Arbors</i>
<i>No Wrong Door to Help Youth & Adults with Disabilities Achieve Their Goals</i>	<i>Integrated Services</i>	<i>Plaza II</i>
<i>One-Stop 101: Where You Should Be Now as a One-Stop System</i>	<i>One-Stop Operations</i>	<i>Aspen</i>
<i>Understanding the Statistical Model & Its Use in Negotiations</i>	<i>Performance Accountability</i>	<i>Beech</i>
<i>The Governance Puzzle: Piecing Together Our Roles & Responsibilities</i>	<i>Strategic Governance</i>	<i>Juniper</i>
<i>Equal Opportunity Law 101</i>	<i>Special Session: Civil Rights</i>	<i>Plaza III</i>

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

7:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Registration		Foyer Outside Plaza BC
8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Day 2 Welcome		Plaza BC
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Day 2 Plenary: Design for Continuous Improvement		Plaza BC
10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Break		
10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions (B) [Most Sessions Repeat in Concurrent Session B or D Block – 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.]		
	<i>Legislation to Action: A Data-Driven Approach to State & Local In-Demand Occupations</i>	<i>Business Engagement</i>	<i>Plaza I</i>
	<i>WIOA Infrastructure: Comparing the Local vs State Funding Mechanisms</i>	<i>Financial & Grants Management</i>	<i>Arbors</i>
	<i>Integrating Services to Connect Youth to Their Future</i>	<i>Integrated Services</i>	<i>Plaza II</i>
	<i>Program Design & Service Delivery</i>	<i>One-Stop Operations</i>	<i>Aspen</i>
	<i>Beyond 101: A Walk-Through of WIOA Performance & Accountability Reporting Requirements & Related Policy Issues</i>	<i>Performance Accountability</i>	<i>Beech</i>
	<i>Driving Success: High Performance Workforce Boards in Action</i>	<i>Strategic Governance</i>	<i>Juniper</i>
	<i>What You Need to Know about Section 188: Individuals with Disabilities</i>	<i>Special Session: Civil Rights</i>	<i>Plaza III</i>
12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Lunch (On Your Own)		
1:30 p.m. – 2:55 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions (C)		
	<i>Labor Market Information as an Asset for Economic Development & Business Engagement</i>	<i>Business Engagement</i>	<i>Plaza I</i>
	<i>Transparency in the Workforce System: Establishing Firewalls & Internal Controls</i>	<i>Financial & Grants Management</i>	<i>Arbors</i>
	<i>Creating Synergy Across Programs to Put Americans Back to Work</i>	<i>Integrated Services</i>	<i>Plaza II</i>
	<i>Building Partnerships Related to MOUs & One-Stop Certification</i>	<i>One-Stop Operations</i>	<i>Aspen</i>
	<i>Evidence-Building Capacity in State Workforce Agencies</i>	<i>Performance Accountability</i>	<i>Beech</i>
	<i>Regionalism: The Framework of the Future</i>	<i>Strategic Governance</i>	<i>Juniper</i>
2:55 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Break		

3:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Concurrent Sessions (B or D)

Make WIOA Value-Added for Business: Strategies to Improve & Sustain Business Engagement

WIOA Infrastructure: Comparing the Local vs State Funding Mechanisms

Integrating Services to Connect Youth to Their Future

Program Design & Service Delivery

Beyond 101: A Walk-Through of WIOA Performance & Accountability Reporting Requirements & Related Policy Issues

Driving Success: High Performance Workforce Boards in Action

What You Need to Know about Section 188: Individuals with Disabilities

Business Engagement

Financial & Grants Management

Integrated Services

One-Stop Operations

Performance Accountability

Strategic Governance

Special Session: Civil Rights

Plaza I

Arbors

Plaza II

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Plaza III

4:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Break

5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.

Peer-to-Peer Networking Session

Plaza BC

THURSDAY, MAY 25

8:45 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Day 3 Welcome		Plaza BC
9:00 a.m. – 10:25 a.m.	Concurrent Sessions (E)		
	<i>Make WIOA Value-Added for Business: Strategies to Improve & Sustain Business Engagement</i>	<i>Business Engagement</i>	<i>Plaza I</i>
	<i>Key Elements for Oversight & Management of Local Areas & Sub-Recipients</i>	<i>Financial & Grants Management</i>	<i>Arbors</i>
	<i>Community Colleges: Multi-Faceted WIOA Partners</i>	<i>Integrated Services</i>	<i>Plaza II</i>
	<i>American Job Center Operations: Behind the Scenes</i>	<i>One-Stop Operations</i>	<i>Aspen</i>
	<i>Effectiveness in Serving Employers Measure: A Discussion</i>	<i>Performance Accountability</i>	<i>Beech</i>
	<i>Strategic Partner Engagement, Planning, & Implementation: Realizing Your Plan & Partnerships</i>	<i>Strategic Governance</i>	<i>Juniper</i>
	<i>Obligations to Provide Language Access Services</i>	<i>Special Session: Civil Rights</i>	<i>Plaza III</i>
10:25 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Break		
10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Closing Plenary: The Business Case for Innovation		Plaza BC
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Convening Closing		Plaza BC