



2020 Pacific Northwest Student Leadership Conference
 Washington State University – Student Involvement
 Saturday, September 26, 2020

9:45AM Check In

Feel free to explore the online platform while we get everything started for the day.

10:00AM Welcome & Keynote with Justine Jones-Fossu

11:00AM Break

11:10AM Session 1 Workshops

Brain Shuffield Executive Director, Student Involvement	Navigating Constant Change with Confidence	If there is one thing certain in life, it is that we can expect constant change. Changing staffing, policy and procedures, student leadership and advisement, coupled with a student population that is continually evolving, requires students to be nimble and adaptive. This interactive session will challenge participants to reflect on their own comfort in working through continual change, and explore strategies for moving forward with confidence.
TaMisha Greathouse Associate Director, Student Involvement	Self-Care: Prioritizing caring for yourself while you care for others	Leaders need support and care too. You can't fully help others if you aren't taking care of yourself. In this presentation, we will look at what it means to lead by example when it comes to managing your priorities, wellbeing, and self-care. We will look at ways to set goals and care for themselves that fit their unique styles. Participants will leave with resources that help them understand when they need to take time for themselves and support others when prioritizing their own wellbeing.
Andria Donnenwerth Global Campus Student Involvement Manger	Planning Events in an Online Space	Are you wanting to plan meaningful and engaging events online? Are you stumped and uncertain on how to make that work, thinking in-person is the only way? In this workshop we will discuss the important concepts of planning an online event and allow time to help brainstorm ideas and methods.
Devin Mendenhall Arts Coordinator	Learning to be Creative	Creativity is often construed as a mystical, unknowing process that only chosen individuals can access through equally convoluted means. The purpose of this workshop is to discuss how leaders can learn to be creative through a better understanding of what creativity is and how it works.

12:00PM Lunch

12:50PM Check In

1:00PM **Keynote with WSU President Kirk H. Schulz**

President Kirk Schulz will speak on tenants of leadership during a global pandemic, and what leadership means to him.

1:20PM **Inclusive Leadership – Inclusive Language**

WSU Social Justice Peer Educators will be leading us in a discussion about why inclusive language is important.

2:00PM **Session 2 Workshops**

TaMisha Greathouse Associate Director, Student Involvement	Owning your Origin Story: Using your unique narrative in your leadership	Stories are what make us unique as people. Each of our journeys and paths help lead us to where we want to go or teach us useful lessons. The workshop would explore various origin stories (fictional and real-life people) and how those moments of resilience, characteristics, and identities helped create opportunities for the individual.
Amir Gilmore Assistant Professor, Cultural Studies and Social Thought in Education	“Walking in rhythm, singing my song”: Centering Joy, Justice, and Refusal in Student Leadership	As a former Black Student Leader, I meditate on the importance of centering joy, justice, and stances of refusal in how students organize and enact their leadership. In doing so, students can find their own where and learn how to make justice and liberation one of the most gratifying experiences possible. Moreover, students will understand how organizing around joy is intersectional justice work.
James M. Bledsoe Career Development Coordinator / College of Arts and Sciences	Show me a good Manager, and I'll show you a GREAT Professional Leader!	Strengthening leadership skills has nothing to do with seeking the title of director or president, but rather everything to do with focusing on your personal & professional development. Learn leadership development strategies that can also help you to release your professional potential by focusing on attitude, management, and relationship building.
Ben Calabretta Associate Director, WSU Center for Civic Engagement	Students as Leaders in our Democracy	With the Fall 2020 presidential election quickly approaching, learn why and how to engage in our democracy. Participants will learn how to register to vote, important dates to remember, and most importantly as a leader, how to get others involved!

2:50PM **Break**

3:00PM **Wrap Up with Justin Jones-Fossu**

3:45PM **Closing**

4:00PM **Networking**

Networking/Socializing is completely optional. Hopin has an amazing tool that automatically pairs participants for 5 minutes of networking. At the end of 5 minutes it will automatically pair you with another participant. You can leave or switch partners at any time and if you are having a great conversation both participants can elect to continue the conversation.