

2024 OASFAA Conference Agenda

April 17-19, 2024 – Embassy Suites, Oklahoma City, OK



Tuesday, April 16, 2024

1:00 - 5:00 pm Board of Directors Meeting

Wednesday, April 17, 2024

8:30 am – 1:00 pm Registration Table Open

8:00 am – 12:00 pm Exhibitors Setup

Sound Check

9:00 am – 11:30 am **PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP** – NASFAA U Credentialing

- **Application Processing** – Shala LaTorraca, OK Wesleyan University, **Room A/B**
- **Consumer Information** – Mendy Schmerer, Blue Icon Compliance Manager, **Room C**

11:30 am – 12:30 pm *Lunch on your own*

Let's Get Ready to Rock

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm **OPENING SESSION, Young Ballroom (Room A/B)**

- **OASFAA 2024 Presidents Welcome**– Neesha Herring, OASFAA President, **Room A/B**
- **Service Project Presentation** – Peppers Ranch Foster Care Community, **Room A/B**
- **Exhibitor Introduction** – Michelle Enriquez, VP Citizens Bank, **Room A/B**
- **SWASFAA Update** – Audra Main, SWASFAA President, **Room A/B**

2:30 pm – 4:00 pm Exhibitors' Showcase Open

2:30 pm – 3:00 pm **Break (snacks/beverages) and JAM with our Exhibitors**

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm **AFTERNOON BREAKOUTS**

1. **Loan Session Panel** – Perry Diehm, SNU; Lawrence Rosenborough, TCC; Alisha Smith, MTC; Matt Short, OSU- IT, **Room C**
2. **ROI on Financial Literacy** – Chris Campbell, Inceptia, **Room E**
3. **Emotional Intelligence: Managing our Relationships Personally & Professionally** - Kristy Johnson, **Room D**

Thursday, April 18, 2024

“LET’S SEE YOUR BEST ROCK ‘N’ ROLL LOOK, DRESS LIKE A ROCKSTAR!”

Keep Calm and Rock On

- 8:30 am – 11:00 am Registration Table Open
- 8:30 am – 9:30 am Networking Breakfast Buffet
- 9:15 am – 9:30 am **FAFSA Graduation Requirement** – Kelli Kelner, OCAP, **Room A/B**
- 9:30 am – 10:30 am **NASFAA Update: Top FAFSA Simplification Questions** – Karen McCarthy, VP of Public Policy & Federal Relations, **Room A/B**

Long Live Rock N Roll

- 10:30 pm – 11:00 pm *Break (beverages) and JAM with our Exhibitors*
- 11:15 pm -12:00 pm **MORNING BREAKOUTS**
1. **Verification 2024-25** – Panel - Janelle Zabel, OU-HS, Meghan Morgan, OCCC, Ashley Hernandez Torres, Meridian Tech, **Room C**
 2. **Hey...Focus! Finding Professional and personal success through managing your 'squirrel moments'** – Lou Murray, Earnest, **Room Everest**
 3. **OASFAA Leadership** – Want to be more involved? – Audra Main, Moore-Norman Tech, **Room E**
- 12:15 pm – 2:00pm **BANQUET LUNCHEON, Young Ballroom (Room A/B)**
- **Retiree Recognition** – Neesha Herring, OASFAA President, **Room A/B**
 - **OASFAA Awards** – Dustin Davidson, OASFAA President-Elect, **Room A/B**
 - **Keynote Speaker** – Jeff Wozer, 20+ years on the National Comedy Circuit, you must hear his funny, entertaining, and impactful message on Digital Wellness. **Room A/B**
- 2:15 pm – 3:00 pm **AFTERNOON BREAKOUTS**
1. **My Hat Rack is Full** – How to Prioritize Compliance at a small school – Sandra McKnight, OK Career Tech Financial Aid Specialist, **Room Everest**
 2. **How America Pays for College 2023** – Robb Cummings, Sallie Mae, **Room C**
 3. **New to Financial Aid? How can we help? Roundtable** - Holly Lee, NOC; Danielle Wellman, OBU; James Powers, UCO; and Melinda Simpson, MATC, **Room D**
- 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm *Break (snacks/beverages) and JAM with our Exhibitors*
- ### Encore, Encore, Encore!
- 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm **Networking Q&A’s**
- Clock Hour- Ashley Hernandez Torres, Meridian Tech, **Room E**
 - 4 Yr Public/Private- Lori Boyd, Oklahoma State University, **Room C**
 - 2 Yr – Tricia Duncan, WOSC, **Room Everest**
- 5:30 pm Dinner with Special Guest & Music Experience Entertainment – Lou Murray, Mission Upbeat, **Young Ballroom (Room A/B)**

Friday, April 19, 2024

“ROCK YOUR SCHOOL SHIRT”

8:30 am – 9:30 am Networking Breakfast Buffet

You are a Rock Star

9:30 am - 10:00 am **OASFAA Business Meeting** –Neesha Herring, OASFAA President, **Room A/B**
Passing of the Gavel and New President Welcome – Dustin Davidson, OASFAA President-Elect, **Room A/B**

10:00 am – 11:00 am **State Regents’ Legislative Update with Q & A** – Dr. Colbi Beam, **Room A/B**

11:15 am Conference Adjourns

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