Continuity in Shared Governance in Times of Leadership Change

April 27-28, 2017
Crown Plaza Hotel - Suffern, NY

Conference Agenda

**Thursday, April 27th**

11:00am – Noon  Conference Check-In

Noon – 1:00pm  Lunch, Welcome

12:30pm – 1:00pm  Welcoming Remarks
                   • Pete Knuepfer, President SUNY Faculty Senate
                   • Nina Tamrowski, President Faculty Council of Community Colleges
                   • Marc Cohen, President SUNY Student Assembly

Presentation of the Shared Governance Award

1:00pm – 2:15pm  Alex Cartwright – Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor

2:15pm - 2:30pm  Break

2:30pm – 3:45pm  First Concurrent Session
                   • Efficacy Amidst Turnover: Building Impactful Organizations with New Leadership
                   • The Role of Faculty Governance Towards Institutional Diversity and Inclusion
                   • Shared Governance: The Words are Easier than the Actions

4:00pm – 5:00pm  Keynote Speaker – Dr. Michael DeCesare, Merrimack College Chairman, Committee on College and University Governance American Association of University Professors

5:00pm – 5:45pm  Student Panel

6:00pm – 7:00pm  Reception

7:00pm – 8:00pm  Dinner

**Friday, April 28th**

8:00am – 9:00am  Breakfast
9:00am – 10:00am  
Keynote Speaker – Dr. David Maxwell, President Emeritus  
Drake University,  
Senior Fellow, Association of Governing Boards

10:00am-10:15am  
Break

10:15am – 11:30am  
Second Concurrent Session  
• Mentoring the Next Generation of Governance Leaders.  
  Taking advantage of routines, exceptions and challenges for  
  developing leadership and succession planning  
• How Can Faculty Become Involved in Administrative  
  Searches?  
• Examine the Campus Concept Committee Through the Lens  
  of Shared Governance  
• Standards of Excellence in Shared Governance  
• Presidential Transitions, or Nancy and Me

11:45 – 1:00pm  
Third Concurrent Session  
• Strengthening Shared Governance for SUNY’s Community  
  Colleges in Times of Transition  
• Community College Presidents  
• Development of a Rubric for Assessing Shared Governance

1:00 – 2:00pm  
Lunch

2:30pm  
Conclusion