

# YOUR GUIDE TO #NASPA23

## Center for First-generation Student Success

The 2023 NASPA Annual Conference is taking place in Boston, Massachusetts and virtually. Virtual attendees can expect an array of educational sessions in both live and pre-recorded formats which will include VLE in the location. NASPA Virtual Experience (VE) sessions will be accessible to individuals registered for the in-person conference in Boston as well as those registered for the NASPA Virtual Experience only.

### PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

#### FRIDAY, MARCH 31

12:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.  
*Omni-Momentum*

**First Scholars Leadership Academy** (By invitation only.)

#### SATURDAY, APRIL 1

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
*Omni-Momentum*

**First Scholars Leadership Academy** (By invitation only.)

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 2

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  
*Omni-Ensemble E*

**Pedagogical Approaches to Supporting First-generation College Students in Academic Settings** (Additional registration required.)

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
*Omni-Ensemble E*

**Creating Sustainable Institutional Structures to Advance First-generation Student Success** (For First-gen Forward and First Scholars institutions only.)

### CENTER NETWORKING RECEPTION

#### MONDAY, APRIL 3

7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
*Omni-Contemporary*

**Center Networking Reception** (RSVP required)

# CENTER SPONSORED SESSIONS

## MONDAY, APRIL 3

10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>BCEC - 153C</i>	<b>Successfully Navigating Professional Development as a First-generation Professional</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>VLE - Virtual Room 4</i>	<b>Systems and Programs to Support First-generation Graduate Students</b>

## TUESDAY, APRIL 4

11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. <i>BCEC - 203</i>	<b>Developing and Implementing Promising Practices and Programs for First-generation College Students</b>
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# FIRST-GEN SESSIONS

## MONDAY, APRIL 3

8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. <i>Westin-Douglass</i>	<b>Senior Leaders' Impact: Becoming Student-Ready for First-generation Students</b>
8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. <i>BCEC - 153C</i>	<b>Illuminating Pathways in Career and Workforce Preparation for First-generation, Underrepresented College Seniors</b>
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. <i>BCEC - Exhibit Hall B1</i>	<b>STEPping Into College: How the Student Transition and Engagement Program Supports Students in their First Year</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>BCEC - 205B</i>	<b>An Ecosystem Approach to Supporting First-generation Students</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Westin-Griffin</i>	<b>Understanding Inhospitable Aspects of the College Environment for First-generation Students</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>BCEC - 153C</i>	<b>Successfully Navigating Professional Development as a First-generation Professional</b>

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10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Westin-Lewis</i>	<b>First-generation Graduate Students and the Importance of Community Cultural Wealth</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Westin-Otis</i>	<b>First Scholars Network: Creating Scalable Solutions for First-generation Student Success</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Omni-Ensemble E</i>	<b>Building Blocks for Success: Strategies for Building an Impactful First-generation Student Program</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Westin-Carlton</i>	<b>Do You Hear Us?: Establishing Support for Black First-generation College Students</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Westin-Harbor Ballroom 3</i>	<b>One Size Does Not Fit All at MDC: Disrupting Institutional Practices for Equitable Educational and Life-long Opportunities.</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Westin-Harbor Ballroom 2</i>	<b>Pipeline Scholarship Program: Utilizing an Academic Success Support Framework for Underserved Urban College Students</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>BCEC - 102B</i>	<b>Measurable and Actionable First-gen Strategies through Scalable Peer Mentorship</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Westin-Marina 1</i>	<b>Life After a Doctoral Program in Higher Education and What Comes Next...</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>BCEC - 205A</i>	<b>Privilege and Partnership: Black Women Advocating for Undocumented Students</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>VLE - Virtual Room 4</i>	<b>Systems and Programs to Support First-generation Graduate Students</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>Omni-Marquee</i>	<b>Bridging the Gap: Charting Pathways to Completion for First-generation Students</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>Westin-Harbor Ballroom 1</i>	<b>"I'm First-generation, Low-Income, and Historically Marginalized. Like Actually First-generation."</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>Westin-Marina 3</i>	<b>Introducing Students to the Summer Introduction to Undergraduate Research Program (SIURP)</b>

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11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>Omni-Audition</i>	<b>The Intersection of First-gen Students, Career Readiness, and Leadership Development</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>BCEC - 154</i>	<b>Next Gen Student Success: Helping Students Succeed in Their Collegiate Endeavors and Beyond</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>Westin-Douglass</i>	<b>First-gen Confidence: Why It Matters and How to Build It</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>VLE - Virtual Room 9</i>	<b>College Seniors from Immigrant Families: New Research and Implications for Practice</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>BCEC - 204A</i>	<b>Engineering Peer Leadership Programs for Equity and Inclusive Excellence</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:20 p.m. <i>Westin-Marina 4</i>	<b>An Alphabet Soup of Programs Makes a Warm Welcome for First-Year Students</b>
2:30 p.m. – 3:20 p.m. <i>VLE - Virtual Room 7</i>	<b>Applying Strengths-Based Advising with First-generation Students</b>
2:30 p.m. – 3:20 p.m. <i>Westin-Alcott</i>	<b>The COVID-19 Pandemic's Impact on First-generation Undergraduate Students: A Mixed-Methods Study</b>
2:30 p.m. – 3:20 p.m. <i>Westin-Harbor Ballroom 2</i>	<b>The Blueprint: Triangulating Assessment Data to Support Low-Income, First-generation Students</b>
2:30 p.m. – 3:20 p.m. <i>VLE - Virtual Room 5</i>	<b>VE-First-generation Leaders: A Challenge to Build a Leadership Program and Curriculum</b>
2:30 p.m. – 3:20 p.m. <i>Westin-Grand Ballroom E</i>	<b>First Things First: How to Launch First-gen Week on Your Campus</b>
2:30 p.m. – 3:20 p.m. <i>Westin-Carlton</i>	<b>Empowering Liberal Arts Students to Create Their Own Social Capital</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>VLE - Virtual Room 4</i>	<b>First-generation College Students' Identities and Experiences: New Research</b>

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4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>BCEC - 102A</i>	<b>Data Enhances Support: Making Actionable Decisions about First-generation Student Experiences</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>Omni-Nouveau</i>	<b>Student Affairs Impact on the Success of First-generation and Other Special Student Populations</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>Omni-Ensemble F</i>	<b>Reimagining the First-generation Student Experience: An Alternative Linguistic Framework</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>Omni-Ensemble G</i>	<b>Culturally Relevant Leadership and Support for BIPOC and FLI Student Success</b>
4:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. <i>BCEC - Exhibit Hall B2</i>	<b>A Letter to my Younger Scholar: Everything Younger Me Needed to Hear When Entering Higher Education</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>Westin-Grand Ballroom E</i>	<b>From Labeling a Problem to Implementing Solutions: Using Mentorship to Address Institutional Inequities</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>Westin-Adams</i>	<b>ECHS and College Persistence: African American Male Students' Perceptions of Advantages and Challenges</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>BCEC - 204B</i>	<b>Career Development is Everyone's Business: Mapping the Future of Undergraduate Career Education</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>BCEC - 253C</i>	<b>Launching a Character-Based Education Initiative</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>BCEC - 251</i>	<b>El Puente Research Fellowship: Transforming Academia to Work for Underserved Students</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>Westin-Carlton</i>	<b>Creating Data-Informed Intervention Strategies to Combat First-Year Student Stress, Mental Health, and Loneliness</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>Westin-Marina 3</i>	<b>Indigenous Joy: Belongingness in STEM</b>
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m. <i>Omni-Surrealism</i>	<b>California State University, Dominguez Hills Case Study: Supporting First-generation Student Mental Health</b>
5:30 p.m. – 6:20 p.m. <i>VLE - Virtual Room 2</i>	<b>VE-First-generation Graduate Students and the Importance of Community Cultural Wealth</b>

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## TUESDAY, APRIL 4

8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. <i>BCEC - 102B</i>	<b>Low-Income, First-generation College Students' Experiences Navigating Social Class with Their Peers</b>
8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. <i>Westin-Grand Ballroom D</i>	<b>Creating a Policy Culture on Your Campus for Black First-generation Student Success</b>
8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. <i>BCEC - 152</i>	<b>Notes From the Field: Capturing the Practitioner-Focused Scholarship</b>
8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. <i>BCEC - 205B</i>	<b>The Chancellor's Career Fellows Program at Washington University: A Career Education Model for Low-Income Students</b>
8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. <i>Westin-Marina 1</i>	<b>Graduate Students Need Support Too</b>
8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. <i>Omni-Surrealism</i>	<b>Student-Ready Critical Care Pedagogy: A Teaching Approach to Support Student Academic Success</b>
8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. <i>BCEC - 253B</i>	<b>Project MALES: Intergeneration Mentoring to Degree Completion and Beyond</b>
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. <i>BCEC - Exhibit Hall B2</i>	<b>How Impostor Phenomenon Almost Broke Me, Then Made Me</b>
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. <i>BCEC - Exhibit Hall B1</i>	<b>STEPping Into College: How the Student Transition and Engagement Program Supports Students in their First Year</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Westin-Grand Ballroom E</i>	<b>Moving Through the Pipeline: Summer Science Transfer Experience</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Westin-Commonwealth C</i>	<b>Teaching First-gen Arts Students How to Tap into the Hidden Job Market</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. <i>Omni-Encore</i>	<b>Improving Outcomes Beyond Completion: An Equity Imperative</b>
11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. <i>BCEC - 203</i>	<b>Developing and Implementing Promising Practices and Programs for First-generation College Students</b>

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## TUESDAY, APRIL 4

11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. <i>Westin-Alcott</i>	<b>Rural Central Appalachian Identity and Sense of Belonging for First-generation Graduate Students</b>
11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. <i>Omni-Nouveau</i>	<b>Utilizing Research on First-generation Students of Color to Increase Sense of Belonging at PWIs</b>
11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. <i>BCEC - 154</i>	<b>Building a First-gen Campus-Wide Network of Support: Engaging Your Faculty and Staff</b>
11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. <i>VLE - Virtual Room 9</i>	<b>VE-Pipeline Scholarship Program: Utilizing an Academic Success Support Framework for Underserved Urban College Students</b>
11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. <i>Westin-Grand Ballroom D</i>	<b>The Bridge Beyond the Summer: A Semester-Long Transition Program for "At Risk" Students</b>
11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. <i>VLE - Virtual Room 10</i>	<b>VE-Privilege and Partnership: Black Women Advocating for Undocumented Students</b>
11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. <i>BCEC - 253C</i>	<b>No Place to Call Home: Addressing College Student Housing Instability</b>
11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. <i>BCEC - Exhibit Hall B2</i>	<b>Metamorphosis: How a shy, sheltered and introverted drop-out thought he could, so he did!</b>
3:00 p.m. – 3:50 p.m. <i>Westin-Harbor Ballroom 1</i>	<b>Talk That Talk and Walk That Walk: Support First-generation Student Success</b>
3:00 p.m. – 3:50 p.m. <i>Westin-Stone</i>	<b>Building an Engaged Community: Advancing Your Role in First-generation Student Success</b>
3:00 p.m. – 3:50 p.m. <i>Westin-Marina 2</i>	<b>Critical Community Dialogues: Furthering a Holistic Approach to Student Transition and Success in a First-gen Summer Bridge Program</b>
3:00 p.m. – 3:50 p.m. <i>Westin-Adams</i>	<b>U.S. Filipinos in Higher Education: Sense of Belonging, Validation, Well-being, and Campus Culture as Predictors of GPA and Intent to Persist</b>

# FIRST-GEN SESSIONS

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5

8:00 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. <i>BCEC - 102A</i>	<b>First-generation Leaders: A Challenge to Build a Leadership Program and Curriculum</b>
8:00 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. <i>BCEC - 253C</i>	<b>First-generation College Students Experiences, Expectations, and Outcomes: The Impact of Hope</b>
8:00 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. <i>BCEC - 153A</i>	<b>Leveraging Intra-Institutional Collaboration to Promote First-gen Graduate/Professional Student Success</b>
8:00 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. <i>BCEC - 205C</i>	<b>Practical Ways to Leverage The Summer Months To Support and Prepare Students in Their Transition Your Institution</b>