

# SPRING CONFERENCE

April 17 – April 19, 2023 Catamaran Resort Hotel and Spa San Diego, CA

Time	Event	Location
	Saturday, Sunday, April 15 & 1	16, 2023
	Leadership Academy for Deans and Directors Cohort 13 Training Sessions (see page 14-15)	Catamaran Resort Hotel and Spa 3999 Mission Boulevard San Diego, California 92109 www.CatamaranResort.com
	Sunday, April 16, 2023	
3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Check-In / Name Tag Pick Up	Outside Rousseau Center
4:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Session for New Deans, Directors, and Chairs  Moderators: Michelle Carney, University of Kansas Schnavia Hatcher, University of Alabama Stacey Kolomer, University of North Carolina, Wilmington	Rousseau Center
6:00 PM – 8:00 PM	NADD Board of Directors Meeting	Private Dining Room - Oceana Coastal Kitchen

Monday, April 17, 2023		
7:00 AM – 3:00 PM	Check-In / Name Tag Pick Up	Upstairs Foyer
7:00 AM – 8:00 AM	Yoga Class	On Site: Beach South
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Networking Breakfast  Co-Sponsors: Loyola University Chicago, School of Social Work University of Connecticut, School of Social Work Boston College, School of Social Work	Kon Tiki Ballroom
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	NADD Business Meeting  Martell Teasley, NADD President Carol Bonner, NADD VP and Program Chair Julie Miller-Cribbs, NADD VP of Communications Stacey Kolomer, NADD Treasurer Jon Singletary, NADD Secretary Robin Mama, Board Member, Chair of Nominating Committee	Kon Tiki Ballroom

Break 10:30 AM – 10:45 AM Sponsor: Temple University, School of Social Work Upsta	irs Foyer
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General Session  Racial Justice Training for Social Work Deans, Directors and Chairs, Part 1  California Conference for Equality and Justice (CCEJ) will facilitate a two session (morning and afternoon), 3-hour training series for the National Association of Deans and Directors of Schools of Social Work (NADD) focused on building essential knowledge and skills for advancing Racial Justice in their social work programs and universities.  Participants will reflect on their own personal experiences, values, and readiness to practice leadership for Racial Justice to increase equity and accessibility in their work areas. Additionally, participants will grapple with the challenges of engaging in Racial Justice work across differences in racial identity, experiences, power and privilege, and reflect on ways to build Solidarity to bridge these differences. CCEJ will provide participants with handouts during the trainings and will send slides after each session. Participants are expected to attend both the morning and afternoon sessions.  https://www.cacej.org/  Trainers: Kathleah Consul Pagdilao, MA (She/Her/Siya) Valerie Dickson (She/Her/Hers)	i Ballroom

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12:15 PM – 2:00 PM	Lunch on Your Own (Optional Regional Meetings)	
2:00 PM – 3:30 PM	General Session  Racial Justice Training for Social Work Deans, Directors and Chairs, Part 2  Trainers: Kathleah Consul Pagdilao, MA (She/Her/Siya) Valerie Dickson (She/Her/Hers)	Kon Tiki Ballroom
3:30 PM – 3:45 PM	Break Sponsor: Smith College, School for Social Work	Upstairs Foyer
3:45 PM – 4:45 PM	Licensing Task Force Meeting  Facilitators: Tamara Davis, Dean, School of Social Work, Indiana University Sheryl Kubiak, Dean, School of Social Work, Wayne State University	Boardroom
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5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Free Time and / or Informal Networking	
6:45 PM – 9:30 PM  (Please be at the dock on time at 6:45pm for the boat boarding)	Co-Sponsors: The University of Texas at Austin, Steve Hicks School of Social Work University of Pennsylvania, School of Social Policy & Practice (SP2) Ohio State University, College of Social Work University of Chicago, Crown Family School of Social Work, Policy, and Practice	William D. Evans Sternwheeler (Please be on time for the boat boarding)  The boarding begins at 6:45 pm!  The boat docks back at 9:30 pm
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8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Co-Sponsors: Monmouth University, School of Social Work University of Wisconsin-Madison, Sandra Rosenbaum School of Social Work University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Social Work	Kon Tiki Ballroom
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	General Session  NADD Acts: Updates from the Task Force on Licensing  Moderator: Sheryl Kubiak, Dean, School of Social Work, Wayne State University  Primary Presenters: Tamara Davis, Dean, School of Social Work, Indiana University Sheryl Kubiak, Dean, School of Social Work, Wayne State University  This session provides updates on efforts to remedy the ASWB exam issues across the country and report on the Task Force's Action Plan activities. A panel discussion follows brief updates to illuminate strategies in various states to overcome the hurdles associated with the exams.	Kon Tiki Ballroom
	Panelists (invited): Goutham Menon, Loyola University Chicago Jayashree Nimmagadda, Interim Dean, School of Social	

	Work, Rhode Island College Jacqueline Mondros, SUNY Stony Brook University	
10:30 AM – 10:45 AM	Break Sponsor: Clark Atlanta University, Whitney M. Young, Jr., School of Social Work	Upstairs Foyer
	Three Concurr	rent Sessions
10:45 AM – 12:15 PM	Concurrent Session - Lessons from Headlines: A Legal Update for Deans, Directors, and Chairs  Session Lead: Kathleen B. Rogers, Esq. Retired, SVP, General Counsel & Chief of Staff, Simmons University  Join Attorney Kathy Rogers for a discussion of some real-life legal issues playing out on today's campuses. Topics will include freedom of speech, religious freedom, defamation and tenure denial.	Toucan
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	Concurrent Session - Collaborative Fundraising: A	
	Cross-Departmental Approach to Donor	
	Engagement	
	Moderator: Jon Singletary, Dean, Diana R. Garland	
	School of Social Work, Baylor University	
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	of Michigan	
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	School of Social Work, University of Michigan	
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	Naelys Luna, Inaugural Dean, College of Social Work	
	& Criminal Justice, Florida Atlantic University	
	& Chimia Justice, Plonda Atlantic University	

	Tootie Martin, Director of Development, College of Social Work & Criminal Justice, Florida Atlantic University  Robin Mama, Dean, School of Social Work, Monmouth University  Beth Brody, Director of Development, Schools of Social Work and Education, Monmouth University	
12:15 PM – 2:00 PM	Networking Luncheon  Co-Sponsors: University of Michigan, School of Social Work Barry University, School of Social Work Syracuse University, School of Social Work	Beach North (Weather Back-Up: Kon Tiki Ballroom)
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	Moderator: Cathryn Potter, Dean, Rutgers School of Social Work	

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2:00 PM – 3:30 PM	Panelists: Judy Postmus, Dean, School of Social Work, University of Maryland David Flinchbaugh, Associate Dean for Development, University of Maryland, School of Social Work  Jo Ann Regan, Dean, National Catholic School of Social Service, Catholic University of America Kim Morton, National Catholic School of Social Service, Catholic University of America  Melissa Begg, Dean, School of Social Work, Columbia University Linara Davidson Greenidge, Associate Dean for Communication Strategy, Development & Alumni Affairs, Columbia University	Cockatoo
3:30 PM – 3:45 PM	Break Sponsor: University of Tennessee Knoxville, College of Social Work	Upstairs Foyer
3:45 PM – 5:00 PM	General Session  Faculty and Student Trends in Social Work Education  Social work deans and directors use programmatic data to advocate for more resources, to make decisions, and to highlight growth metrics to upper administration, and to external constituents. This presentation will identify programmatic trends in social work	Kon Tiki Ballroom

5:00 PM – 6:30 PM	Tanya Smith Brice, CSWE Vice President of Education  Informal Networking / Dinner on Own	
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	General Session			
	Strategies for MSW Academic Leadership Seeking to Disrupt Anti-Blackness			
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Panelists: Jodi L. Constantine Brown, MSW, Ph.D, Professor and Department Chair, CSUN Allen Lipscomb, LCSW, PsyD, Associate Professor and Director of Online Programs, CSUN Jolene Swain, MSW, Director of Practicum Education, CSUN Wendy Ashley, LCSW, PsyD, Professor and Associate Chair, CSUN (on-leave), Professor and Department Chair, CSUDH	Kon Tiki Ballroom		
	Becoming an antiracist social work program specifically addressing anti-Blackness requires self-awareness, critical consciousness and reflexive positioning to identify and disrupt microaggressions, implicit racist policies, practices and procedures, and white supremacist centered curriculum (Abrams & Gibson, 2013; Almeida, et al, 2019; Kendi, 2019), which is particularly difficult to navigate between white faculty and faculty of color (Blitz, 2008; DiAngelo, 2019). This interactive roundtable introduces a model for social work leadership seeking to develop an antiracist, anti-Blackness aware faculty, and give attendees an opportunity to engage in experiential practice activities. This session directly addresses the NADD Action Plan to Address Racism Goals 2.3b and 3.2 by providing training to membership, committing to			

	increasing BIPOC leadership in social work, giving membership tools to address racism in implicit and explicit curriculum, and developing antiracism pedagogy and skills in full and part-time faculty.			
10:30 AM – 10:45 AM	Break Sponsor: Fordham University, Graduate School of Social Service	Upstairs Foyer		
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