



**SEPTEMBER 24-28, 2023**

HYATT REGENCY CRYSTAL CITY AT REAGAN  
NATIONAL AIRPORT | ARLINGTON, VA

## 2023 NATIONAL HBCU WEEK CONFERENCE DRAFT SCHEDULE

### Sunday, September 24, 2023 • Pre-Conference

11 a.m.	<b>Kickoff HBCU Day of Prayer (Tentative)</b>
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	<b>Registration Check-In</b>
6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.	<b>Welcome Event &amp; Scholar Acknowledgment</b>

### Monday, September 25, 2023 • SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE- DAY 1

7:00 a.m.	Registration Check- In / Exhibit Hall
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	<b>Opening Ceremony</b>
9:31 a.m. – 9:59 a.m.	Networking and Transition to Breakouts

#### 10:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. **Concurrent Workshops**

6 Tracks	Objective
<b>Career Pathways and Economic Mobility</b>	This track is designed to maximize programs, resources, and initiatives that support the recruitment of HBCU talent, human capital, and career advancement opportunities.
<b>Research and Innovation</b>	This track is designed to expand research capacity and opportunities within federal agencies, private and nonprofit organizations for HBCUs. It is an opportunity to showcase innovation through partnerships that involve HBCUs, its faculty and its students.
<b>Economic Development</b>	This track will provide information on how HBCUs can leverage partnerships that advance opportunities to promote the economic wealth of the HBCU and the communities they serve.
<b>STEAM</b>	This track will explore evidence-based tools and innovative practices in Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics.
<b>HBCU Scholars**</b>	This track is tailored for the participation of the 2023-2024 HBCU Scholars.
<b>Executive Leadership**</b>	This track is tailored for the participation of HBCU Presidents and their invited executives.

11:15 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.	Networking and Transition to Breakouts
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	<b>Concurrent Workshops*</b>
12:30 p.m. – 1 p.m.	Networking and Transition to Lunch

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<b>1 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Keynote Luncheon</b>
<b>2:30 p.m. – 2:59 p.m.</b>	Transition to Breakouts
<b>3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Concurrent Workshops*</b>
<b>5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Keynote and EICA Presentation</b>

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## **Tuesday, September 26, 2023 • SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE- DAY 2**

<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	Registration Check- In / Exhibit Hall
<b>9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Keynote Morning Plenary</b>
<b>10:01 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.</b>	Transition to Breakouts
<b>10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Concurrent Workshops*</b>
<b>11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.</b>	Transition to Luncheon
<b>12:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.</b>	<b>Keynote Luncheon</b>
<b>1:45 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.</b>	Networking and Transition to Breakouts
<b>2:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Concurrent Workshops*</b>
<b>4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Federal Agency Meet &amp; Greet</b>
<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>HBCU Presidents' Off-Site Event (Tentative)</b>

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## **Wednesday, September 27, 2023 • SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE- DAY 3**

<b>8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>HBCU Presidents' Breakfast**</b>
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Exhibit Hall</b>
<b>9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Concurrent Workshops*</b>

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11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	<b>Exhibit Hall</b>
<b>12:30 p.m.</b>	Transition to Luncheon
<b>12:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Keynote Luncheon</b>
2:30 p.m.	Adjourn

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### Thursday, September 28, 2023 • SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE- DAY 4

7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Career Fair Set Up
9:30 a.m.	Career Fair Registration Check In
9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	<b>Current Student and Recent Graduate Career Fair</b>
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Professional Development Sessions

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