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OF SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

# 131st ANNUAL MEETING AND CONFERENCE

## *Educational Effectiveness through Accreditation*

DECEMBER 7-9, 2016

BOSTON MARRIOTT COPLEY PLACE  
BOSTON, MA



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# 131st NEASC Annual Meeting and Conference, December 7-9, 2016, Boston, MA

## DAILY EVENTS

Registration and IT Help Desk  
[Registration]

7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

7:00 a.m. - noon on Friday

Continental Breakfast [Ballroom Foyer]  
7:00 - 9:30 a.m.

Coffee service [Ballroom Foyer]  
7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

7:00 a.m. - noon on Friday

Morning Moves [Vineyard Room]  
Greet your day with some gentle Yoga stretching and breath flows. All are welcome; no special attire or prior experience needed.  
Instructor: Samantha Cameron  
6:30 - 7:15 a.m.

Open Networking Rooms  
[Hyannis and Yarmouth Rooms]  
These rooms will be available to all attendees for relaxing, networking, and charging electronics!  
7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
7:00 a.m. - noon on Friday

## NOTES

- All sessions take place on the **4th floor**
- Attendees are required to purchase a ticket for all sessions **highlighted in gold.**
- All sessions, Commission Business Meetings, and the NEASC Annual Business Meeting are open to all attendees unless indicated by *invitation only*.
- Hotel room check-out is **12 noon**; no late check out will be available.
- The hotel will provide **luggage storage on Friday, Dec 9th until 3:00 p.m.** in the **Tremont Room (1st Flr)**. Conference badges are required for drop off.

## WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7

7:30 - 9:15 a.m.

**Higher Education Assessment Workshops A, B, and C: Your Mission and Educational Effectiveness**

Workshop A - Small Institutions  
[Salon E]

Presenters: LeRoy P. Graham, Margaret N. Freije  
Moderator: David Quigley

Workshop B - Mid-Size Institutions  
[Salon F]

Presenters: Judith Turcotte, Veena Dhankher, Rebecca Lewis, Carl R. Lovitt, Glynis Fitzgerald, Yvonne Kochera Kirby  
Moderator: Robert L. Pura

Workshop C - Large Institutions  
[Salon G]

Presenters: Mary Ann Coughlin, Mary Loeffelholz  
Moderator: Coleen C. Pantalone

9:30 - 10:45 a.m.

**Higher Education Keynote #1**

News Flash

[Salon E]

Presenter: Scott Jaschik  
Moderator: David P. Angel

11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

**Higher Education Presidents Panel**

Looking to the Future

[Salon E]

Presenters: Ronald G. Cantor, Stacy L. Sweeney, Joanne Berger-Sweeney  
Moderator: Scott Jaschik

11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

**NEASC Board of Trustees Meeting**

[Salons H-I]

*By invitation only*

12:30 - 1:45 p.m.

**Network Luncheon: Hot Topics**

[Salon G]

Facilitated by CIHE Commissioners  
*Attendees are required to purchase a ticket.*

2:00 - 3:15 p.m.

**Higher Education Panel #1A**

Innovations in STEM Teaching

[Salon E]

Presenters: James Valles, Jennifer Frederick, Chris A. Kaiser, Robert Dickerman  
Moderator: Christine Ortiz

**Higher Education Panel #1B**

Optimizing Financial Capacity

[Salon G]

Presenters: Maureen A. Murphy, Kenneth B. Cody, Jonathan Paul  
Moderator: G. Timothy Bowman

3:15 p.m.

**Holiday Coffee Break** [Ballroom Foyer]

3:30 - 4:45 p.m.

**Higher Education Keynote #2**

Trends in Internationalization of Higher Education and Implications for Quality Assurance Work  
[Salons A-D]

Presenter: Hans de Wit

Moderator: Patricia Maguire Meservey

5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

**Higher Education Special Event**

The Capitol Steps [Salon F]

Enjoy this special brand of political satire presented through song parodies and skits.

6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

**Higher Education Reception**

[Salon E]



## THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8

7:30 - 9:30 a.m.

**CIHE Presidents Breakfast**

The Changing Shape and Direction of Policy in DC [Salon G]

*By invitation only*

Presenter: Terry Hartle

Moderator: Kenneth K. Quigley

8:00 - 9:15 a.m.

**Higher Education Panel #2**

Lighting Bridges Through Collaborative Spaces [Salon F]

Presenters: Paula Sturdevant Rees, Pradeep Sharma

**K-12 EdCamp**

[Salons C-D]

Presenters: CIE, CIS and CPS Staff

9:30 - 10:45 a.m.

**NEASC Keynote Address**

Exploring the Frontiers of Science and Human Potential [Salon E]

Presenter: Mae C. Jemison

11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

**Higher Education Panel #3A**

Thriving Inclusive Community [Salon G]

Presenters: Karen Hynick, Robbin Chapman, Norm Jones

Moderator: Peter J. Langer

**Higher Education Panel #3B**

Analytics, Strategic Planning and Risk [Salon E]

Presenters: Kelli Armstrong, Dawn Geronomo Terkla, Cidhinnia M. Torres Campos

Moderator: Abdallah A. Sfeir

**K-12: Teacher Teams: Powerful Engine of Change** [Salons H-I]

Presenter: Susan Moore Johnson

**K-12: Eight Trends in K-12 Education Today** [Provincetown]

Presenter: Kim Marshall

**K-12: The Road to Equity: Student-Centered, Mastery-Based Instruction to Transform Learning Outcomes**

[Salons J-K]

Presenters: Joseph Cirusuolo, Richard W. Kisiel, Susan Bell, Sharon Cournoyer

12:30 - 1:45 p.m.

**K-12 Luncheon for New Schools**

[Salons A-D] *By invitation only*

**Network Luncheon: Hot Topics**

[Salon F]

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2:00 - 3:15 p.m.

**Higher Education Panel #4A**

Liberal Education for Life [Salon G]

Presenters: Lee Cuba, Nancy Jennings, Suzanne Lovett, Joseph Swingle, Mary K. Grant

Moderator: Patricia Maguire Meservey

**Higher Education Panel #4B**

Student Panel: Program Improvement through Student Engagement [Salon E]

Presenters: Vincent Manno, Laura Wenk  
Moderator: Thomas S. Edwards

*In this "TED Talk" style session, students from Hampshire College and the Franklin W. Olin College of Engineering will share examples and experiences.*

**K-12: Teacher Collaboration as Powerful Learning Engine** [Salons H - I]

Presenter: Elizabeth City

**K-12: Making Technology Affordable for Schools** [Salons J - K]

Presenter: Harold O. Levy

3:15 p.m.

**Holiday Coffee Break** [Ballroom Foyer]

3:30 - 4:45 p.m.

**CIHE Business Meeting and Update from the Commission** [Salon G]

Presenter: David P. Angel

**K-12 Keynote**

The Storm Ahead: Navigating Education's Next Ten Years of Disruption  
[Salon F] Presenter: Will Richardson

5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

**NEASC Reception and Entertainment**

Featuring the Keros String Quartet

[Salon E]

Reception sponsored by



## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9

7:00 - 7:30 a.m.

**K-12 Commission Business Meetings**

CIE, PS-12 [Salon B]

CPS [Salon C]

CIS [Salon D]

7:30 - 8:00 a.m.

**NEASC Annual Business Meeting of the Corporation**

[Salon F]

8:00 - 9:15 a.m.

**Higher Education Plenary Address**

Thinking the Human in the Age of STEM

[Salon E]

Presenter: William D. (Bro) Adams

Moderator: Thomas C. Greene

**K-12: Designing a School Culture Capable of Innovation**

[Salons A-B]

Presenters: J. Timothy Richards, Jamie Feild Baker

**K-12: A Framework for Achievement**

[Salons C-D]

Presenters: Rod Fraser, Rachael Westgarth

**K-12: Follow-up Conversation with Will Richardson**

[Provincetown]

Presenter: Will Richardson

9:30 - 10:45 a.m.

**Higher Education Panel #5A**

What Does It Take to Have an Effective Board?

[Salon G]

Presenters: Richard D. Legon, Samuel W. Collins, Yves E. Bradley

Moderator: David L. Levinson

**Higher Education Panel #5B**

Bridging Silos

[Salon E]

Presenters: Katherine O'Dair, Deborah Harmon Hines

Moderator: Jacqueline Peterson

9:30 - 10:45 a.m.

**K-12 Keynote Address**

There Is Life After College  
[Salon F]

Presenter: Jeffrey J. Selingo

11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

**Higher Education Keynote #3**

Accreditation: Where Have We Been? Where Are We Now? Where Are We Going?  
[Salon E]

Presenter: Judith S. Eaton

Moderator: Harry E. Dumay

**K-12: Are Colleges Ready for Students and Are Students Ready for College?**

[Salons A-B]

Presenters: Karen Gross, Thomas W. Lovett  
Moderator: Peter C. Mott

**K-12: Promoting Authentic Learning through 21st Century Learning Conferences**

[Salons C-D]

Presenters: John Clements, Mary Ann Moran

**K-12: Building Momentum for Blended Learning**

[Provincetown]

Presenters: Jessie Butash, Adolfo Costa, Alan Tenreiro

*Note: Participants are asked to bring a device (Chromebook, laptop or iPad) and headphones to this session.*

12:30 - 2:00 p.m.

**NEASC Luncheon and Keynote Address**

The Press, The President, and Public Policy  
[Salon F]

Presenter: David Gergen

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**Awards Ceremony**

Presentation of the  
Richard J. Bradley Endowment Award  
Jacob Ludes III Leadership Award  
Charles W. Eliot Award

## WiFi/INTERNET

WiFi will be available throughout the conference space on the 4th floor of the hotel.

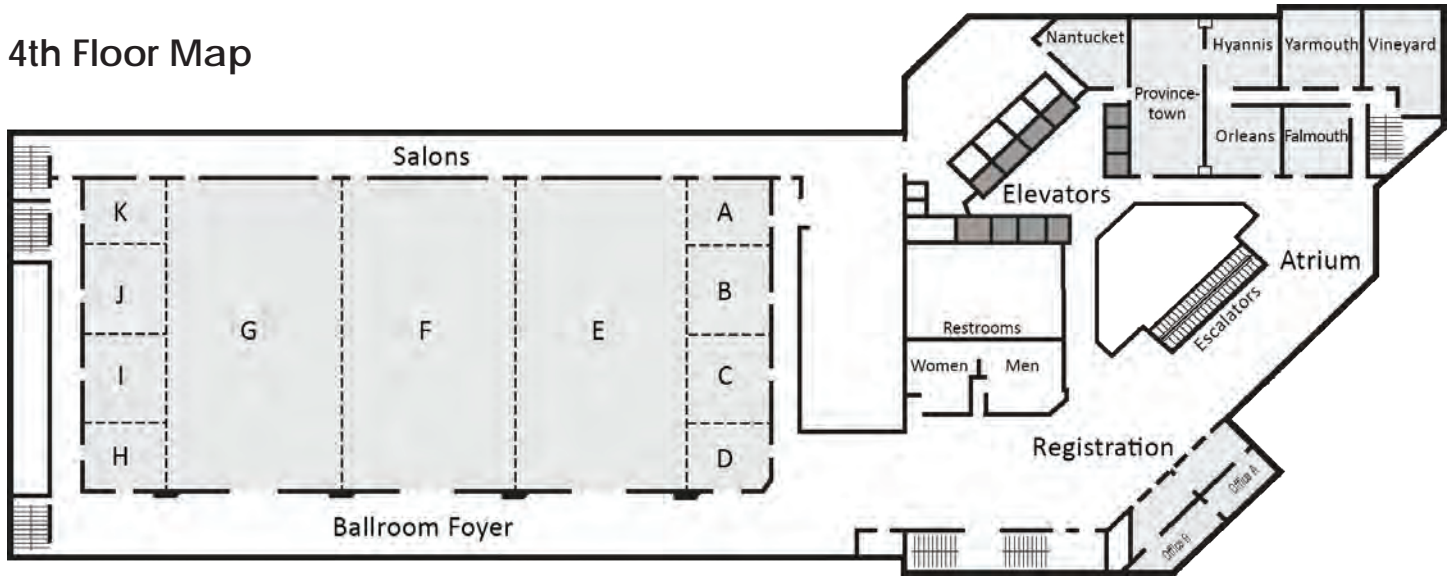
Conference WiFi network: **NEASC131**

Guest password: **neasc1885**

Complimentary WiFi is also available to guests of the hotel in their rooms. Please note that access to and support for the hotel's network is separate from the conference WiFi.

Save the dates for the 132nd Annual Meeting and Conference:  
December 13-15, 2017

## 4th Floor Map



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