2023 NEA ESP National Conference Agenda-At-A-Glance

PRE-CONFERENCE SCHEDULE
*Workshops and meals on Thursday, March 23, are for pre-conference registrants only.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8
8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. ET  Budget Engagement  Virtual
Noel Canadelaria, Secretary-Treasurer, National Education Association
Note: This meeting is scheduled for the Eastern Time zone.

TUESDAY, MARCH 21
7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. ET  First-Timers Networking  Virtual
Note: This meeting is scheduled for the Eastern Time zone.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  Registration

THURSDAY, MARCH 23
6:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  Registration
7:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.  Pre-conference Workshop Breakfast
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  Pre-conference Sessions
   I.  ESP State Staff Coordinators’ Meeting (By Invitation Only)
   II. Preventing Privatization by Building Power at the Local Level
   III. Becoming: Your Journey as a Leader
   IV.  A Day of SEL from Toxic Stress to Self-Care: How ESPs Can Survive and Advocate
   V.  Using True Colors to Reinforce a Year-Round Organizing Plan
   VI. Advancing Racial and Social Justice: Freedom, Liberation, and Joy. No Exceptions!
   VII. Self-Sacrifice vs Self-Care, Restorative Practices and Abolitionist Education

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.  Break
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.  Pre-Conference Workshop Lunch
3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.  Break
CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, MARCH 24

6:00 a.m. – 6:15 p.m. Registration

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Early Bird Workshops

I. Race & Racial Microaggressions and How They Impact Students and Education
II. Community Building through Ritual Poetic Drama, Drums and Movement – Introductory Work and Truth-telling
III. Becoming: Your Journey as a Leader
IV. Adult and Pediatric CPR, AED, and First Aid (Instruction in Spanish) Primeros Auxilios, RCP, y DEA para Adultos, Niños y Bebés (Instrucción en Español)
V. American Heart Association (AHA) Heartsaver First Aid, CPR, and AED Training
VI. Recruit, Retain, and Engage ESPs with an Organizing Lens
VII. Organizing and Strengthening Your Local Health and Safety Committee
VIII. Prioritizing Racial Justice and the Need for Anti-racist Educators
IX. True Colors - Understanding Yourself and Others
X. ESP Voices Take Charge in the Political Arena
XI. Healing, Help & Hope: Three Transformative Conversations
XII. Calling Others Into Community

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Break

12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m. Lunch on Your Own

1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. NCESP General Membership Meeting

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Conference Opening Session

Keynote Speaker
Princess Moss, Vice President, National Education Association

5:20 p.m. – 6:40 p.m. The Conciliation Project Presentation

6:40 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. ESP Conference Opening Reception

SATURDAY, MARCH 25
6:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.  Registration
6:45 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.  Breakfast
8:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.  Workshop Session I
10:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.  Workshop Session II
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.  Lunch/General Session
  
  Keynote Speakers
  
  Professor Margaret Newell, Ohio State University

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  Workshop Session III
6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.  ESP of the Year Award Dinner
  
  Keynote Speaker and Award Presentation
  
  Becky Pringle, President, National Education Association

**SUNDAY, MARCH 26**

7:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.  Registration
7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.  Breakfast
8:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.  Workshop Session IV
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  Closing Session
  
  Keynote Speaker
  
  Noel Candelaria, Secretary-Treasurer, National Education Association