

NCSA 2025 in Grand Rapids – Here’s the Lineup of BREAKOUT WORKSHOPS!

Listed on the next two pages are the titles and presenters for the Breakout Workshops that will be offered on Saturday December 7 to all registered attendees at our 2025 National Conference on Student Activities. There will be FOUR workshop segments of 45 minutes each, with a total of TWENTY-SEVEN choices!

The table below indicates which of the five **Conference Strands** below the workshop is primarily intended to address (shown with X); some workshops have been designed to address multiple strands (shown with a dot). More detailed workshop descriptions will be included in our **Conference App** powered by Sched – watch for an e-mail about how to access it on your phone!



HEIGHTEN your Student Activity programs with expanded opportunities for involvement and leadership!



OPTIMIZE your projects and processed by working smarter not harder as you improve the climate and culture of your school!



MARKET your activity programs with new and exciting ways to increase visibility, excitement, and participation!



EMPOWER your students and yourself with new skills and the confidence to lead!



SUPPORT your students, your programs, and yourself with resources and encouragement for success!



WORKSHOP TITLE	PRESENTER	STATE	CONFERENCE STRAND				
			HEIGHTEN	OPTIMIZE	MARKET	EMPOWER	SUPPORT
A Leader’s Path: Journey through the Emerging Leaders Course	Erika Bailey	MI	X				
Action Packed Leadership	Kyle Willkom	CO				X	•
Activity REVOLUTION! New Ideas to Engage TODAY’S Students	Scott Backovich	CA	•	•	X	•	•
Becoming Boundless — Fostering Student Mental Health & Advisor Wellness	Laura Rizo, Ed.D.	TX				•	X
Better Choices, Better Me	Kim Karr	CA			•	X	
Better Together: Student Leadership Collaboration Strategies that Work!	Kelley Cusmano	MI	X		•		
Building a Comprehensive Student Leadership Pipeline	Corey Stillwell	GA	•			X	
Building a Principal’s Cabinet: Elevating Student Voice and School Impact	Katie Keyes	TX	•	X		•	•
Building Spaces That Feel Like Home	Rashaan Davis	CO	•	X		•	
Camp Ahoy! Navigating the Waters of Summer Leadership Camp Planning	Jeff Culver	CA	X			•	
Energize Your Campus! Igniting Passion & Participation through School Events & Culture for Students & Faculty	Stephanie Vincent	SC	X			•	•
Engage, Connect, Reflect, Repeat	Kristin Grimm	NV	•	X			



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Ethics in Leadership - You Know the Why, Now Come Find the What and How!	Felix Yerace	PA				X	
Everything Is Awesome...Until You're in Charge! A New Student Council Advisor's Guide 2025	Wyatt Aping	NV	X				•
From First Invite to Forever Impact: Recruitment, Retention, and Relationships at Camp	James Layman	WA	•		X	•	•
From Sun Up to (well after) Sun Down - MASC Summer Camp	Chad Rizner	MO	•		X		
Hot Ideas for Cool Summer Workshops	Bryan Rudolph	NC	X			•	•
Impact Avalanche: Small Actions, Big Results	Trisha Bemboom	MN		•		•	X
Leadership By Design	Mike Smith	NE	•	X	•	•	•
Recognizing Your Student Council and Student Leaders at the National Level	Ann Postlewaite	MN	X				•
RSVP – Raising Student Voice and Participation	Lindsay Powers	NV	•			X	
School Culture Engineering: Ideas are Great, a System is Better!	Jason Jedamski	OK		X			
School Culture Revival – Jostens Renaissance	Dr. Phillip Campbell	MN	•	•	X	•	•
Skit Happens: Let's Organize a Real Meeting	Leanne Rohn	IL		X			
Student-Led, Experience-Driven	Sarah Weisbarth	MI	•			X	•
The Trust You Build When You Tell Your Story	Lucca Petrucci	CA				•	X
Understanding Your Connections: Mapping the Relationships Around You	Ann Postlewaite	MN				•	X

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Attendees to NCSA 2025 can earn **1 College Credit for ONLY \$85** through Fresno Pacific University! The course requirements will be to attend the sessions at NCSA 2025 and submit a log of specific workshops attended with key ideas presented. There will also be a few required recordings and a Zoom session afterward to complete the 15 hour requirement.



You can use the link below to access a variety of graduate credit offerings available through NA4SA (including the Foundations for Advisors and the NA4SA Academy) and to register directly with Fresno Pacific University for course #HBM-1692B:

<https://ce.fresno.edu/educator-workshops/open-enrollment-workshops/national-association-for-student-activities-na4sa/>

If you have any questions about this course or our graduate credit opportunities for Student Activity Professionals, please contact NA4SA course coordinator Tom Heethuis at theethuis@na4sa.org.