



Non-degree Credentials Research Network

Spring Conference Agenda

March 27-28, 2023

University Student Center at George Washington University
800 21st St. NW (3rd Floor – Grand Ballroom), Washington, DC 20052

Please note: This conference is **free** of charge thanks to the generous support of Lumina Foundation, but please [register](#) as soon as possible to secure your seat – there are an in-person and virtual options. Virtual attendees will receive a Zoom link by 3/24/23.

Day 1: Monday, March 27

8:00am	Continental Breakfast and Registration
9:00am	Welcome, Introduction of Participants, and Presentation/Discussion of Key Trends & Preliminary Report
9:45am	Global Developments in Data Collection and Public Policy Moderator: Thomas Weko (George Washington University). Speakers: Paul Kett (PriceWaterhouseCoopers; formerly UK Department for Education), Glenda Quintini (Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development)
11:15am	The Role of Skilled Technical Workforce Development in Federal Industrial Policy and Implications for Academic Research Moderator: Andrew Reamer (George Washington University). Speakers: Noah Brown (U.S Dept. of Education and Moderator, Education Subgroup, Telecommunications Workforce Interagency Group); Rachel Lipson (CHIPS Program Office, Commerce Dept.); Piper O'Keefe (DOE Office of Energy Jobs)
12:15pm	Lunch
1:15pm	Non-credit Higher Education: Research and Data Needs Moderator: Kyle Albert (George Washington University). Speakers: Ann Kellogg (Maryland Higher Education Commission), Julie Uranis (University Professional and Continuing Education Association), Michelle Van Noy (Rutgers University), Becky Klein-Collins and Lana Munip (Council for Adult and Experiential Learning)
2:30pm	Work-Based Learning Moderator: Kyle Albert (George Washington University). Speakers: Karen Elzey (Workcred), Amy Mackenroth (Dallas College), Lisa Lutz (Solutions for Information Design), Tingting Zhang (University of Illinois)
3:30pm	Non-degree Credentials, Socioeconomic Mobility and Labor Market Equity Moderator: Kenyatta Lovett (Communities Foundation of Texas). Speakers: Meena Naik (Jobs for the Future), Christine Barrow (Education Strategy Group), Colleen Malloy (Coursera)
4:30pm	Adjourn

Day 2: Tuesday, March 28

8:00am	Continental Breakfast
9:00am	Guided Discussion and Group Brainstorming Exercise: Priorities and Challenges for the Research Community
10:00am	Surprise Guest Speaker
10:45am	Innovations in Research and Data Infrastructure Moderator: Chris Mullin (Lumina Foundation). Speakers: Matthew Baird (LinkedIn), Shalin Jyotishi (Burning Glass Institute and New America), Jeannine LaPrad and Lindsey Cruse (National Skills Coalition), Rooney Columbus (University of Michigan)
12:00pm	Working Lunch: Finding and Preparing a Diverse Research Talent Pipeline Moderator: Holly Zanville (George Washington University). Speakers: Mark D'Amico (UNC Charlotte), Kathleen DeLaski (Education Design Lab), Michael Fung (Technologico de Monterrey)
1:30pm	Adjourn