

# 2026 COSUAA PROGRAM

**Dates: Sunday April 26-Wednesday April 29, 2026**

**Location: Kimpton Santo, San Antonio, TX**

## **Sunday, April 26, 2026**

- 9:00am
  - COSUAA Steering Committee Meeting (Steering Committee Members Only)
  - Meet in Lobby of Hotel
- 3:00pm-5:00pm
  - Hotel Check-In Location: Main Floor Lobby.
    - If you check in prior to 3:00pm, you may be subject to an early check in fee of \$25. However, the hotel will take your bags prior to that.
  - Registration Location: Outside of Espada Ballroom
- 5:00pm-6:00pm
  - Free social hour in hotel lobby (wine and beer)
- 6:00pm - 7:30pm
  - Welcome Reception: Dean's Historic Courtyard
  - Enjoy a pre-conference visit with your colleagues (your guests are welcome to join). This is an especially good opportunity for first-time conference participants to meet others and feel at home at COSUAA. Hors d'oeuvres are provided.

## **Monday, April 27, 2026**

- 8:00am-9:00am
  - Registration and Breakfast
  - Location: Meeting Room A
  - OPTIONAL Table Topic Discussion on One Stop Shops
    - Join Shashanta James from Western Michigan University as she leads a roundtable discussion on One Stop Shops! This will take place in the same room as breakfast and is an optional gathering if you have questions about One Stop Shops or want to share details about your One Stop Shop experience.
- 9:00am-9:30am
  - Opening Remarks and Introductions
  - Michelle Trame, University of Illinois, COSUAA National Chair
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- 9:30am-10:45am
  - Presentation: Inside the Beltway with Melanie Storey, NASFAA
  - Moderator: Valerie Miller, Ohio University
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- 10:45am-11:00am
  - Morning Break
- 11:00am-12:00pm
  - Panel: Institutional Scholarship Practices

- Panelists: Celena Tulloss, Auburn; Robert Clarke, University of Texas at Dallas, Nancy Ferguson, University of Georgia
- Location: Espada Ballroom
- 12:00pm-1:00pm
  - Lunch
  - Location: Meeting Room A
- 1:00pm-2:30pm
  - Presentation: Using Data to Support Modern Learners with Bryan Ashton, Trellis Strategies
  - Moderator: James Broscheit, Montana State University
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- 2:30pm-2:45pm
  - Afternoon Break
- 2:45pm-3:45pm
  - OpenForum/Daily Debrief
  - Moderator: Silvia Marquez, UC San Diego
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- 4:00-5:30pm
  - COSUAA Mixer (optional)
  - Hospitality Suite Location: Room 223
- 5:00pm-6:00pm
  - Free social hour in hotel lobby (wine and beer)
- 6:00pm
  - Dinner on your own

## **Tuesday, April 28, 2026**

- 7:00am-8:00am
  - Breakfast
  - Location: Meeting Room A
- 8:00am-9:00am
  - Panel: Innovative Uses of AI in Higher Education
  - Panelists: Jennifer Love, University of Texas at Austin; Erika Cox, University of Texas at San Antonio; Kerline Eglus, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- 9:00am-10:00am
  - Panel: Fighting Fraud in Financial Aid
  - Panelists: Nick Prewett, Stonybrook University; Betsy Johnson, Bowling Green State University; Anna Terfehr, University of Wyoming
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- 10:00am-10:15am
  - Morning Break
- 10:15am-11:30am
  - Presentation: ACE Update, Jon Fansmith, ACE
  - Moderator: Katie Conrad, Georgia Tech
  - Location: Espada Ballroom

- 11:30am-1:00pm
  - Lunch and Annual Business Meeting
  - Location: Meeting Room A
- 1:00pm-2:15pm
  - Presentation: Federal Update, Kerri Moseley-Hobbs, FSA
  - Moderator: Ben Montecillo, University of Houston
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- 2:15pm-2:30pm
  - BREAK
- 2:30pm-3:30pm
  - Open Forum/Daily Debrief
  - Moderator: Brad Barnett, JMU
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- 4:00pm-6:00pm
  - COSUAA Mixer (optional)
  - Hospitality Suite Location: Room 223
- 5:00pm-6:00pm
  - Free social hour in hotel lobby (wine and beer)
- Dinner on your own

### **Wednesday, April 29, 2026**

- 8:00am-9:00am
  - Breakfast
  - Location: Meeting Room A
- 9:15am-10:30am
  - Presentation: Craig Lindwarm, APLU
  - Moderator: Bridgette Ingram, Texas A&M
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- 10:30am-11:00am
  - Final Open Forum: connect on topics!
  - Moderator: Emily Haynam, University of Missouri
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- 11:00am
  - Closing Remarks
  - Michelle Trame, University of Illinois, COSUAA National Chair
  - Location: Espada Ballroom
- Check Out of Hotel is at 12:00pm