



SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, JULY 29 - SUNDAY, JULY 31

NOTE TO PARTICIPANTS

Delegates are expected to attend all events of the conference and to share what they learn with their chapters. Your participation as a chapter leader is very important to the success of your chapter!

Handouts for all sessions are online at www.mortarboard.org/conference.

If you have questions or concerns at any time during the conference, please find a national representative, such as a staff member, National Council member, section coordinator or conference assistant. The onsite National Office will be located in Registration Booths A and B on the hotel's main floor.

PRECONFERENCE WORKSHOP: THURSDAY, JULY 28, 2011

7:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. Chapter Solutions Workshop - Chicago Ballroom F

FRIDAY, JULY 29, 2011

8 a.m. - 3 p.m. LEAD: Leadership Excellence and Advisor Development - Salons 9-10

11 a.m. - noon Preconference workshops

- Achieving a Competitive Edge: Resume Writing and Interviewing - Grand Ballrooms 5 and 6
- Launching an Online Company: Entrepreneurship, New Technologies, and Communication - Grand Ballroom 7

Noon - 6 p.m. Conference registration - Registration Booths A and B

Noon - 3 p.m. Exhibit Hall - Chicago Ballrooms E and F

1 - 2 p.m. Student rep orientation - Higgins

FRIDAY, JULY 29, 2011, CONT'D.

1 - 2 p.m.

Preconference workshops

- Achieving a Competitive Edge: Professionalism and Networking - Grand Ballrooms 5 and 6
- Applying to and choosing a graduate school - Grand Ballroom 7

2 - 2:30 p.m.

Committee meetings

- Governance committee - Higgins
- Credentials committee - Grand Ballroom 7
- Resolutions and recommendations committee - Chicago Ballroom G
- Nominations committee - Grand Ballroom 3

3 - 3:30 p.m.

Welcome to the 2011 Mortar Board National Conference! National President Daniel Turner, presiding - Chicago Ballrooms A-D

3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Making Relationships Matter, by David Coleman - Chicago Ballrooms A-D

4:45 - 5:45 p.m.

General session: Mortar Board 101 - Chicago Ballrooms A-D

5:45 - 6:45 p.m.

Pizza dinner with our vendors - Chicago Ballrooms E and F, foyer

6:45 - 7:45 p.m.

Section meeting I (please see section meeting locations listed on the back)

8 - 8:45 p.m.

Business meeting I - Chicago Ballrooms A-D

9:30 p.m. - midnight

Mortar Board Weekend Kick-Off Party presented by GEICO - Grand Ballroom 4

Please see reverse for Saturday and Sunday schedule, section meeting locations and a map of the hotel.

SATURDAY, JULY 30, 2011

- 7 – 8 a.m. Breakfast roundtables - Grand Ballroom 4
- 8 – 9:30 a.m. Leading Leaders, with David Coleman - Chicago Ballrooms A-D
- 9:45 – 11 a.m. General session: Membership recruitment and selection - Chicago Ballrooms A-D
- 11 – 11:30 a.m. Group picture - Chicago Ballrooms E and F
- 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. Reading is Leading Luncheon - Grand Ballroom 4
- 1 – 2:45 p.m. Chapter operations, sessions I and II
There will be two sessions offered. Session I is from 1 - 1:45 p.m. Participants can then select a different topic for session II, which runs from 2 - 2:45 p.m.
 - Programming for your chapter's alumni - Grand Ballroom 1
 - Chapter Fundraising - Grand Ballroom 2
 - Creating BUZZ: Visibility, social media, and more - Grand Ballroom 3
 - Developing your leadership potential (presented by Teach for America) - Grand Ballroom 5
 - Best Practices for your Virtual Book Drive (presented by First Book) - Grand Ballroom 6
 - Serving your alma mater - Grand Ballroom 7
 - Motivating your Mortar Board chapter - Salon 8
 - Wiggio : A simple online group tool to manage all your Chapter needs (presented by Wiggio) - Salon 9
- 3 – 3:45 p.m. Section meeting II
- 3:45 – 4 p.m. Networking snack attack - Chicago Ballroom foyer
- 4 – 5:30 p.m. Business meeting II - Chicago Ballrooms A-D
- 6:15 – 7 p.m. Prebanquet reception - Grand Ballrooms 1-3
- 7 – 9 p.m. Candlelight banquet - Grand Ballrooms 4-7

SUNDAY JULY 31, 2011:

- 8:30 – 9:45 a.m. Conference Capstone Breakfast
Lecture: On Leadership, by Carolyn Y. Woo - Grand Ballroom 4
- 10 – 10:30 a.m. Section meeting Phase III
- 10:45 – 11:15 a.m. Tapping, orientation, and initiation general session - Chicago Ballrooms A-D
- 11:15 – 11:45 a.m. Business meeting III and Closing Session - Chicago Ballrooms A-D

SECTION MEETING LOCATIONS

- Section 1: Grand Ballroom 2
- Section 2: Grand Ballroom 2
- Section 3: Grand Ballroom 3
- Section 4: Grand Ballroom 3
- Section 5: Grand Ballroom 3
- Section 6: Presidential Suite
- Section 7: Grand Ballroom 5
- Sections 8 and 9: Grand Ballroom 6
- Sections 10 and 11: Salon 9
- Section 12: Higgins
- Section 13: Salon 8
- Section 14: Grand Ballroom 7
- Section 15: Chicago Ballroom G
- Section 16: Grand Ballroom 1
- Section 17: Chicago Ballroom G
- Section 18: Salon 10
- Sections 19 and 20: Grand Ballroom 5
- Section 21: Salon 10
- Section 22: Grand Ballroom 7
- Section 23 and 24: Grand Ballroom 6
- Section 25: Grand Ballroom 1

MAP OF MAIN FLOOR

