



# International Student Program Conference 2021 Schedule

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## Sunday October 10<sup>th</sup>

- 5:30PM: Shuttle Leaves Holiday Inn
- 5:30-6PM: Check In, Connect with Sponsors, Mingle with Attendees
- 6-7PM: Dinner and Opening Remarks
- 7:00-7:45PM: Keynote Address: "Resilience and Self Care" - Pam Bult

## Monday October 11<sup>th</sup>

- 8:15AM: Shuttle Leaves Holiday Inn
- 8:30AM: Breakfast at Crossroads
- 9:30-10:30AM: Session #1
  - Academics: "Academic Language and Vocabulary" - Mary Perley
  - Admissions and Recruitment: "Advising International Students on the College Search Process: What Are Colleges Looking At" - Jim Crawley
  - Program Essentials: "Learning from Mistakes & Engaging in Life Giving Reminders from Scripture" -Naomi Peyton
- 10:45-11:45AM: Session #2
  - Student Care and Support: "Give Your International Students a Voice!" - Gay Bennett
  - Academics: "Creating & Cultivating Christ-centered Kingdom Fellowship: How to build and sustain a safe and honoring classroom (and school) for international students."- Matt Dominguez
  - Admissions and Recruitment: "Developing Pathway Programs to Universities as a Recruitment Tool" - Bryant Kong
  - Program Essentials: "10 Things a Principal Should Know and Do to Support an International Program" - Kori Hockett
- 12:00-1:00PM: Lunch at Crossroads
- 1:15-2:00PM: Session #3
  - Wheaton Academy International Student Panel

- 2:15-3:15PM: Session #4
  - “International Program Directors Panel” - Lorenzo Pablo, Gay Bennett, Naomi Peyton, Julie Watson
- 3:30-4:00PM: Connect with Cohort
- 4:15PM: Shuttle Back to Holiday Inn
- Dinner on your own

## Tuesday October 12<sup>th</sup>

- 8:15AM: Shuttle Leaves Holiday Inn
- 8:20AM: Breakfast at Crossroads
- 9-10AM: Session #5
  - Student Care and Support: “Recruiting, Training, and Evaluating Your Host Family Team” - Julie Grant
  - Academics: “10 Strategies for Communicating with Chinese Parents” - Rochelle Yang
  - Program Essentials: “International (F-1) Student Lifecycle for Private K-12 Schools” - Saskia Hofman (SEVIS)
- 10:15-11:15AM: Session #6
  - Student Care and Support: “Medical and Mental Health Needs of International Students” - Julie Grant
  - Academics: “Always Be Prepared to Give an Answer for the Hope That You Have...” Q&A Session on Teaching Worldview in a Safe, Honoring Way to International Students” - Matt Dominguez
  - Admissions and Recruitment: “A New Era for International Student Recruitment” - David Rivera and James Brannon
  - Program Essentials: “Creating a ‘Built to Last’ International Program” - Lorenzo Pablo
- 11:30AM-12:00PM: Connect with Cohort
- 12:00-12:15PM: Closing Remarks
- 12:45PM: Shuttle Back to Holiday Inn