



Concurrent Enrollment Partnerships: A Bridge to College Completion

An Oklahoma Concurrent Enrollment Summit

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9:00 am to 3:30 pm

University of Central Oklahoma
Nigh University Center

100 North University Drive
Edmond, Oklahoma 73034

AGENDA

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| 9:00—9:50 | Welcome and Keynote
Adam Lowe, Executive Director |
| 10:00—10:50 | Morning Breakout Sessions |
| 11:05—11:55 | Leadership Panel |
| 12:00—1:15 | Lunch Message
Chancellor Glen D. Johnson |
| | Concurrent Enrollment
Legislative and Policy Revision |
| 1:30—2:20 | Afternoon Breakout Sessions |
| 2:35—3:25 | Student Panel |
| 3:25—3:30 | Closing |

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Adam Lowe is the first **Executive Director of the National Alliance of Concurrent Enrollment Partnerships (NACEP)**, helping to steer a previously all-volunteer professional organization through a time of growth and transition. During his nine years with the organization, NACEP's institutional membership has doubled and national conference attendance has more than tripled. Under his leadership, NACEP's accreditation services have professionalized to align with best practices and are more widely recognized by states, institutions, and professional organizations, with the number of accredited programs doubling. Through its network of members and affiliated chapters, the organization is expanding its reach by hosting state and regional professional development events throughout the year.

For the decade prior to joining NACEP, he was an education policy consultant for a variety of universities, nonprofit organizations and state and federal agencies in Washington, D.C. and Indiana. In Indiana he assisted in launching new, innovative high schools for the Center of Excellence in Leadership of Learning (CELL) at the University of Indianapolis with funding from the Gates Foundation. His previous consulting contracts include the University System of Georgia, Indiana Department of Education, The Mind Trust, City of Indianapolis, Ball State University, National Association of Charter School Authorizers, and the former D.C. State Education Office. He holds a Masters in Public Affairs from Indiana University.



Adam Lowe, Executive Director



NATIONAL ALLIANCE OF
CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT
PARTNERSHIPS

MORNING BREAKOUT SESSIONS

10:00—10:50

Innovations that Broaden College Access

Ballroom

Unique partnership programs designed for success with students who are younger, first-generation, qualified using multiple measures for admission, or ready to focus on a career.

- Tulsa Community College—Dr. Cindy Hess, Senior Vice President and Chief Academic Officer
- Union Early College High School—Lisa Witcher, Senior Executive Director of Instructional Services
- Broken Arrow Public Schools—Dr. Janet Dunlop, Superintendent
- Northeastern State University—Dr. Debbie Landry, Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs
- Sallisaw High School—Jeremy Jackson, Superintendent
- Connors State College—Dr. Robin O'Quinn, Vice President for Academic Affairs
- Oklahoma Panhandle State University—Dr. Julie Dinger, Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs

The Nuts and Bolts of Administering Concurrent Enrollment Programs

Carl Albert Room 300

How to address FERPA issues, parent and partner communications, MOUs, student withdrawal notifications, eligibility checks, early grade alerts and other best practices learned through experience.

- Tulsa Community College—Lissa Steadley, Director of Concurrent Enrollment Programs and Mary Cantrell, George Kaiser Family Foundation Endowed Faculty Chair for Concurrent Enrollment

Using Technology to Increase Access to Concurrent Enrollment

Robert S. Kerr Room 301

The pros and cons of various technologies such as Zoom, ITV, and on-line courses and how they are utilized to benefit students.

- Seminole State College—Dr. Tom Mills, Vice President for Academic Affairs
- Redlands Community College—Amy Graham, Director of Student Services
- Southwestern Oklahoma State University—Sherron Manning, Dean, Sayre Campus
- Rose State College—Jan Bugby, Director of Academic Outreach

LEADERSHIP PANEL

11:05—11:55

Developing Partnerships for Concurrent Enrollment Efficiency and Student Success

Ballroom

Partnerships develop at the speed of trust. Leaders will discuss how a culture of collaboration—joint planning, cost sharing, open communication, and student focus—builds a sustainable program.

- Tulsa Community College—Dr. Cindy Hess, Senior Vice President and Chief Academic Officer
- Union Public Schools—Dr. Kirt Hartzler, Superintendent
- Northeastern State University—Dr. Debbie Landry, Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs
- Broken Arrow Public Schools—Dr. Janet Dunlop, Superintendent
- Connors State College—Dr. Robin O'Quinn, Vice President for Academic Affairs
- Oklahoma City Community College—Dr. Kim Jameson, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs

Dr. Glen D. Johnson, Chancellor



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Assistant Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs

Concurrent Enrollment Legislation and Policy Revision Highlights

AFTERNOON BREAKOUT SESSIONS

1:30—2:20

The Importance of Creating a College-Going Culture at High School

Carl Albert Room 300

High school leaders will discuss how they have fostered a collegiate mentality and a college-going culture. Issues such as embracing Advanced Placement and Concurrent Enrollment, expanding access to middle-level students, incorporating college prep for all, and facility utilization will be discussed.

- Enid University Center—Dudley Darrow, Principal
- Union Collegiate Academy and ECHS—Lisa Witcher, Senior Executive Director of Instructional Services
- Deer Creek College at the Creek—Melissa Jordan, Principal

Ensuring Concurrent Enrollment Counts

Ballroom

A panel will discuss transcripting, degree maps, and the OSRHE Course Equivalency Project, as well as articulation agreements with transfer institutions and the impact of weighted grading and Advanced Placement issues.

- OSRHE Degree Completion Initiative—Kyle Foster, Assistant Director of Academic and Student Affairs
- State Department of Education—Kristin Atchley, Director of Counseling
- Deer Creek High School—Cindy McCachern, Counselor
- Sequoyah High School—Kim Livingston, Director of GT/Concurrent Enrollment
- Moore Public Schools—Kristy Hernandez, Director of Student Services

Preparing for College Success

Robert S. Kerr Room 301

A panel will present ideas about how to best prepare students for college through orientation, transition courses, summer bridge programs, support for online courses, and sustained advising.

- TCC/Union ECHS—Cynthia O'Donnell, Monica Carreno, Lori Mayberry, Mary Cantrell
- Panhandle State ECHS—Dr. Julie Dinger, Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs
- OSRHE—Lisa Nelson, Director of Student Preparation

STUDENT PANEL

2:35—3:25

Student Panel

Ballroom

Students will share their experiences with concurrent enrollment and its impact.

- Student Panelists

CLOSING

3:25—3:30 | Ballroom

LUNCH ADDRESS



Dr. Glen D. Johnson is the chief executive officer for the **Oklahoma State System of Higher Education**. Johnson leads a state system comprised of 25 state colleges and universities, 11 constituent agencies, two university centers, and independent colleges and universities coordinated with the state system. He reports to a constitutional board

whose nine members are appointed by the governor and confirmed by the Senate.

Johnson provides leadership on matters relating to standards for Oklahoma higher education, courses and programs of study, budget allocations for institutions, fees and tuition, and strategic planning. He is responsible for an annual higher education budget in excess of \$1.9 billion as well as the state endowment fund, with a market value over \$664.2 million. He is responsible for OneNet, which is Oklahoma's most advanced technology network designed to provide the infrastructure to support high-speed broadband services, as well as the Oklahoma College Assistance Program, which has guaranteed more than one million student loans exceeding \$2.5 billion in insured debt. Johnson directs 20 statewide scholarship programs.

Johnson became eighth chancellor of the Oklahoma State System in January 2007 after a national search. Before assuming the role of chancellor, Johnson served as the 16th president of Southeastern Oklahoma State University in Durant for 10 years, during which time he implemented an \$85 million capital campaign to construct six new campus buildings, including a new student union, arena and convocation center, and biological sciences building.

Johnson served as director of public policy and adjunct professor of law at the University of Oklahoma College of Law. Prior to his work at OU, Johnson served in the Oklahoma House of Representatives from 1982 to 1996 and was speaker of the House from 1990 to 1996. At the time of his election as speaker, he was the youngest-sitting speaker in the United States.

Johnson has been recognized both statewide and nationally as a strong, untiring advocate for funding for education, both secondary and higher education, in Oklahoma. During his term in the House, Johnson was instrumental in the passage of HB 1017, Oklahoma's landmark education reform legislation. He authored Senate Bill 180 in 1988 that created the Endowed Chairs Program and spearheaded the opportunity to use \$14 million from the proceeds of the higher education bond issue for OneNet. In 1992 he was principal House author of HB 2428, the \$350 million higher education bond issue.

TECHNICAL MATTERS

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