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AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Noon-4:30 p.m. **LACES Training:** Shannon Stangis
(Bismarck Career Academy and Tech Center, BSC Campus, 1221 College Drive, Bismarck, ND)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

7:30 a.m. **Registration**
8:00 a.m. **Welcome:** NDALL President, Marcy Beck
(Brynhild Haugland Room)
8:10 a.m. **Comments:** DPI Superintendent, Levi Bachmeier Video
(Brynhild Haugland Room)
8:15 a.m. **Annual NDALL Membership Meeting**
(Brynhild Haugland Room)
8:45 a.m. **Break**
9:00 a.m. **Dr. Brandy Logan** – The Power of Possibility: When Education, Opportunity and Belief Change Lives
(Brynhild Haugland Room)
11:00 a.m. **AEFL Week Group Photo**
11:15 a.m. **Awards Presentation**
(Brynhild Haugland Room)
12:00 p.m. **Lunch** (Memorial Hall)
1:15 p.m. **SESSION ONE: Breakouts**

- **ESL SESSION:** Dr. Brandy Logan
(Brynhild Haugland Room)
- **GED UPDATES:** Liz Lanphear (Fort Union Room)
- **WORKFORCE CERTIFICATIONS:**
Joe Camisa, Train ND (Peace Garden Room)
- **DIRECTORS MEETING** (Lewis and Clark Room)

2:00 p.m. **Break**

2:15 p.m. SESSION TWO: Breakouts

- **JP3 PROGRAM:** Amy Arenz and Aimee Maxon, JSND (Brynhild Haugland Room)
- **ND OFFICE OF REFUGEE UPDATES:**
Nichole De Leon (Fort Union Room)
- **FUEL STUDENT DRIVE:** Purely Persistent
(Peace Garden Room)

3:00 p.m. **Break**

3:15 p.m. **Thad Shunkwiler** – Uppers, Downers, and All-Arounders: Understanding Young Adult Drug Use (Brynhild Haugland Room)

4:30 p.m. **Wrap up**

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

8:00 a.m. **Announcements** (Brynhild Haugland Room)

8:15 a.m. **Round-table Discussions**

- **GED** (Brynhild Haugland Room)
- **EL** (Fort Union Room)

9:15 a.m. **Break** – Silent Auction closes at 9:30 a.m.

9:30 a.m. **Breakouts**

- **OVERCOMING ADULT LEARNING CHALLENGES:**
Essential Education (Brynhild Haugland Room)
- **CITIZENSHIP UPDATES:** Author Lynne Weintraub
(Peace Garden Room)
- **DESIGNING LEARNING THAT WORKS:**
Ashley Coles, Cindy Heaney and Siri Penn
(Fort Union Room)

10:15 a.m. **Break**

10:30 a.m. **QPR Training:** Kamile Moderegger, NDSU Extension (Brynhild Haugland Room and Peace Garden Room)

12:00 p.m. **Announcements** (Brynhild Haugland Room)

12:15 p.m. **Wrap Up**

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