

HACU Ninth PreK-12 Higher Education Collaboration Symposium

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The PreK-12/Higher Education Collaborative Symposium is a pre-conference event focusing on high impact collaborative practices implemented between colleges, universities, school districts and the community that have led to systemic change. This one day event will feature three panel discussions and a Fireside Chat.

The Symposium benefits higher education leaders, PreK-12 educators/administrators and other community stakeholders to be able to promote and empower their communities to implement collaborative practices utilizing the resources and connections highlighted during the Symposium.



Growing the Hispanic Educator Workforce

Moderator



Montserrat Garibay

Deputy Assistant Secretary and Director,
Office of English Acquisition, Department
of Education

Panelists



Ligia Alberto, Ed.D.

Assistant Professor of Education
Felician University



Joshua Villalobos

Dean of Instructional Programs
El Paso Community College- Mission del
Paso Campus

Fireside Chat



Antonio Flores, Ph.D.,
President and CEO
HACU

Creating a College-Bound Culture and Supporting Transitions to College

Panelists



Asa Gordon

Director of College and Career Readiness
East Aurora School District 131



Yudi Lewis

Executive Director of HSI Initiatives Weber
State University



Nasha Torrez, J.D.

Dean of Students
University of New Mexico



Ted Alejandro

San Bernardino County
Superintendent of Schools

Building Academic Alliances and Collaborative Partnerships

Moderator



Patricia Trujillo, Ph.D.

Deputy Cabinet Secretary of New Mexico
Higher Education Department

Panelists



Cristina Alfaro Ph.D.

Associate Vice President of International
Affairs, Professor of Multilingual and Global
Education
San Diego State University



Lisa Dallacqua, Ph.D.

Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum,
Instruction, Assessment and Grants
East Aurora School District 131



Mónica Ramos, Ed.D.

Associate Director and Adjunct Professor
DePaul University

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