Conference Program
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Schedule of Events

8:00 AM – 8:30 AM
Check-In & Community Time ................................................................. Plains

8:30 AM – 9:00 AM
Breakfast with Your Advisor ................................................................. Plains

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM
Welcome & The First Pancake (Casey Peterson) ............................ Plains

10:15 AM – 11:30 AM
Critical Friends Discussions
   Session 1 (Daisy Figueroa / Dana Davis) .................................... Hidatsa
   Session 2 (Emily Bublitz / Lisa Johnson) ..................................... Mandan
   Session 3 (Kay Hopkins / Andrea Hein) ............................... Peace Garden
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11:45 AM – 12:15 PM
Faculty Features ................................................................................ Plains

12:15 PM – 1:15 PM
Lunch with EDP Alumni .................................................................... Plains

1:15 PM – 2:30 PM
Speed Geeking ................................................................................ Plains

2:30 PM – 2:45 PM
Break

2:45 PM – 3:45 PM
Roundtable Sessions
   Session 1 (Dominique Speer / Corina Todoran) ......................... Hidatsa
   Session 2 (Brooke Thiel / Amanda Henry) ................................. Mandan
   Session 3 (Brian Rook / Tino Simon) ........................................ Peace Garden
   Session 4 (Amanda Groom / Emily Frazier) ............................ Plains
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3:45 PM – 4:00 PM
Closing Activity & Wrap-Up ................................................................ Plains
Critical Friends Discussions  
(10:15 AM – 11:30 AM)

*** Materials for all Critical Friends sessions are available online at ndsu.edu/edp/fallconference. ***

The First Pancake

Using Abundance Mindset to Improve Group Dynamics and Performance  
  Casey Peterson

10:15 AM to 11:30 AM

Session 1 / Hidatsa

Are Teachers in the Midwest Up for the Challenge?  
  Daisy Figueroa

Is Job Shadowing Still a Viable Option in Healthcare Career Development?  
  Dana Davis

Session 2 / Mandan

Do We Really Have to Take This Class? Tell Me How You Really Feel  
  Emily Bublitz

Articulating the Educational Expectations of Ourselves in Serving Indigenous Students  
  Lisa Johnson

Session 3 / Peace Garden

What is the Bottom Line on Staff Morale?  
  Kay Hopkins

Essential Knowledge: Says Who?  
  Andrea Hein
Roundtable Sessions
(2:45 PM – 3:45 PM)

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Session 1 / Hidatsa

It’s Metaphors All the Way Down  
Dominique Speer

The Implications of Advising Relationships in Doctoral Education  
Corina Todoran

Session 2 / Mandan

Making the Jump: What Factors Lead Agricultural Education Instructors to Adopt innovative Ideas?  
Brooke Thiel

Implementing MTSS at the Secondary Level Utilizing a Concerns Based Approach  
Amanda Henry

Session 3 / Peace Garden

Followership: A Study Exploring the Variables of Exemplary Followership  
Brian Rook

The ROPES Rubric: A Guide to More Focused Training  
Tino Simon

Session 4 / Plains

Assessing the Relationship between Nursing Program Outcomes and Student Motivation  
Amanda Groom

Implementing Amnesty: A Contemporary Issue in Sexual Assault Policy Development  
Emily Frazier
Student Milestones

New Doctoral Degree Recipients

In the previous academic year, the following individuals have successfully defended their dissertations:

**Mitch Wolden, Ph.D.**
Dissertation: Predicting Success on the National Physical Therapy Examination: A Systematic Review of the Literature and Random Effects Meta-analysis

**Jeanne Frenzel, Ph.D.**
Dissertation: A Critical Analysis of the Entrepreneurial Orientation, Trait Emotional Intelligence, and Entrepreneurial Services Offered by Pharmacists in the Upper Midwest.

**Lizzie Crowston, Ph.D.**
Dissertation: A Heuristic Inquiry: Examining the Negotiations of Identity, Self and Border Crossings of Rural Female Teachers in North Dakota

**Simeon Edosomwan, Ph.D.**
Dissertation: The Perceptions of Education Doctoral Students and Graduates Concerning Their Experiences of Thriving During the Transition to Independent Researchers

**Corina Todoran, Ph.D.**
Dissertation: Figured Worlds: A Comparative Analysis of International Doctoral Students’ Experiences in the U.S. Academic Setting

**Andrea Ramstad, Ph.D.**
Dissertation: “Can We Help?”: Students’ Reflections on their Public Speaking Anxiety and Teacher Immediacy

**Joshua Behl, Ph.D.**
Dissertation: Education is Too Complex to Simply be Complicated: Repellors, Attractors, and the Interconnectedness of Things

New Doctoral Students

The EDP welcomes the following individuals who were admitted for the Fall 2018 semester:

- Jenn Faul
- Mel Fierstine
- Omar Mandour
- Tara Nelson
- Kathleen Swanson
- Chris Wilson
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