Alfred P. Sloan Minority Ph.D. Program Agenda
2022 Conference at the Institute for Teaching and Mentoring

Note: Consult the SREB Event app for session meeting room.

Thursday, October 27
5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Orientation for Sloan Scholars, Sloan Graduates, UCEM Leaders and Faculty (ALL SLOAN)

International
Salon 9-10

Topic: How to Maximize Your Time at the Institute
Presiding: Lorelle Espinosa, Program Director, DEI in STEM Higher Education
Presenter: Simone Douglas-Greene, Georgia Institute of Technology Sloan Scholar (’20)
Presenter: Cody Gonzalez, The Pennsylvania State University Sloan Scholar (’21)
Presenter: A. Andrew Jones, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Sloan Scholar (’18)

6:45 – 8:30 p.m. Welcome Reception and Networking Event (ALL SLOAN)
A601-602

Topic: Welcome Address
Presiding: Lorelle Espinosa, Program Director, DEI in STEM Higher Education

Friday, October 28
7 - 8:30 a.m. Breakfast meeting for Alfred P. Sloan Graduate Scholarship Program, Sloan Graduates, UCEM Leaders and Faculty (ALL SLOAN)
Imperial
Salon A

Topic: Life after the PhD: A Journey from Postdoc to Department Chair
Presiding: Veronica Zepeda, Program Director, Sloan Scholars Mentoring Network, Social Science Research Council, Brooklyn, NY
Presenter: Steven Damo, UC Berkeley Sloan Scholar (’06), Chair, Department of Life and Physical Sciences, Fisk University

11 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Sloan UCEM Leaders Meeting I
M301

Topic: Diversity and the Law in Uncertain Times — Where are We and What’s Next?
Presiding: Lorelle Espinosa, Program Director, DEI in STEM Higher Education
Presenter: Travis T. York, Director, Inclusive STEM Ecosystems for Equity & Diversity (ISEED), American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS)
Presenter: Jamie Lewis Keith, Partner, Education Counsel LLC
Friday, October 28, continued

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2:30 – 4:30 p.m. Sloan UCEM Leaders Meeting II
Topic: Building a Community of Practice I
Presiding: Carmen Sidbury, Senior Director, Research, NACME Inc.
Facilitator: Pamela Legett-Robinson, Executive Director, PLR Consulting

Saturday, October 29

8:30 - 9:30 a.m. Plenary Session II

9:45 - 11:15 a.m. Sloan UCEM Leaders Meeting III
Topic: Preparing Diverse Scholars for the Professoriate: Lessons Learned from the Dissertation Institute
Presiding: Carmen Sidbury, Senior Director, Research, NACME Inc.
Presenter: Stephanie G. Adams, Dean and Lars Magnus Ericsson Chair, Erik Jonsson School of Engineering and Computer Science, The University of Texas at Dallas

11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m. Sloan UCEM Leaders Meeting IV
Topic: Building a Community of Practice II
Presiding: Carmen Sidbury, Senior Director, Research, NACME Inc.
Facilitator: Pamela Legett-Robinson, Executive Director, PLR Consulting

4 - 6 p.m. Sloan Networking Event (All Sloan Scholars)
Sloan Networking Event (Sloan Directors/Faculty)

Sunday, October 30

8:30 - 9:45 a.m. Closing Session for Sloan Scholars, UCEM Leaders and Faculty (ALL SLOAN)
Topic: A Journey from Engineering Scholar to National Leader
Presiding: Lorelle Espinosa, Program Director, DEI in STEM Higher Education
Presenter: M. Brian Blake, President, Georgia State University

9:45 - 11:30 a.m. SREB Institute Brunch and Closing Session (ALL SLOAN)
Presiding: Ansley Abraham, Director, SREB-State Doctoral Scholars Program, Southern Regional Education Board, Atlanta, GA