VETERAN SERVICES CONFERENCE & MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2019

The following is a list of Veteran Services conferences, symposiums and meetings that may be of interest to Texas A&M University System members.

NAME: Student Veterans of America 10th Annual National Conference
PURPOSE: Theme = SVA's National Conference (NatCon) is the largest annual gathering of student veterans, advocates, thought-leaders, stakeholders, and supporters in higher education in the world.
DATE: January 3-5, 2019
LOCATION: Orlando, FL
DESIGNATED LODGING: Disney's Coronado Springs Resort, Orlando, FL
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: June 8, 2018
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: https://ww2.eventrebels.com/er/Registration/StepRegInfo.jsp?ActivityID=25573&StepNumber=1

NAME: 2019 CCME Professional Development Symposium
PURPOSE: Theme = Expanding Pathways: Influencing Relevant Outcomes. CCME is an active proponent for the professional development of those serving in the military education community by providing a forum for the exchange of information on educational programs, strategies and innovation among its members and associated partners.
DATE: January 21-24, 2019
LOCATION: Austin, TX
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: 16 September 2018
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: https://secure3.rhq.com/ccme/ccme19/attreg/index.cgi

NAME: 2018 NASPA Symposium on Military-Connected Students
PURPOSE: Hosted by the NASPA Veterans Knowledge Community to generate the dissemination of knowledge in support of the college success of student veterans. Practitioners and scholars alike will find an engaging home among this caring group of professionals and scholars.
DATE: 7-9 February 2019
LOCATION: Las Vegas, NV
DESIGNATED LODGING: Renaissance Las Vegas Hotel https://www.naspa.org/events/2019SMCS#venue
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: 14 September 2018
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: https://www.naspa.org/events/2019SMCS#

NAME: 45th Annual TACVPO Conference Texas Association of Colligate Veteran Program Officials (TACVPO)
PURPOSE: To help educate staff members at educational institutions across the state of Texas who provide assistance to veterans and their family members that are using Veterans Benefits from the state of Texas or the Department of Veteran's Affairs.
DATE: March 5-8, 2019
LOCATION: Beaumont, TX
DESIGNATED LODGING: MCM ELEGANTE, 2355 I-10 SOUTH, BEAUMONT, TX 77705
https://www.reseze.net/servlet/SendPage?hotelid=1353&skipfirstpage=true&page=1984221
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: December 14, 2018
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: https://www.tacvpo.com/Registration-Form

NAME: Texas Veteran Education Benefit Processing Workshop (By Invitation)
PURPOSE: Workshop facilitated by school certifying officials to share best practices with the other institutions across the State of Texas.
DATE: 10-11 April, 2019
LOCATION: College Station
DESIGNATED LODGING: TBD
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: TBD
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: Email invitation
NAME: American College Health Association Annual Meeting
PURPOSE: Theme = Elevating Well-Being
DATE: May 28 – June 1, 2019
LOCATION: Denver, CO
DESIGNATED LODGING: Sheraton Downtown Denver
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: September 10, 2018
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: Opens January 2019
https://acha.org/AnnualMeeting19/Registration/AnnualMeeting19/Registration_and_Fees.aspx

NAME: Western Association of Veterans Educations Specialist (WAVES)
PURPOSE: Serve the needs and interests of veterans, faculties and administrators in the member institutions...... Foster communication and cooperation between all concerned and interested institutions and agencies on matters affecting the education of veterans and other eligible persons.
DATE: 8-10 July 2019
LOCATION: New Orleans
DESIGNATED LODGING: Sheraton
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: unknown
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: TBD

NAME: TAMU & UT System Annual Military and Veteran Education Support Symposium
PURPOSE: Theme = Measuring Student Veteran Success
DATE: October 1-3, 2019
LOCATION: College Station, TX
DESIGNATED LODGING: Texas A&M Hotel & Conference Center - https://www.texasamhotelcc.com/
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: NA
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: TBD

NAME: 2019 NASW/TEXAS STATE CONFERENCE
PURPOSE: Join more than 1,000 social work professionals at the largest social work conference in the Southwest!
DATE: October 3-5 2019
LOCATION: Galveston, Texas
DESIGNATED LODGING: TBD
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: TBD
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: TBD

NAME: National Association of Veterans' Program Administrators (NAVPA)
PURPOSE: To connect with an organization of institutions and individuals who are involved or interested in the operation of veterans' affairs programs and/or the delivery of services to veterans as school certifying officials across the country.
DATE: October 14-17 2019
LOCATION: Oklahoma City, OK
DESIGNATED LODGING: Renaissance Hotel
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: TBD
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: TBD

NAME: Southern Association of Colleges and Employers, Inc. (SoACE)
PURPOSE: Network with career services and college recruiting colleagues and to get up-to-date information on trends and issues affecting the profession.
DATE: ~December, 2019
LOCATION: TBA
DESIGNATED LODGING: TBD
PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS DUE: TBD
CONFERENCE/REGISTRATION LINK: TBD