

TCCIA 2022

SUMMER LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE



OMNI LA MANSION DEL RIO
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS



NEW MINDSET

A message from the president...

Welcome to the 2022 TCCIA Summer Conference. We aim to inspire and to educate as we serve our respective community college students throughout the state of Texas. As Texas community college instructional leaders, we understand our vital role in changing our student's lives for the better. This year's theme, "New Mindset, New Results," focuses on bringing community college leaders together to discuss legislative changes, higher education trends, and share best practices while networking with other instructional practitioners.



This will be our first post-pandemic conference and we all know the pandemic created change which must lead to new mindsets. As top leaders in higher education, we must work together to strategically approach higher education in its current state with a new mindset to achieve the results needed for the success of our students and our great state.

We are excited about our outstanding presenters and our Texas community college partners sharing their excellent work.

As president, it has been my goal to keep this organization united to continue the collegiality and networking in a post-pandemic time and introduce new instructional leaders to the benefits of learning from one another. We have survived! However, we must ALL work to keep our membership growing and unified to continue our mission and educating the state of Texas.

Thank you for connecting with TCCIA and we hope you have a wonderful conference.

2019-2022 TCCIA PRESIDENT
Donna McDaniel, Ph.D.
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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Donna C. McDaniel". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.



NEW RESULTS

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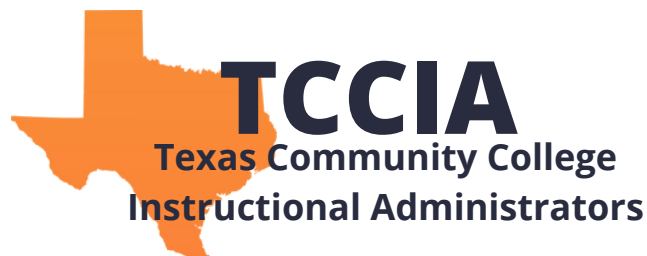
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Conference Schedule

SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2022

- 10:00 – 11:30 **Board Meeting** (3rd Floor-San Jose//Board Members Only)
Noon – 3:00 **Registration** (5th Floor-Madero Foyer)
2:30 – 3:00 **Welcome & General Information** (5th Floor-Madero Ballroom)
3:00 – 3:45 **Building a Talent Strong Texas, followed by Q&A**
Presenter Elizabeth Mayer, THECB Assistant Commissioner, Academic and Health Affairs
- 3:45 – 4:15 **Day's Wrap-up**
4:30 – 5:30 **President's Reception** (4th Floor-Veramendi)



MONDAY, JUNE 6, 2022

- 7:30 – 11:00 **Registration** (5th Floor-Madero Foyer)
7:30 – 8:30 **Breakfast** (5th Floor-Madero)
8:30 – 9:45 **On the Heels of Covid, What's Next in HE?**
Round Table Discussion led by Dr. Dava Washburn & Dr. Donna McDaniel
- 9:45 – 10:00 **Break**
10:00 – 11:00 **"Managing Transfers in Texas" an Interactive Presentation**
Presenter Dr. Fred Hills, McLennan College
- 11:00 – 11:15 **Break**
11:15 – 12:45 **Awards Lunch - Ray Williams Leadership Award** (1st Floor-El Capistrano)
"A New History of Old Texas"
Keynote Speaker – Brandon Seale, Podcaster/President, Howard Energy Ventures
- 12:45 – 1:00 **Break**
1:00 – 2:30 **Having A Good Time Discussing Contact Hours** (5th Floor-Madero)
Presenters, Dr. Anahid Petrosian, Dr. Brett Millan, and Ms. Christina Cavazos
- 2:30 – 2:45 **Break**
2:45 – 4:00 **Summary of Conference Discussion & Day's Wrap-up**
4:00 – 6:00 **Networking & Dinner on Your Own**

TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 2022

- 7:30 – 8:30 **Breakfast** (5th Floor-Madero)
8:30 – 10:00 **Texas Success Center Hot Topic Round Table Discussions**
CAO group led by Dr. Martha Ellis (3rd Floor-San Jose)
Instructional Leaders group led by Kristina Flores (5th Floor-Madero)
- 10:00 – 10:15 **Break**
10:15 – 11:00 **Texas Success Center Summary & General Update** (5th Floor-Madero)
11:00 – 12:00 **Conference Wrap-up & TCCIA Business Meeting and Election of Officers and Board Members**

Building a Talent Strong Texas



Elizabeth Mayer

Ms. Elizabeth Mayer joined the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board in May 2020 as its Director of Policy and in February 2022, became its Assistant Commissioner for Academic and Health Affairs. Ms. Mayer leads the Academic Health Affairs (AHA) Division, which provides leadership, guidance, expertise, and resources to improve the efficiency and quality of higher education in Texas. The AHA Division promotes the goals of the agency's refreshed strategic plan, Building a Talent Strong Texas, and facilitates collaborative solutions with Texas higher education institutions. Under her leadership, the division develops new degree and certificate programs that are responsive to workforce needs, encourages quality and equity across the higher education landscape, and drives student completion. AHA is also responsible for the administration and management of more than \$200 million in grant funding to support Texas public higher education.

Ms. Mayer began her career in higher education at the Coordinating Board in 2008 as a Program Director. In 2013, she joined the staff at UT System where she served as a Senior Research and Policy Analyst focusing on issues of affordability, dual credit, transfer, and educator preparation. Ms. Mayer has a Master's in Public Affairs from the LBJ School of Public Affairs at The University of Texas at Austin and a bachelor's degree in International Relations and Diplomacy from Seton Hall University.

"A New History of Old Texas"

Keynote Presenter



Brandon Seale

Born in Abilene and raised in San Antonio, Brandon went to work in the oilfield in 2003 in Laredo, Texas. He soon after moved to Monterrey, Mexico where he would go on to drill the first wells operated by Americans in México since 1938, including their first Eagle Ford well. Back in school in Austin, Brandon started and later sold a successful solar company, before returning to the oilfield in time to experience the full glory of the Eagle Ford boom and the opening. With degrees in Philosophy, Law, and Business, Brandon writes and records stories about the residents of the borderland and about the comic and occasionally tragic intersection of Texas and Mexican cultures. By day, he serves as the President of Howard Energy Ventures, overseeing Howard Energy's business lines in hydrogen, carbon capture, and Mexico.

Texas Success Center Hot Topic Round Table Discussion



*Dr. Martha
Ellis*

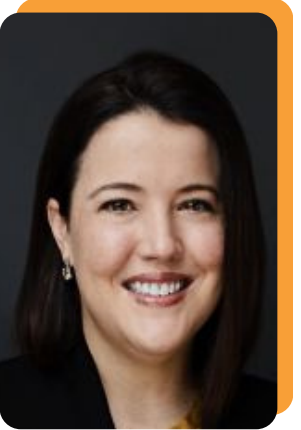
Martha M. Ellis, Ph.D. is Interim President and CEO of the Texas Association of Community Colleges and President of Mellis LLC, a consulting firm bringing deep experience, substantive knowledge, and research-based innovation to leaders as they confront the challenges and opportunities facing higher education today and in the future. Ellis is a Texas Pathways Coach for the Texas Success Center, Achieving the Dream Leadership Coach, and professor of practice at the University of Texas at Austin.

Previously, Martha was Managing Director for the Charles A. Dana Center at the University of Texas at Austin. Before joining the Dana Center, Dr. Ellis was Associate Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs for the University of Texas System. Martha has 35 years of experience in community colleges in Texas and New Mexico including two college presidencies, provost, chief information officer, undergraduate dean, and faculty member. Ellis has won numerous teaching awards, has scholarly publications, and is an invited speaker at national conferences. Ellis was recognized by the U. S. Congress and Texas House of Representatives for her leadership in higher education.

Dr. Ellis chaired the Appeals Committee for the Commission on Colleges for the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. She was on the Board of the American Association of Community Colleges and the Executive Committee of the Texas Association of Community Colleges. She was a member of the Commission on Women in Higher Education for the American Council of Education and the Board of Educational Affairs for the American Psychological Association. She was president of the Association of Texas Colleges and Universities. Martha has volunteered on various chamber, economic development, and hospital boards.

Martha lives in Austin with her husband Steve.

Texas Success Center Hot Topic Round Table Discussion



*Kristina
Flores*

As the Director of Research and Evaluation, Kristina supports the mission of the Texas Success Center by implementing all research and evaluation processes. She manages internal and external collaborations to ensure projects are high quality, action-oriented, equity-focused and aligned with the Texas Pathways Knowledge Development Agenda. Additionally, Kristina manages Center databases and performs and supervises quantitative and qualitative analyses. She composes reports and other research deliverables, communicates findings with stakeholders, and informs the creation of training, technical assistance, and professional development for Texas Pathways colleges.

Prior to her roles at the Texas Success Center, Kristina taught mathematics for 15 years in high school and community college classrooms. During her 11 years at Austin Community College, she served as assistant dean of academic courses, developmental math advisor, and campus math contact to support improvements in the student experience. Kristina holds a baccalaureate degree in Mathematics from Georgetown University and a master's degree in Mathematics from New York University. She is a Ph.D. candidate in STEM Education at the University of Texas at Austin.

Awards

- 2019 – Dr. Dava Washburn, Vice President of Instruction, Grayson College
- 2017 – Dr. Jo-Carol Fabianke, Vice Chancellor for Academic Success, Alamo Colleges
- 2016 – James Henry Russell, President, Texarkana College
- 2015 – Dr. Dani Day, Vice President for Academic and Workforce Development and SACS Liaison, Collin College
- 2014 – Dr. Pam Quinn, Provost, The LeCroy Center, Dallas County Community College District
- 2013 – Dr. Catherine O'Brien, Associate Vice Chancellor for Learning and Assessment, San Jacinto College
- 2012 – Dr. Donetta Goodall, Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Student Success, Lone Star College System
- 2011 – William Thompson, Vice President of Innovation, TSTC-West Texas
- 2010 – Dr. Rex Peebles, Vice President of Instruction, Midland College
- 2009 – Dr. Lillian Cook, Vice President of Instruction, Panola College
- 2008 – Ray Williams, Vice President of Instruction, Trinity Valley Community College

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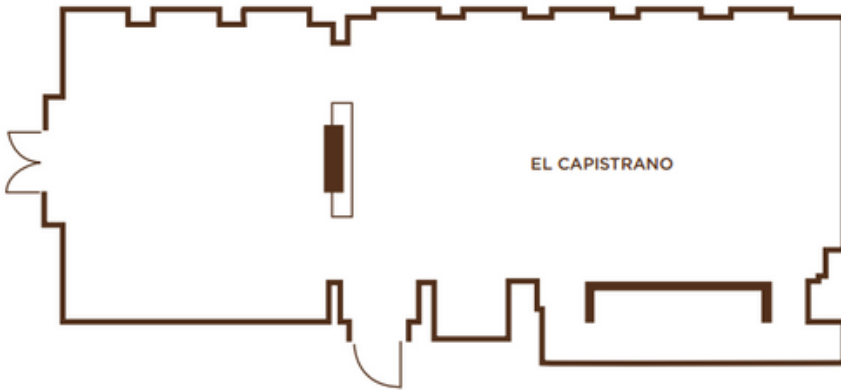
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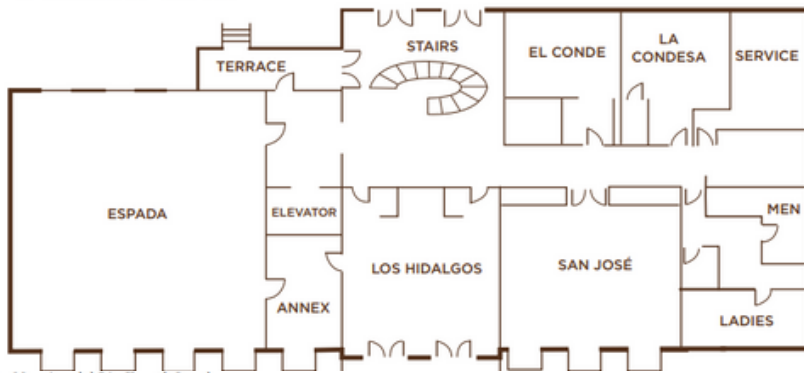
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First Floor

Monday-Lunch

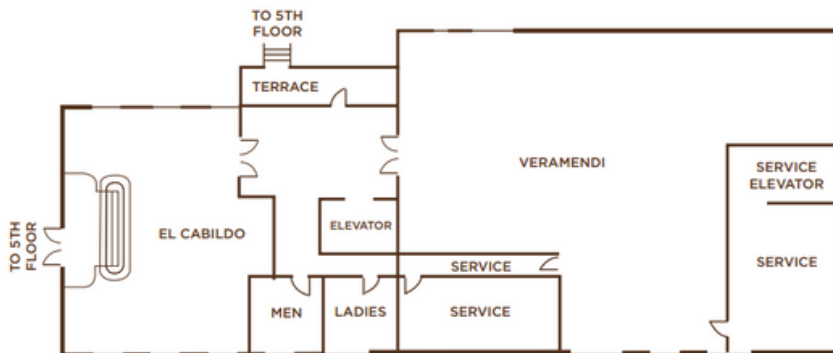
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Third Floor

Sunday-Board Meeting
Tuesday- TSC CAO Round Table

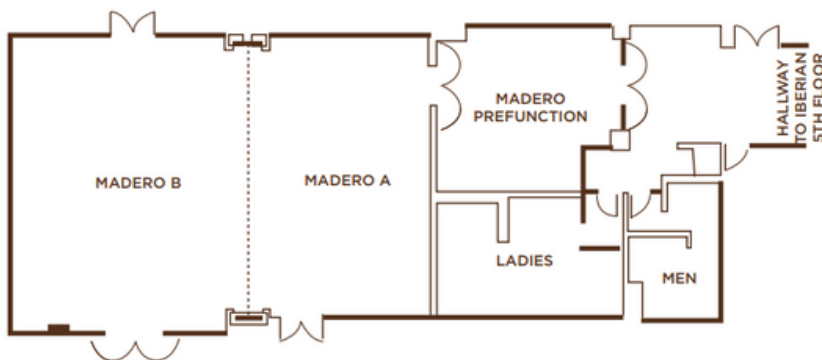
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Fourth Floor

Sunday- President's Reception

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Fifth Floor

Sunday-Registration & Welcome
Monday-Breakfast & *Having A Good Time Discussing Contact Hours*
Tuesday-Breakfast, TSC-Instructional Leaders Round Table, TSC Summary & General Update

Texas Community College Instructional Administrators
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2022 TCCIA Summer Leadership Conference

**Omni La Mansión del Rio River Walk,
San Antonio**

June 5-7, 2022

Sunday at 1pm - Tuesday at Noon

Agenda in process

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To submit a proposal for presentation, please email it to:

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